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## **NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

### **Board Agenda Memo**

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**MEETING DATE:** June 14, 2022

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** **Phebe Bell**

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving execution of Amendment No. 1 to the renewal contract with Midvalley Recovery Facilities, Inc, d/b/a Pathways, to increase the maximum contract price from \$144,825 to \$189,825 (an increase of \$45,000) and revise Exhibit "B", Schedule of Charges and Payments to reflect the increase in the maximum contract price for the Agreement term of July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 and directing the Auditor -Controller to amend the Behavioral Health Budget for Fiscal Year 2021/22 (4/5 Affirmative Vote Required). (RES. 21-220)

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**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** Contract Services are supported by: Drug Medi-Cal Federal reimbursement and 2011 Realignment. A budget amendment is required and is included in this Resolution. There are no county general fund dollars required in the contract.

**BACKGROUND:** On June 15, 2021, per Resolution Number 21-220, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of a renewal Contract for services related to residential substance abuse treatment for Nevada County Residents. The contract includes Withdrawal Management programs and Residential Treatment.

Residential Treatment and Withdrawal Management Programs

Contractor provides 24 hours / 7 days per week residential programs. The Contractor's residential treatment and withdrawal management programs provide comprehensive treatment services to adult women and men, over the age of 18, in a carefully structured and supportive environment with a high degree of accountability and integrated continuum of care that focuses on each unique individual and his/her family system. Licensed Medical staff ensure that withdrawal management services are safe and comfortable. Linkage services are provided as well as relapse prevention and individualized discharge planning. Midvalley Recovery Facilities, Inc. operates one fully licensed residential facility in Marysville, CA that is licensed and certified by the state to provide withdrawal management services and residential treatment services to 23 men and women.

All clients treated under this agreement will be pre-authorized for services by the Behavioral Health Department before admission to the program. Clients referred for residential services will be evaluated by program staff and provided a full assessment. They will be assigned a Primary Counselor to collaborate with on developing his/her Individual Treatment Plan. The residential program prioritizes transition planning and discharge planning, beginning at intake to support successful reintegration into the community.

It is recommended that the Board approve this Amendment as services provided are designed to help individuals and families achieve healthy and rewarding lifestyles by treating their substance use disorders. This amendment is backdated as our primary residential treatment provider had to reduce their number of available treatment beds due to COVID and significant staffing shortages, resulting in higher utilization of this contract than originally anticipated. Now that our primary residential treatment provider has reopened their Bost facility we are able to project utilization through the fiscal year end for this contractor.

**Item Initiated and Approved by:** Phebe Bell, MSW, Director of Behavioral Health