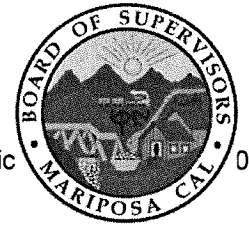




# MARIPOSA COUNTY

Human Services/Behavioral Health & Recovery Services



## **RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2014-415**

MEETING: August 12, 2014

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Chevon Kothari, Human Services Director

RE: Approve Contract with CF Merced LLC for Inpatient Residential Services

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### **RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:**

Approve an Agreement with CF Merced LLC for Psychiatric Hospitalizations in an Amount Not to Exceed \$60,000, and Authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to Sign the Agreement.

Mariposa County does not operate inpatient residential facilities and therefore contracts for such services. CF Merced LLC is a locked residential facility that is used to house clients who require a higher level of care than is provided at a Board and Care or a private residence.

The County does not use this facility often, but it is important to keep this contract in place to insure the availability of a bed when a crisis arises. Having an existing contract guarantees the County a negotiated rate. This contract is at no cost unless the County uses a bed.

This contract has no negative impact on the Mariposa County Mental Health Services Act Corrective Action Plan.

### **MENTAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD REVIEW:**

On recurring contract renewals the Mental Health Advisory Board has set direction that such contracts will be available for review by the Mental Health Advisory Board members and do not require review unless there are changes in the provisions of the contract prior to coming to the Board of Supervisors. This contract meets that criteria and is submitted to the Board of supervisors for a positive action.

### **BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:**

The predecessor entity operating this facility was Country Villa Health Services.

The current agreement for this facility with the predecessor entity was approved by the Board on June 11, 2013, by Resolution Number 2013-227.

### **ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

If this contract is not approved, the placement options available to Behavioral Health would be limited. Without a contract in place, finding an open bed for this level of care could be more difficult, and the costs could increase.

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

**The contract will continue to be paid within the Behavioral Health budget and is included in the FY2014/2015 requested budget. This contract does not affect**

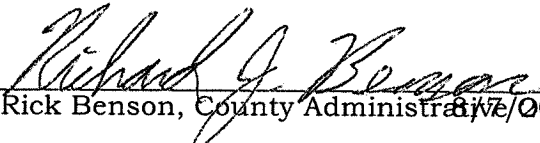
the Mental Health Services Act (Fund 410) corrective action plan. There is no impact on the General Fund.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

**CF Merced LLC Contract for Services 2015 (PDF)**

**CAO RECOMMENDATION**

Requested Action Recommended

  
Rick Benson, County Administrator/Office

**RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]**

**MOVER:** Lee Stetson, District I Supervisor

**SECONDER:** John Carrier, District V Supervisor

**AYES:** Lee Stetson, Merlin Jones, Kevin Cann, John Carrier

**EXCUSED:** Janet Bibby