

County of Monterey

Board of Supervisors Chambers 168 W. Alisal St., 1st Floor Salinas, CA 93901

Board Report

File #: 13-0738, Version: 1

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b. Approve and authorize the Director of the Department of Social Services, or his designee, to sign up to (3) amendments to this agreement where the total amendments do not exceed 10% and do not significantly change the scope of work.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors:

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SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

The contract with Community Human Services (CHS) is to provide the Department of Social Services, Family and Children's Services with assistance in supporting ongoing efforts with Family-to-Family (F2F) throughout the Monterey County. Family-to-Family is a community effort to establish a network of family focused foster care that is more neighborhood-based, culturally sensitive, and located primarily in the communities in which the children live. CHS has worked to support our overall number of caregivers and they continue to provide services focused on retention efforts to ensure children can stay in Monterey County.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The Auditor-Controller and Purchasing have reviewed and approved this agreement. County Counsel has approved the agreement as to form.

FINANCING:

This agreement is funded by Federal and Realignment revenues (50/50). Sufficient appropriations and estimated revenues in SOCOO5 are included in the FY 2013-14 Adopted Budget. Approval of this action has no impact on the County General Fund.

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Attachments: CHS Agreement 13/14

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