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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: March 14, 2023

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Rachel Peña

SUBJECT: Resolution approving Amendment #2 to the Contract with Advocates for Mentally Ill Housing, Inc., dba AMI Housing, Inc., for the provision of Housing Support to increase the maximum contract price from \$714,473 to \$1,086,382, and revise Exhibit "B", Schedule of Charges and Payments to reflect the changes to the Housing and Staffing Line Items to the maximum contract price for the term of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023. (RES 22-314)(RES 22-569)

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: Contract services are funded through available CalWORKs Single Allocation, and CalWORKs Housing Support Program monies that may be used to support opportunities/services to assist low income residents in overcoming barriers to employment and to assist CalWORKs participants in becoming financially self-sufficient. Services are within the Department's FY 2022/2023 budget and there are no County general fund dollars required in the Agreement.

BACKGROUND: On June 28, 2022, per Resolution 22-314 the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of the Professional Services Contract with AMI Housing to provide housing services and support for CalWORKs participant families which was amended on December 6, 2022 per Resolution RES 22-569.

This amendment will reflect an increase to the maximum contract amount and changes to the Housing and Staffing Line items. The need for housing assistance and supportive services for our CalWORKs families has increased. We had to cap our program participants at 50 families at a time to ensure participants receive the appropriate level of service. There are currently 15 families on the waiting list. Due to the lack of sustainable, affordable housing there has been an increased need for placement in temporary shelter, such as hotels, which are costly. The program has worked diligently to find alternate transitional housing options and will continue to seek affordable permanent housing options for the families we serve.

It is recommended that the Board approve this Amendment 2.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Rachel Peña, LCSW Director of Social Services