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

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE

AGREEMENTS WITH FIRST 5 OF TULARE

COUNTY AND FAMILY SERVICES OF

TULARE COUNTY

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UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR <u>VANDER POEL</u>, SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR <u>ENNIS</u>, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD <u>AUGUST 14, 2018</u>, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: SUPERVISORS CROCKER, VANDER POEL, SHUKLIAN, WORTHLEY,

AND ENIIS

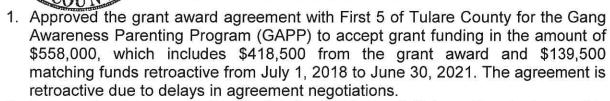
NOES: NONE ABSTAIN: NONE ABSENT: NONE

ATTEST: MICHAEL C. SPATA

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY:

Deputy Clerk



- Approved an agreement with Family Services of Tulare County to provide counseling services in support of GAPP in an amount not to exceed \$365,010 retroactive from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021. The agreement is retroactive due to a delay receiving the agreement.
- 3. Authorized the Chairman to sign three copies of the First 5 of Tulare County agreement.
- 4. Authorized the Chairman to sign three copies of the Family Services of Tulare County agreement.
- Found that the Board had authority to enter into the proposed agreement as of July 1, 2018, and that it was in the County's best interest to enter into the agreement on that date.



Sheriff's Office county of tulare agenda item

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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> MIKE ENNIS District Five

| AGENDA | DATE: | August 14 | 2018 |
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| Public Hearing Required | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
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| Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| Published Notice Required | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| Advertised Published Notice | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| County Counsel Sign-Off | Yes | | | |
| Meet & Confer Required | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| Electronic file(s) has been sent | Yes | | | |
| Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| Personnel Resolution attached | Yes | □ N/A ⊠ | | |
| Agreements are attached and signature | line | for Chairman is marked with | | |
| tab(s)/flag(s) | Yes | | | |
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| CONTACT PERSON: Ed Lardner, Grant Specialist PHONE: (559) 802-9462 | | | | |
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SUBJECT:

Approve agreements with First 5 of Tulare County and Family Services of Tulare County

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve the grant award agreement with First 5 of Tulare County for the Gang Awareness Parenting Program (GAPP) to accept grant funding in the amount of \$558,000, which includes \$418,500 from the grant award and \$139,500 matching funds retroactive from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021. The agreement is retroactive due to delays in agreement negotiations.
- 2. Approve an agreement with Family Services of Tulare County to provide counseling services in support of GAPP in an amount not to exceed \$365,010 retroactive from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021. The agreement is retroactive due to a delay receiving the agreement.
- 3. Authorize the Chairman to sign three copies of the First 5 of Tulare County agreement.
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- 5. Find that the Board had authority to enter into the proposed agreement as of July 1, 2018, and that it was in the County's best interest to enter into the agreement on that date.

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SUMMARY:

GAPP was approved by the Board of Supervisors on July 29, 2008 as a pilot project as part of the Sheriff's Office Inmate Programs Unit. In 2009, the Sheriff's Office was successful in its quest for additional grant funding from First 5 of Tulare County for the following three years and has been funded ever since. GAPP is designed to identify inmates who have children 0-5 who are at risk of exposure to violence. Gang issues and the violence surrounding it continues to be a problem within our county. This program will address the issues of the most vulnerable, the young children.

GAPP addresses the issue of violence on the very young with the use of the training and curriculum from the evidenced based program "Adults and Children Together" (ACT) against violence, through a home visitation model. Inmates, their families, and caregivers, will be provided with knowledge about child development, risk factors for violence and its consequences, protective factors, and skills for effective parenting.

Family Services of Tulare County through an agreement with the Sheriff's Office, will provide two Parenting Educators that will meet with the inmates and visit the caregivers in their homes. The criterion for an inmate to participate in the program include the following; they must be sentenced to county time; reside in the county, have a child age 0-5 or are expecting; have indicated gang involvement or the family is living in an area with gang-related problems; and they volunteer to participate. In most cases, the Parent Educators will work with the families for approximately four months. Staffing includes one Inmate Programs Specialist for the Sheriff's Office who monitors the day-to-day activities; identifies and interviews potential inmates for the program, and keeps the statistical data current.

First 5 of Tulare County requires a 25% cash match requirement to the GAPP grant. The Sheriff's Office will utilize the Inmate Welfare Trust Fund (IWTF) as sole source for this 25% cash match.

The agreement from First 5 of Tulare County has been approved as to form by County Counsel. The following terms deviate substantively from the standard County boilerplate: 1) Agreement includes a multi-year term; 2) Either party may terminate without cause with 15 days' advance written notice or 10 days after personal delivery; 3) The County will be signing first; and 4) The County must indemnify First 5 from all damages, losses, or causes of action, awards, judgments, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, costs and investigations, of any kind or nature which arise out of or are in any way connected with an act or omission of the County, officers, agents, employees, contractor, sub-contractors or authorized representatives. The agreement contains no reciprocal indemnification as included in previous years.

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FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The Gang Awareness Parenting Project (GAPP) program expenses from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2021 is \$558,000, which includes \$418,500 the grant award and \$139,500 matching funds.

There is a 25% cash match requirement to the First 5 of Tulare County grant. The Sheriff's Office will utilize the Inmate Welfare Trust Fund (IWTF) as sole source for the cash match of \$139,500.

A more detailed breakdown of program revenues by fiscal year are noted below:

- Fiscal Years 18/19 \$182,096 total GAPP expense includes \$136,572 Grant;
 \$45,524 County Matching Funds;
- Fiscal Years 19/20 \$186,737 total GAPP expense includes \$140,052 Grant;
 \$46,685 County Matching Funds; and
- Fiscal Years 20/21 \$189,167 total GAPP expense includes \$141,876 Grant;
 \$47,291 County Matching Funds.

The Sheriff's Office will serve as fiscal agent for the grant. The Sheriff's Office will budget the proposed expenses within FY 18/19, 19/20, and 20/21 operating budgets to reflect the grant revenues and matching revenues.

The cost of the services provided by Family Services for the three-year funding cycle will be \$365,010 and is part of the operating expenses noted above. There is no net County cost.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The Safety and Security Initiative is one of the initiatives in the Tulare County Strategic Business Plan. The purpose of the initiative is to provide for safety and security of the public. GAPP is in alignment with this as it addresses the goal to "Provide facilities and resources for training and rehabilitation of criminal offenders." Parenting educators will work with inmates and their families addressing the issues that violence has on young children, particularly the effects of gang violence

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Mike Boudreaux Sheriff-Coroner

cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment A – Agreement with First 5 of Tulare County
Attachment B – Agreement with Family Services of Tulare County