RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2019-197

MEETING: April 16, 2019

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Chevon Kothari, Health and Human Services Director

RE: Agreement with American Indian Council

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve an Agreement with the American Indian Council of Mariposa to provide mental health services under the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) Mental Health Block Grant (MHBG) in the amount not to exceed $94,756; and authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to sign the Agreement.

The Department wishes to renew the sub-contract with the American Indian Council of Mariposa to provide mental health services for local American Indians via the Mi Wu Mati Healing Center. The contract will provide funding for a part-time mental health clinician and receptionist to serve clients in Fiscal Year 2019-2020.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The previous contract was approved by the Board on May 1, 2018, Resolution 2018-193.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
If this contract is not approved, the unique and reliable services of this facility would not be available to assist our local American Indians with mental health services.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
The continuation of the Mental Health Block Grant has been accounted for in the fiscal year 2019-2020 budget in the amount of $105,285. Upon approval of this contract, the County will retain 10% ($10,529) for fiscal and administrative oversight. The contract is not to exceed $94,756. This contract between American Indian Council of Mariposa and Mariposa County Human Services will have no impact on the County General Fund.

ATTACHMENTS:
American Indian Council Agreement 2020v2 [PDF]
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RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
SECONDER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
AYES: Rosemarie Smallcombe, Merlin Jones, Marshall Long, Kevin Cann
EXCUSED: Miles Menetrey