



# Health & Human Services Agency COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

KUYLER CROCKER
District One
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District Two

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District Three
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District Four DENNIS TOWNSEND District Five

AGENDA DATE: June 4, 2019

Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk Published Notice Required Advertised Published Notice Meet & Confer Required Electronic file(s) has been sent Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached Personnel Resolution attached Agreements are attached and signature itab(s)/flag(s)	Yes         N/A           Yes         N/A
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SUBJECT:

Approve an agreement with Kings View Corporation

#### REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve an agreement with Kings View Corporation for the Tulare County Warm Line Program, effective from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020 in the amount not to exceed \$292,084; and
- 2. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign two (2) copies of the agreement.

#### SUMMARY:

The Tulare County Health and Human Services Agency, Mental Health Branch, collaborates with Kings View Corporation to provide the Tulare County Warm Line Program. The Tulare County Warm Line Program is designed to reduce disparities in accessing mental health services by providing readily available, linguistically appropriate phone support to individuals experiencing emotional and/or mental health issues, at no cost to the caller. The Tulare County Warm Line is staffed largely by former mental health consumers who are trained to appropriately handle community calls. Additionally, the Tulare County Warm Line acts as pre-emptive support for many mental health consumers by assisting them in managing their own care while avoiding higher and more costly levels of care. From July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020, the program plans to provide services to an anticipated 2,400 callers.

This agreement did not include a Request For Proposal process because Kings View Corporation has been providing quality mental health services for Tulare County for over 11 years. Mental Health Branch aims to continue this relationship and ensure our consumer's continuity of care.

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The following term deviates substantively from the standard County boilerplate: The State requires a 10-year records retention period for all Mental Health agreements superseding the County's 5-year retention period.

This contract does not deviate from the standard County boilerplate.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The budgeted costs associated with this contract we be included in the HHSA 3332 budget, line 7043 professional services, in the amount not to exceed \$292,084 and is included in the Fiscal Year 2019/2020 budget submission. These services are paid through Mental Health Services Act, Prevention and Early Intervention funding. There is no additional net cost to the County General Fund.

### LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year plan includes the Quality of Life initiative to promote and encourage the provision of quality supportive services for individuals in Tulare County. This agreement will contribute to that initiative by providing mental health services to otherwise unserved or underserved individuals in Tulare County.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Donna Ortiz

Director of Mental Health

Cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) Agreement

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH KINGS VIEW CORPORATION	) Resolution No ) Agreement No )
UPON MOTION OF SUPERVIS	OR, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR	_, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN O	FFICIAL MEETING HELD
, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
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ATTEST:	JASON T. BRITT COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	Deputy Clerk
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