TO: Board of Supervisors

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SUBJECT: Health and Human Services: Adopt Resolution authorizing Chair to execute agreements for the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Program General Education Diploma (GED) Courses and any amendment or pertinent documents thereto.

DATE: August 25, 2020

NUMBER: 415/2020

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve the Resolution authorizing the Chair to enter into and execute on behalf of the County of Yuba, and upon review and approval of County Counsel, Agreements with the CalWORKs Program GED courses for the period of July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2022, and to amend such Agreements as necessary.

Background

In order to eliminate barriers to employment, it is necessary for CalWORKs recipients to receive their GED. The Health and Human Services Department has the responsibility and has contracted with Yuba County Office of Education to provide GED education services when necessary to assist CalWORKs recipients to achieve and maintain self-sufficiency.

Discussion

The services provided under the Agreement will assist participants in achieving self-sufficiency by preparing them for unsubsidized employment, as well as creating job opportunities.

Committee Action:
The Human Services Committee was bypassed because the renewal of the Agreement is routine in nature and does not involve County General Funds.

FISCAL IMPACT

General Fund - None
Non-General Fund - $130,429.00
Source of Funds - Federal and State General Funds

Attachments

Item# 415/2020 Resolution Authorizing Chair to Execute GED Agreement with Yuba County Office of Education (YCOE)