



**Tulare County
Health & Human Services Agency**

John Davis, Agency Director

AGENDA DATE: August 8, 2006

SUBJECT: Approval of amendment to Agreement #21962 with Tulare County Alcoholism Council, Inc., Mothering Heights for FY 2006/2007.

REQUEST: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approves the amendment to Agreement #21962 with Tulare County Alcoholism Council, Inc. for the provision of alcohol and drug prevention and/or treatment services at Mothering Heights for FY 2006/2007.

2. Authorizes the Board Chair to sign three (3) original copies of the amendment.

SUMMARY: This agreement allows the Alcohol and Drug Programs Division of HHS to contract with Tulare County Alcoholism Council, Inc. (TCAC) for the provision of alcohol and drug recovery and prevention services to pregnant and postpartum women who are residents of Tulare County or Drug/Medi-Cal clients from anywhere within the State. The "Mothering Heights" program has been in Existence since 1991. Activities occur in a residential setting and include recovery in a clean, safe, and sober environment. Living skills, parent education, child development, training in CPR, and job preparation training are provided. This program is operated under State ADP regulations, as outlined in Title 9 of the Administrative Code. The contract includes substance abuse treatment to clients arrested for non-violent drug offenses, as regulated and paid by Proposition 36. TCAC currently provides the Mothering Heights program under Tulare County Agreement #21962, which expired on June 30, 2006. HHS serviced 57 clients in this program for FY 2005/2006.

Retroactive Agreement: The State Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs (ADP) provided the County with 3 different budget reductions for FY 06/07, the last one received in May 2006.

Protocol exception: This agreement includes a modified advance payment provision.

Board Strategic Plan Initiative Addressed: Safety and Security

FINANCING: Monthly payments of \$19,012.83 will be made by HHS for the first three months of the agreement. Adjustments to monthly payments will be made after each quarter of the contract period based on the prior quarter's actual Units of Service (UOS) provided. The contract maximum for the ADP and Prop 36 services provided shall not exceed \$228,154.00 for FY 2006/2007. This agreement is funded by State Alcohol & Drug (ADP) revenues, the Drug/Medi-Cal (M/MC) program and Prop 36 revenues. There is no net county cost associated with this agreement.

INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS/AGENCIES: This agreement was approved as to form by County Counsel and no changes have been made since this approval.

SIGNATURE REQUIREMENTS: The signature of the Board Chair is required on three (3) originals of the agreement (Please return two (2) original copies for distribution).

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Cheryl L. Duerksen Ph.D. – Director Mental Health

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

IN THE MATTER OF)
Approval of amendment to Agreement #21962 with Tulare) **RESOLUTION #**
County Alcoholism Council, Inc., Mothering Heights for)
FY 2006/2007.)

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: C. BRIAN HADDIX
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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