



**Probation Department
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

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AGENDA DATE: June 07, 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: Sharman Wood PHONE: (559) 713-2758

SUBJECT: Extension of Aggression Replacement Training Grant Period and Agreement with the California Corrections Standards Authority

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

Ratify and approve Grant Agreement #24179 Amendment 1 for the Aggression Replacement Training (ART) grant program, funded through the California Corrections Standards Authority, extending the grant period from July 1, 2009 through December 31, 2011.

SUMMARY:

In support of efforts to reduce gang and youth violence in the juvenile justice system, the California Corrections Standards Authority (CSA) issued grants to implement and expand Aggression Replacement Training (ART) programs to youth in custodial settings and the community. Funds are used by probation departments to contract for services with providers who were selected through a separate application process. Probation Department staff receive training through this grant.

ART training is designed to alter the behavior of chronically aggressive adolescents and young children to improve social skill competence, anger control, and moral reasoning. The ART program incorporates three specific interventions: skill-streaming, anger-control training, and training in moral reasoning. ART training is evidence-based and conforms to the model found in the federal Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Model Programs Guide.

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The Board accepted the funding and approved the original grant agreement (#24179) on August 18, 2009 (Resolution #2009-0688). Amendment 1 extends the grant period—which originally ended June 30, 2011—through December 31, 2011.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

The total program cost of \$67,368, grant amount of \$61,244, and match of \$6,124 (10%) remain the same. Match is paid from SB-81, Youthful Offender Block Grant funds. There is no Net County Cost. These funds are already included in the Probation Department's budget.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year strategic plan includes the safety and security of the public and organizational performance. Aggression Replacement Training (ART) is an evidence-based practice recommended by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP). ART training assists youthful offenders by improving social skill competence, anger control, and moral reasoning.

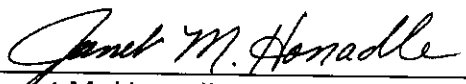
ALTERNATIVES:

None

INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:

County Counsel approved the original agreement #24179 as to form.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:



Janet M. Honadle
Chief Probation Officer

Cc: Auditor/Controller
County Counsel
County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s)

Aggression Replacement Training Grant Agreement

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

IN THE MATTER OF EXTENSION OF)
AGGRESSION REPLACEMENT) RESOLUTION NO. _____
TRAINING GRANT PERIOD AND)
AGREEMENT WITH THE CALIFORNIA) AGREEMENT NO. _____
CORRECTIONS STANDARDS AUTHORITY)

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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