



M E M O R A N D U M
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
CHILDREN'S SYSTEM OF CARE
County of Placer

TO: Board of Supervisors

DATE: April 13, 2021

FROM: Robert L. Oldham, MD, MSHA, Director of Health and Human Services

SUBJECT: Approve Resolution to apply for and accept the Transitional Housing Program Allocation Award

ACTION REQUESTED

Adopt a Resolution to apply for and accept the Transitional Housing Program Allocation award issued by the State of California, Department of Housing and Community Development and authorize the Director of Health and Human Services to sign the award acceptance and related documentation with County Counsel concurrence.

BACKGROUND

Pursuant to the Budget Act of 2019 (Chapter 23 of the Statutes of 2019) and Chapter 11.7 of Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code (HSC), the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) has been directed to allocate \$8 million in funding to counties for the purpose of housing stability to help young adults 18 to 25 years secure and maintain housing, with priority given to young adults formerly in the foster care or probation systems.

The allocation is based on each county's percentage of the statewide number of young adults aged 18 to 25 and is unknown at this time. Funds are to be used for, but are not limited to the following activities: identification and assisting with housing services for this population in Placer County; assist this population to secure and maintain housing (with priority given to those in the state's foster care or probation system); improve coordination of services and linkages to community resources within the child welfare system and the Homeless Continuum of Care; and to provide engagement in outreach and targeting to serve those with the most severe needs.

Placer County Children's System of Care, Adult System of Care, and Human Services Divisions will work together with Probation to streamline and identify the transition age youth 18 – 25 years who are in need of these services. It is anticipated that community providers who already employ Housing Navigators will be approached to include and target this age group for support and services. Thus, contract amendments are likely to come back to your Board for approval in the coming months if direction is obtained for application and acceptance of these funds. The new resolution is necessary due to the retirement of the prior HHS Department Director and the requirement to remove his name from the resolution that was previously approved March 24, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT

The anticipated state funding is \$47,200 for the Transitional Housing Program are direct allocations with no County General Fund match. These funds are anticipated to be released by June 2021 and will need to be expended or returned by June 2022.

ATTACHMENT

Resolution

Before the Board of Supervisors County of Placer, State of California

In the matter of:

A Resolution Authorizing Application For and
Acceptance of The County Allocation Award
Under The Transitional Housing Program

Resolution No.: _____

The following Resolution was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of
Placer at a regular meeting held _____ by the following vote:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

Clerk of said Board

WHEREAS, the State of California, Department of Housing and Community
Development ("Department") issued an Allocation Acceptance form, dated February 7,
2020 under the Transitional Housing Program ("THP" or "Program") for \$8 million
authorized by item 2240-102-0001 of section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2019 (Chapter
23 of the Statutes of 2019) and Chapter 11.7 (commencing with Section 50807) of part
2 of Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code;

WHEREAS, the Allocation Acceptance form relates to the availability of the TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation funds; and

WHEREAS, Placer County (“Applicant”), was mentioned in the Allocation Acceptance form, dated February 7, 2020.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors for Placer County does hereby determine and declare as follows:

SECTION 1. That Applicant is hereby authorized and directed to apply for and accept their TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation award, as detailed in the Allocation Acceptance form, up to the amount authorized the Allocation Acceptance form and applicable state law.

SECTION 2. That the Director of Placer County Health and Human Services, or his or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to act on behalf of County in connection with the TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation award, and to enter into, execute, and deliver any and all documents required or deemed necessary or appropriate to be awarded the TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation award, and all amendments thereto (collectively, the “TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation Award Documents”).

SECTION 3. That Applicant shall be subject to the terms and conditions that are specified in the TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation Award Documents, and that Applicant will use the TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM Allocation award funds in accordance with the Allocation Acceptance form, other applicable rules and laws, the THP Program Documents, and any and all THP requirements.

