

COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

Inter-Departmental Correspondence Probation



Date: June 21, 2016

Board Meeting Date: August 9, 2016

Special Notice / Hearing: None Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: John T. Keene, Chief Probation Officer

Subject: Agreement with Rape Trauma Services

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a resolution authorizing an agreement for Rape Trauma Services to provide individual, group, and family counseling for youth girls at the Margaret J. Kemp Camp and in Camp Kemp aftercare, for the term of July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019, in an amount not to exceed \$117,000.

BACKGROUND:

The Probation Department operates a cluster of services for delinquent girls under the heading of the G.I.R.L.S. program (Gaining Independence and Reclaiming Lives Successfully). The first phase of the program involves a commitment of 180 days to Camp Kemp, which was relocated to the Youth Services Center in 2011. This phase involves intensive treatment for substance abuse, mental health issues, and trauma in the form of individual, group, and family counseling. In addition, girls receive services such as yoga/emotion regulation training and art therapy. Following a stay at Camp Kemp, girls transition to the community and receive intensive probation supervision and treatment services. If they are successful, they graduate to the third phase of the program with a less-intensive level of supervision. Completion of all three phases of the G.I.R.L.S. program can take up to 18 months.

DISCUSSION:

The Probation Department conducted a Request for Proposals process and has selected Rape Trauma Services as one of the service providers for girls at Camp Kemp and in the community probation phase of the program. In collaboration with and at the direction of County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services (BHRS), Rape Trauma Services (RTS), a nonprofit 501(c)(3) entity, will provide help for girls to recover from core relationship trauma such as sexual abuse or assault and domestic violence.

The Contractor has assured compliance with the County's Contractor Employee Jury Service Ordinance, as well as all other contract provisions that are required by County

ordinance and administrative memoranda, including but not limited to insurance, hold harmless, non-discrimination, and equal benefits.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the resolution and agreement as to form.

This agreement contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 commitment to Safe Neighborhoods by providing youth with rehabilitative services such that they might heal from trauma and not commit future crimes.

PERFORMANCE MEASURE(S):

Measure	FY 2016-17 Estimated	FY 2017-18 Projected
Percent of youth with a clean drug test	90%	90%
Percent of youth attending school who have at least a 2.5 GPA	95%	95%
Percent of youth completing 10 hours of community service or employment	100%	100%
Percent of youth with psychiatric medication compliance	95%	95%
Percent of youth complying with court conditions	90%	90%
Percent of youth who successfully completed program	75%	75%

FISCAL IMPACT:

The term of the agreement is July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019. The total obligation is \$117,000.00, and is funded 100% through the State of California Youthful Offender Block Grant (YOBG). Funds have been included in the FY 2016-17 Adopted Budget.