

# BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101

(805) 568-2240

Department Name: ADMHS
Department No.: 043

For Agenda Of: 5-15-2012
Placement: Administrative

Estimated Tme: N/A Continued Item:  $N_0$ 

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required: Majority

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Ann Detrick, Ph.D., Director

Director(s) Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services, 805-681-5220

Contact Info: Marianne Garrity, R.N., Deputy Director

Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services, 805-681-5220

**SUBJECT:** State Department of Rehabilitation FY 12-15 Agreement

### **County Counsel Concurrence**

**Auditor-Controller Concurrence** 

As to form: As to form:

Other Concurrence: Select\_Other

As to form:

### **Recommended Actions:**

That the Board of Supervisors authorize the Director of Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services to execute the multi-year agreement and subsequent amendments with the State Department of Rehabilitation for the period of July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015.

### **Summary Text:**

Approval of the recommended action will allow Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services (ADMHS) to continue to partner with the State Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) in a cooperative agreement which allows DOR to leverage ADMHS staff time to secure federal funding and provide employment services to adults with severe and persistent mental illness. ADMHS' participation in this cooperative began in 1998 and has been ongoing to date and approval of the recommended action will allow this partnership to continue.

## **Background:**

ADMHS provides specialty mental health services to Medi-Cal beneficiaries in Santa Barbara County. Some clients are also eligible to receive vocational rehabilitation services from the State Department of Rehabilitation. This cooperative agreement allows DOR to secure federal funding by leveraging ADMHS staff time spent providing mental health services to individuals served by both agencies. The clients receive services from ADMHS regardless of the Department's participation in this Agreement. An important aspect of client recovery is gaining and maintaining employment and the employment

supports and services offered to ADMHS clients through this program are integral to their recovery process.

ADMHS Rehabilitation Specialists work closely with DOR Rehabilitation Counselors who provide employment services and supports to eligible ADMHS clients. Services include vocational assessment, education, job placement, supported employment, job coaching, and benefits counseling. DOR also provides funding for local Community Based Organizations who assist clients with resume writing and enhancing job interview skills, reducing barriers to work, and links clients with other community resources. Typically, there are over 200 ADMHS clients receiving services through this cooperative agreement at any one time.

### Performance Measure:

N/A

### Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: N/A

### Fiscal Analysis:

Funding Sources	Current FY Cost:	Annualized On-going Cost:	Total One-Time Project Cost
General Fund	\$0.00		
State	\$0.00		
Federal	\$0.00		
Fees	\$0.00		
Other:	\$0.00		
Total	\$0.00	\$ -	\$ -

Narrative: This is a \$0 agreement between the County of Santa Barbara, Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services and the State Department of Rehabilitation. There is no fiscal impact to ADMHS. Approval of this Agreement will not increase the use of general fund dollars by the ADMHS Department.

#### Special Instructions:

Please email one (1) minute order by May 22, 2012 to Erin Jeffery and interoffice to:

Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health Services

Attn: Contracts

300 North San Antonio Road, Bldg 3

Santa Barbara, CA 93110

#### Attachments:

FY 12-15 State Department of Rehabilitation Cooperative Agreement

#### **Authored by:**

E. Jeffery