RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2017-179

MEETING: April 4, 2017

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Chevon Kothari, Human Services Director

RE: Today is a New Day Recovery Home Agreement to Provide Residential Care for Substance Abuse Clients

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve an Agreement with Today is a New Day Recovery Home to provide residential recovery services for substance abuse clients referred by Mariposa County Behavioral Health in an amount not to exceed $20,000, and authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to sign the Agreement.

Mariposa County does not operate residential recovery facilities and therefore contracts for such services. There is a need for residential sober living support 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. The Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment (SAPT) funding for general Alcohol & Drug services has been budgeted for Fiscal Year 17/18 and includes $51,935 for residential treatment/services.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The current contract for Today is a New Day Recovery Home was approved by the Board on June 28, 2016 by Resolution 2016-334.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
The Department has recorded increased demand in FY2016-17 and the need for residential care for substance abuse clients is projected to remain strong for FY2017-18. If this contract is not approved, Mariposa County Behavioral Health may not be able to provide this service to its clients.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
This contract will be paid with Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment funds (SAPT) within the FY17/18 Alcohol & Drug budget unit 001-0403. There is no impact to the County General Fund.

ATTACHMENTS:
Today is a New Day Agreement - Wc signatures (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended
RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor
SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor
AYES: Menetrey, Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann