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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS **Board Agenda Letter**

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Britt Ferguson for Nancy Watt - County Executive Officer

Regional Training Employment

REPORT BY: Bruce Wilson, Regional Analyst, 259-5903

SUBJECT: Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 6371 with the County of Sonoma Disability Contract

RECOMMENDATION

County Executive Officer requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign Amendment No. 2 to Agreement No. 6371 with the County of Sonoma extending the term through September 29, 2005, at no additional cost, to complete Project INCLUSION activities designed for people with disabilities seeking employment.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Pursuant to Paragraph 20(b)(2) of the agreement, today's proposed action will unilaterally amend the agreement to add three additional months to complete the final quarter of Project INCLUSION Year 4.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

There is no Environmental Impact for this item.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

In December 2004 the Board of Supervisors approved Agreement No. 6371 with the County of Sonoma to fund fourth year disability project activities designed to develop and coordinate a comprehensive system of partners to deliver more accessible employment services people with with disabilities. These projects are fully funded grant

programs from the U.S. Department of Labor, Office of Disability Employment Policy and the State of California, Employment Development Department.

The overall goal of these grant projects is to maximize the capacity and outcomes of the One-Stop Centers and their partners to effectively serve people with disabilities through customized employment strategies, partner building, and service navigation programs and to integrate these strategies into policy and practice of the One-Stops and their partners to increase employment, choice and wages for people with disabilities.

Pursuant to Paragraph 20(b)(2) of the agreement, Today's proposed action will unilaterally amend the agreement to extend the term by three additional months to allow Sonoma County to continue using existing resources to provide employment services to people with disabilities.

Sonoma County has seen the proposed unilateral amendment and concurs.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Helene Franchi