DEPARTMENT: Human Services/BHRS

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

It is respectfully requested that your Board: (1) approve a Behavioral Health contract for residential alcohol and drug treatment services with Progress House, Inc.; and (2) authorize your Chairman to sign the contract.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

Please see attachment.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Please see attachment.

Financial Impact? ( ) Yes (X) No  Current FY Cost: $  Annual Recurring Cost: $
Budgeted In Current FY? ( ) Yes ( ) No ( ) Partially Funded
Amount in Budget: $ 
Additional Funding Needed: $ 
Source: 
Internal Transfer
Unanticipated Revenue 
Transfer Between Funds 
Contingency 
( ) General ( ) Other

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Vote - Ayes:  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: November 9, 2004

AGENDA ITEM NO. CA-9

BY: Cheryle Rutherford-Kelly
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COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:

Requested Action Recommended

No Opinion

Comments:

Revised Dec. 2002
October 22, 2004

TO: Members; Board of Supervisors
   Rich Inman, CAO
FROM: Cheryle Rutherford-Kelly
RE: Behavioral Health Contract for Residential Alcohol & Drug Treatment Services

Recommendation

It is respectfully requested that your Board: (1) approve a Behavioral Health contract for residential alcohol and drug treatment services with Progress House, Inc.; and (2) authorize your Chairman to sign the contract.

Background/Current Situation

The transition of Mental Health services from Kings View to the County requires that the department of Human Services/Behavioral Health & Recovery Services obtain new and/or amended contracts. This County does not operate residential alcohol and drug treatment facilities and therefore contracts for such services.

Your Alcohol and Drug Advisory Board is aware of the fact that there is a need for residential treatment for those individuals who cannot stay clean and sober through utilization of groups offered in the recovery community, traditional services and Heritage House. This particular residential treatment center allows addicted women to have their children with them while in residential care. It is important that we are able to use such a facility because some women will not enter treatment and leave their children. It also reduces the need for foster care placement while a parent is becoming clean and sober.

The contract has been approved by our Counsel and the Contractor.

Financial

This contract will continue to be paid within the Alcohol & Drug budget unit 0403. The costs are as follows:

- Female Adult: 67.00/day
- One Child: 27.00/day
- Two or more children: 21.00/day per child
- Urinalysis Drug Test: 30.00/test
- Outpatient group: 35.00/session
- Outpatient Individual: 95.00/session

Only those individuals who are committed to their own recovery, and who need a high level of care, will be offered this level of service. There is no impact to general fund dollars.