RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2016-159

MEETING: April 12, 2016

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Chevon Kothari, Human Services Director

RE: Community Social Advocates, Inc. 1St Amendment to Provide Residential Care for Substance Abuse

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve a First Amendment with Community Social Advocates, Inc. Increasing the Compensation by $15,000 for an Amount Not to Exceed $25,000 to Provide Residential Recovery Services for Substance Abuse Clients Referred by Mariposa County Behavioral Health, and Authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to Sign the Amendment.

Mariposa County does not operate residential recovery facilities for substance abusers and therefore contracts for such services. Increasing the not-to-exceed amount of this Agreement will ensure the compensation amount is sufficient to allow for critical services to continue to be provided to clients with this contractor.

There is a need for residential treatment for those individuals who desire help but cannot stay clean and sober through other means of support, such as utilization of groups offered in the recovery community, traditional counseling services, and Heritage House.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The Board approved the existing agreement on September 15, 2015 by Resolution 2015-441.

On July 31, 2013, the Human Services Department was awarded a grant for a "Drug Court Enhancement Project" to expand substance abuse treatment services. The grant amount for 2014-15 was $239,007, and $236,007 for 2015-16. This contract is part of the expansion of services outlined in the "Mariposa County Drug Court Enhancement Project."

The Board approved submission of the grant application on April 16, 2013 by Resolution 2013-142.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
This contract is part of the activities planned to comply with the grant. If this contract is not approved, Mariposa County Behavioral Health may not be able to comply with the grant terms, which may jeopardize funding for this and subsequent years.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
This contract will be paid with funds awarded by a federal grant for the "Mariposa County Drug Court Enhancement Project." The grant funds and associated contracts are incorporated in the Alcohol & Drug Budget unit 001-0403 for FY15/16. There is no impact to the County General Fund.

ATTACHMENTS:
Community Social Model Advocates 1st Amendment 2016 (DOC)
Community Social Advocates PSA 2016 (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended

Mary Hodson, CAO 4/5/2016

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor
SECONDER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Carrier
FIRST AMENDMENT TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 26th day of April, 2015, by and between the County of Mariposa, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as “County” and Community Social Model Advocates, Inc. incorrectly referred to in the Professional Service Agreement as Community Social Advocates, Inc., hereinafter referred to as “Contractor”.

WHEREAS, the County and Contractor have heretofore entered into an Agreement dated July 1, 2015, wherein Contractor agreed to provide residential care for substance abuse clients as described in Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, County and Contractor desire to amend said Agreement to change the compensation to be provided to Contractor;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto in consideration of the mutual covenants herein recited, hereby agree as follows:

1. Paragraph 4.01, “Compensation”, is hereby amended to provide that an additional Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000) will be added to the original Agreement price of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000), making the total compensation paid to Contractor the not to exceed amount of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000). Contractor further acknowledges that all amounts for the tasks completed to date have been fully paid by County.

2. Except as herein amended, the agreement dated July 1, 2015 shall remain in full force and effect.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Amendment to be executed on the date first above written.

COUNTY OF MARIPOSA:

JOHN CARRIER, Chairman
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

CONTRACTOR:

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES
COMMUNITY ADVOCATES, INC.

ATTEST:

RENE LA ROCHE
Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

STEVEN W. DAHLEM
County Counsel
Exhibit A

CONTRACTOR Scope of Services

Contractor shall provide residential recovery services to COUNTY beneficiaries who are authorized for services by COUNTY.

Services shall be provided to beneficiaries of COUNTY in a manner prescribed by the laws of the State of California and in accordance with the rules and regulations of relevant Federal regulations.

All personnel rendering services shall be employed by or under contract with the CONTRACTOR. They shall be members of CONTRACTOR inpatient professional staff. The services shall be provided under the direction of the CONTRACTOR facility Director and shall meet appropriate professional standards.

CONTRACTOR shall notify COUNTY of the proposed discharge date of all persons served under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR rates for the fiscal year 2015-2016 are as follows: One thousand dollars ($1,000) per client per month.

In a timely manner and as mutually agreed upon, the CONTRACTOR shall provide to the COUNTY “Case Progress Summarization Notes” and a copy of the Discharge Summary for each client. Prior to discharge, the CONTRACTOR shall contact the COUNTY’s assigned Substance Abuse Counselor for coordination and consultation purposes. Client records shall include enough information for an evaluation of services provided. The CONTRACTOR shall provide the COUNTY’s copy of statistical reports that are submitted to the state, federal, and local agencies for compliance or reimbursement purposes. The CONTRACTOR shall report services to the state Alcohol and Drug Programs under the California Alcohol and Drug Data System in a manner prescribed by the State.