DEPARTMENT: Human Services/BHRS

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

It is respectfully requested that your Board: (1) approve continuing a Behavioral Health contract with Country Villa Merced Health Services; and (2) authorize your Chairman to sign the amendment.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

Please see attachment.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Please see attachment.

Financial Impact? (X) Yes ( ) No Current FY Cost: $60,000 Annual Recurring Cost: $
Budgeted in Current FY? (X) Yes ( ) No ( ) Partially Funded
Amount in Budget: $60,000
Additional Funding Needed: $0
Source:
Internal Transfer
Unanticipated Revenue 4/5's vote
Transfer Between Funds 4/5's vote
Contingency 4/5's vote
( ) General ( ) Other

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No. 390
Vote - Ayss: 5 
Noes: 
Absent: 
Approved
( ) Minute Order Attached ( ) No Action Necessary

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.
Date: 
Attest: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California

By: Deputy

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:
Requested Action Recommended
No Opinion
Comments:

CAO:
July 14, 2009

TO: Members, Board of Supervisors
   Rick Benson, CAO
FROM: Jim Rydingsword, Director
RE: Mental Health Contract for Inpatient Services with Country Villa Health Services

Recommendation

It is respectfully requested that your Board: (1) approve continuing a contract for residential inpatient services with Country Villa Health Services; and (2) authorize your Chairman to sign the contract.

Background/Current Situation

This County does not operate inpatient, residential facilities and therefore contracts for such services. The new agreement is substantially similar to the contract currently in place.

Country Villa Health Services is a locked residential facility that is used to house clients who need a higher level of care than is provided at a board and care or a private residence. Clients referred to this facility would include LPS conservatives who are severely mentally ill and not able to maintain an appropriate level of behavior or take care of providing daily food, shelter or clothing for themselves without assistance and close supervision. This facility is used until such time as clients are stabilized and are able to be moved to a lower level of care.

The current contract was approved by your Board on June 10, 2008 by Resolution Number 08-234. There was also an amendment, due to rate changes, approved on August 12, 2008 by Resolution Number 08-275.

Financial

The rate for this service is $164.09 per patient per day. This contract will continue to be paid within the Mental Health budget unit 0402.

There is no impact to general fund dollars.