



**Health & Human Services
Agency
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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AGENDA DATE: June 7, 2011

Public Hearing Required	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Resolution, Ordinance or Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
CONTACT PERSON: Christi Lupkes PHONE: 624-8000			

SUBJECT: Approval of amendment to Agreement No. 24287 with Tulare Youth Service Bureau, Inc.

REQUEST(S):
That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve an amendment to Agreement No. 24287 with Tulare Youth Service Bureau, Inc. to extend the term of the Agreement to June 30, 2012 in an amount not to exceed \$83,575 for the provision of mental health services under the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) Program; and
2. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign three (3) copies of the amendment.

SUMMARY:
The Tulare County Health & Human Services Agency (HHSA), Department of Mental Health - MHSA (Tulare County MHSA), contracts with Tulare Youth Service Bureau to provide mental health services under the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) Family Interaction Program. The Family Interaction Program is designed to provide evidenced-based, low-intensity, short-term sessions targeting children who are experiencing a broad range of emotional, behavioral, and family problems. Parents of the targeted children will learn improved parenting skills, including healthy family interaction skills, modeling, role-playing, and coaching. Emphasis will be placed on including fathers and

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changing negative interaction patterns that are commonly seen between mothers and drug-exposed infants. Providing this treatment to children at an early stage will help reduce factors associated with later serious mental health issues.

The purpose of this amendment is to extend the term of the Agreement to June 30, 2012.

It is estimated that 20 families will be served through this agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The funds for this Agreement are included in the proposed Fiscal Year 2011/2012 budget, at a maximum of \$83, 575 and are paid through Mental Health Services Act (MHSA), Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) funding. No Net County Cost.

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. The MHSA PEI programs contribute to that initiative by providing mental health services to otherwise underserved and unserved individuals in Tulare County.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board could choose not to approve this amendment; this would result in the loss of mental health services to those clients currently or potentially served under the MHSA programs as these services are not currently available through the County's traditional mental health services.

INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:

County Counsel.

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ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Cheryl L. Duerksen, Ph.D.
Director of Mental Health

Cc: Auditor/Controller
County Counsel
County Administrative Office (3)

Amendment

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

IN THE MATTER OF:)
Approval of amendment to Agreement) RESOLUTION NO. _____
No. 24287 with Tulare Youth Service) AGREEMENT NO. _____
Bureau, 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: JEAN M. ROUSSEAU
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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