

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

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Department Name:

Probation

Department No.:

022

For Agenda Of:

January 8, 2013

Placement:

Administrative

Estimated Tme:

Continued Item:

No

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required:

Majority

TO:

Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Department

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Director(s)

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SUBJECT:

Acceptance of Anti-Drug Abuse (ADA) Enforcement Team Program Funds

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: Yes

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Other Concurrence: N/A

Recommended Actions: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt a Resolution authorizing the Chief Probation Officer to apply for and accept the Anti-Drug Abuse (ADA) Enforcement Team award in the amount of \$159,223 from the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2012-2013.

Summary Text: The ADA Enforcement Team Program is administered by BSCC utilizing Federal Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) monies awarded to the state by the Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA). Santa Barbara County's ADA funds have historically been combined with JAG funds allocated directly to the County from BJA and utilized to support the Santa Barbara Regional Narcotic Enforcement Team (SBRNET), a local multi-jurisdictional drug task force. It is noted that multi-jurisdictional narcotic task forces are the only allowable use of the ADA funds.

On September 18, 2012, the matter was before your Board and authorization was granted for the Chief Probation Officer to apply for and accept the ADA funding in the amount of \$159,223. Subsequently, the BSCC requested a new Resolution from the governing board. The required verbiage includes the understanding that the federal grant funds received shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body. In addition, it requires specific agreement to adhere to the statute and regulations governing the federal Justice Assistance Grant program, as well as the terms and conditions set forth by the BSCC. In order to ensure that funds from this grant are not used to supplant funding for existing

programs in the Probation Department, the grant funds are budgeted in the SBRNET program (4400). Grant revenues are in Intergovernmental Revenues – Federal and grant expenses are in Professional Services for city police departments in Santa Barbara County participating in the SBRNET Task Force.

Background: The County Law Enforcement Chiefs (CLEC) and other members of the SBRNET Steering Committee meet each year to develop the allocation plan for these funds. SBRNET is a collaborative effort between all local law enforcement agencies to apply specific strategies designed to reduce the flow of narcotics into and through the County. The project uses searches, buy-bust operations, and street sweeps as some of the tactics by which to accomplish the desired reduction of narcotic distribution in Santa Barbara County. The agencies involved in the project include the Santa Barbara County Probation Department, the Santa Barbara County District Attorney's Office, the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office, the Santa Barbara Police Department, the Lompoc Police Department, the Santa Maria Police Department, the Guadalupe Police Department, the State of California Highway Patrol, and the University of California Santa Barbara Police.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

Budgeted: Yes

Fiscal Analysis:

Funding Sources	<u>Curr</u>	ent FY Cost:	alized ng Cost:	ne-Time ct Cost
General Fund				
State				
Federal		\$159,223.00		
Fees				
Other:				
Total	\$	159,223.00	\$ -	\$ -

Narrative: The Probation Department has received a JAG award for over 20 years. The revenues and expenditures related to the SBRNET program and the JAG grant are included in the Probation Department's FY 2012-13 adopted budget. The grant does not require a local match and accepting the award will not change the Department's General Fund contribution. There will be no facility impacts.

Staffing Impacts:

Legal Positions: FTEs: No Effect No Effect

Special Instructions: Please return two (2) Certified Minute Orders and copies of the Resolution to Michael Cameron, Fiscal Manager, Probation Department, 117 E. Carrillo Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101.

Attachments: Attachment A: Department Mandates

Attachment B: Resolution

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