

**Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the  
County of Monterey, State of California**

**Resolution No.** \_\_\_\_\_

Expenditure of funds from the Natividad )  
Medical Center (“NMC”) Fiscal Year )  
2017/2018 Budget to support a Funding )  
Agreement with Sun Street Centers (“SSC”), )  
assisting SSC in meeting the direct costs of )  
renovation of its residential detoxification )  
facility (“RDF”) in Salinas, California, has a )  
direct and primary public purpose, benefiting )  
Monterey County, in general, and NMC, in )  
particular. )

**WHEREAS**, for fifty years, Sun Street Centers (“SSC”), a California corporation, has operated a Men’s Residential Program (“Program”), a state-licensed men’s residential social model program for recovery from substance use disorders;

**WHEREAS**, as part of the Program, individuals undergo an initial 72-hour period of detoxification from alcohol or drugs in a specifically designated area within SSC’s Salinas facility, located at 8 Sun Street, Salinas, CA 93901. The RDF is separate from other treatment areas of the SSC and consists of rooms with a total of eight beds and a separate breakroom/living room;

**WHEREAS**, each year, SSC serves approximately 260 residents at the RDF. Most of SSC’s residents are referred to SSC by Monterey County Health Department, Behavioral Health Services, Monterey County Probation Department, and Natividad Medical Center (“Natividad”);

**WHEREAS**, because of the lack of medical services at SSC, individuals must be medically cleared before transfer to SSC, a process that can take several hours and often in Natividad’s Emergency Room; This last year, Natividad had 144 patient referrals from the hospital to SSC for social model detoxification services following medical clearance at Natividad;

**WHEREAS**, as a result of Medicaid Expansion in California, SSC now has the opportunity to implement a hybrid social model/medical model of recovery for its Men’s Residential Program, blending SSC’s traditional social model recovery components and Medi-Cal approved withdrawal management/detoxification services determined to be medically necessary by either a medical director or other licensed clinician. These Medi-Cal approved services include the performance on a resident’s intake of a physical examination and laboratory testing, clinical observation of a resident’s health status

during withdrawal/detoxification, the provision to a resident of mental health services, and the prescription and administration of medication for the resident;

**WHEREAS**, there is an established need in Monterey County for a hybrid social model/medical model withdrawal management and detoxification services for Monterey County residents;

**WHEREAS**, an individual's course of withdrawal or detoxification from alcohol or other drugs frequently requires monitoring by medical personnel during the withdrawal/detoxification process;

**WHEREAS**, without access to a facility with a hybrid social model/medical model of recovery, individuals undergoing withdrawal or detoxification and requiring monitoring by medical personnel, as a last resort end up in Natividad's emergency room where they may spend up to 72 hours in withdrawal or detoxification.

**WHEREAS**, an individual undergoing withdrawal/detoxification frequently may need medical monitoring but not need the intense level of medical care that is provided at Natividad's emergency room;

**WHEREAS**, the RDF, once renovated, is scheduled to open as a social model/medical model in January 2018;

**WHEREAS**, NMC seeks to enter into a Funding Agreement with SSC, in an amount not to exceed \$40,000, for a term beginning on the Effective Date of the Agreement through August 31, 2018, to provide funding to support the renovation of SSC's residential detoxification facility located at 8 Sun Street, Salinas, California 93901;

**WHEREAS**, NMC desires to provide funds to SSC for the renovation of the RDF and to facilitate the provision of a hybrid social model/medical model withdrawal management and detoxification services to persons living in Monterey County; **NOW, THEREFORE**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Board of Supervisors in and for the County of Monterey, that the expenditure of funds from the Natividad Medical Center ("NMC") Fiscal Year 2017/2018 Budget to support a Funding Agreement with Sun Street Centers ("SSC"), assisting SSC in meeting the direct costs of renovation of its residential detoxification facility ("RDF") in Salinas, California, has a direct and primary public purpose, benefiting Monterey County, in general, and NMC, in particular..

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017, upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES:

NOES:

**ABSENT:**

I, Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book\_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy