

County of Santa Clara Santa Clara Valley Health & Hospital System

Alcohol & Drug Services
Administration



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SUBJECT: Recognition of Grant Funds for Supervised Housing

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Approve Request for Appropriation Modification No. 120 – \$58,333 increasing revenue and expenditures in the Department of Alcohol and Drug Services budget. (4/5 Roll Call Vote)

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

There is no impact to the General Fund as a result of this action. The Santa Clara County Superior Court (Court) received a grant in the amount of \$300,000 for the period April 1, 2002 through March 31, 2004 from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs. Of this amount, the Court has allocated \$58,333 for FY 2003 and \$100,000 for FY 2004 to fund supervised housing for Drug Treatment Court clients. The funds to be recognized in the FY 2003 Department of Alcohol and Drug Services budget will be used to continue a contract with InnVision for these services.

CONTRACT HISTORY

The Department of Alcohol and Drug Services (DADS) entered into an agreement with InnVision in June of 2002 to provide supervised housing for clients of the Superior Court's Drug Treatment Court. InnVision agreed to provide nine beds (seven for men and two for women) at the Julian Street Inn for these clients.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

The collaboration between the Court, DADS and InnVision has worked well to meet the need of a number of the Court's clients for temporary housing while undergoing treatment. Recognition of the funds will allow this collaboration to continue to meet this need.

BACKGROUND

The Court regularly hears cases involving seriously mentally ill people who are dually diagnosed with alcohol and/or drug addiction (SMI/DD). Early in 2002, the Court informed DADS of the availability of grant funding for housing for SMI/DD clients. The Court was aware of InnVision's Julian Street Inn, a facility qualified to provide appropriately supervised housing for this population. The Court was also aware that DADS had contracts with InnVision for transitional housing, and offered to fund a new agreement to serve Court clients. On June 4, 2002, the Board approved the agreement with InnVision for supervised housing.

CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION

Failure to approve this action will impact the housing options available to SMI/DD clients.

ATTACHMENTS

- (Transmittal submitted on Jan 30, 2003 10:56:53 AM – PDF Version)
- F85 120 (Appropriation Modification (F-85))