DEPARTMENT: Human Services

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

It is respectfully requested that your Board 1) authorize a continuing contract for FY 2010-2011 between the County of Mariposa and Value Options (VO) for administration of Mental Health counseling and medication services for foster children placed out of county; 2) your Chairman to sign the contract.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

Please see attached memo.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Please see attached memo.

Financial Impact? ( X ) Yes ( ) No
Current FY Cost: $20,000
Annual Recurring Cost: $

Budgeted in Current FY? ( X ) Yes ( ) No ( ) Partially Funded

Amount in Budget: $20,000
Additional Funding Needed: $-0-

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Res. No.: 10-380
Ord. No. ______

Vote – Ayes: 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:

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CAO: ______

Revised Dec. 2002
July 19, 2010

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Jim Rydingsword, Director
RE: Behavioral Health Contract for Specialty Mental Health Services with Value Options (VO)

Recommendation

It is respectfully recommended that your Board authorize: (1) a continuing contract for FY 2010-2011 between the County of Mariposa and Value Options (VO) for administration of Mental Health counseling for foster children placed out of county; and (2) authorize your Chairman to sign the contract.

Background/Current Situation

Mariposa County has contracted with Value Options since March 2004 for mental health medical specialty services for full scope Medi-Cal beneficiaries under the age of 18 placed outside of Mariposa County. The current contract was reviewed and approved by your Board on July 16, 2009 by Resolution 09-334.

Financial

The cost of $45.83 per eligible beneficiary is included in the current FY budget. The cost of the individual service units are reimbursed through the Medi-Cal Program.

No county general funds are required.