



**Sheriff's Department
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA DATE: June 27, 2017

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (AUD 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
CONTACT PERSON: Cheryl Cereghino PHONE: 735-1669				

SUBJECT: Approve a grant award agreement with the Board of State and Community Corrections

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Ratify the signature of the Chairman of the Board on the grant application to the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) for the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) grant; in the amount of \$235,750 submitted May 8, 2017. This item is ratified due to time constraints for the application submission deadline.
2. Find the Board had the authority to approve the application submission as of May 8, 2017, and that it was in the County's best interest to approve the application on that date.
3. Approve the grant agreement for the period of July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018, as set forth by the Board of State and Community Corrections and authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign four (4) copies each of the grant agreement.
4. Agree that no funds from the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment and State Prisoners Program will be used to supplant expenditures controlled by the Board.
5. Agree to provide all required matching funds for the grant project.

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6. Agree to abide by the statutes and regulations governing the Residential Substance Abuse Treatment and State Prisoners Program.

SUMMARY:

The Sheriff's Department has operated a Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT) since 1999. Participants are inmates with drug addiction problems. These inmates are segregated inside the Men's Correctional Facility from the rest of the County's jail population. RSAT participants undergo intensive counseling over several months to battle drug addiction, develop appropriate life skills, and successfully re-enter the community after incarceration. Graduates of the program have a lower overall recidivism rate than other inmates, ranging from 38-42%.

Today, the Sheriff's Department requests that the Board accept this grant award and approve a resolution with language required by the funding source, the Board of State and Community Corrections.

A prior agreement, identical except for the time period and dollar value, was approved as to form by County Counsel and was approved by the Board of Supervisors on August 11, 2015. The substantive deviations from the County contract boilerplate included in the prior agenda item were: Agreement is dependent on availability of funds to the State; Agreement does not allow County to assign without written approval but does not prohibit the State to assign; County must indemnify the State; County must sign first. The proposed renewal agreement does not include any additional substantive deviations from the County contract boilerplate. The only changes from the prior agreement are to the time period of the agreement, from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018, and the dollar amount of the agreement to decrease to \$235,750.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

If awarded, the grant will provide up to \$235,750 to continue the RSAT program at the Men's Correctional Facility. The required match is 25% of the grant amount up to \$78,583. The matching funds will be paid by the Sheriff's Inmate Welfare Trust fund. There will be no net County cost to operate the RSAT program under the prospective grant.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The Tulare County Strategic Business Plan includes a Security and Safety Initiative. Specifically, the RSAT program addresses the Initiative's outcome to "provide facilities and resources for training and rehabilitation of criminal behaviors."

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ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Mike Boudreaux
Sheriff-Coroner

Cc: Auditor-Controller
County Counsel
County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment: Grant Agreement

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

APPROVE A GRANT AWARD) **Resolution No.** _____
AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF) **Agreement No.** _____
STATE AND COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR _____, SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR _____, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD _____, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

ATTEST: MIKE SPATA
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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