



Probation Department COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

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AGENDA DATE: August 11, 2020

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"/>
County Counsel Sign-Off	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input 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: Steven Horton PHONE: (559) 735-1554				

SUBJECT: Approve an agreement with Champions Recovery Alternative Programs, Inc.

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve an agreement with Champions Recovery Alternative Programs, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$270,000, for the term of July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021 for juvenile substance use disorder treatment, behavioral health services, reentry services, and family programming. It was impracticable for the Board to take action prior to July 1, 2020 due to inadvertent delays in processing for approval and time needed to process, prepare, and submit the agenda item; and
2. Find that the Board had the authority to enter the proposed agreement as of July 1, 2020 and that it was in the County's best interest to enter into the agreement on that date; and
3. Authorize the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors to sign three (3) copies of the Agreement.

SUMMARY:

The Tulare County Probation Department is seeking to continue its established partnership with Champions Recovery Alternative Programs, Inc. (Champions) to provide juvenile substance use disorder treatment, behavioral health services, reentry services, and family programming for referred Tulare County juvenile probationers. Champions Youth Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment

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Programs provides services to address substance use disorders and strengthen families through comprehensive and collaborative services. These services include case management, individual, group, and family counseling, drug and alcohol education, and child development and parenting. The program performs complete intakes and psychosocial assessments for each client that include medical histories, drug use histories, legal, vocational, educational, and mental health information.

Furthermore, Champions Youth SUD Treatment programs provide linkage and referral services to additional substance use and mental health treatment programs at Champions and other community-based providers, as well as linkage to our collaborative networks that provide housing, food, clothing, and transportation for those in need.

Champions will serve the referred Tulare County juvenile probationers (target population is 12 through 17 years of age) and their respective parents/caregivers (during parental sessions) at the Champions Center location in Visalia (910 W. Center, Visalia, CA), Tulare County Juvenile Detention Facility, as well as any other location identified by the Tulare County Probation Department.

The Probation Department has an established two (2) year relationship with Champions, which has received referrals and provided treatment services to juvenile probationers since July 1, 2018.

This agreement does not contain any substantive deviations from the County standard contract boilerplate.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The cost of the program is covered entirely with JJCPA-YOBG funds. This agreement is not to exceed \$270,000 and is included in the Tulare County Probation Department's Fiscal Year 2020-21 proposed budget. There is no net County cost to the General Fund.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year strategic business plan includes the Safety and Security initiative that provides for the safety and security of the public. The approval of this agreement helps fulfill this initiative by contracting with Champions Recovery Alternative Programs, Inc. for community-based treatment services designed to improve the quality of lives and reduce recidivism.

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ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Handwritten signature of Michelle Bonwell in cursive script.

Michelle Bonwell
Chief Probation Officer

Cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s): Agreement to Champions Recovery Alternative Programs, Inc

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

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE AN)
AGREEMENT WITH CHAMPIONS) Resolution No. _____
RECOVERY ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS,) Agreement No. _____
INC.)

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: JASON T. BRITT
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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