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

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Shelli Brobst for Randolph F. Snowden - Director

Health & Human Services

REPORT BY: Shelli Brobst, Contracts Analyst, 253-4720

SUBJECT: Agreement with Mohammad Abu-Hamdi dba Napa Valley Cab Company

RECOMMENDATION

Director of Health and Human Services requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign an agreement with Mohammad Abu-Hamdi, dba Napa Valley Cab Company, for a maximum of \$5,000 for the term September 13, 2005 through June 30, 2006 to provide transportation services for clients participating in the Napa County Emancipated Youth Ride Program.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Napa Valley Cab Company will provide transportation services to clients who are participating in the Napa County Emancipated Youth Ride Program.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? Yes
Is it currently budgeted? Yes

Where is it budgeted? Social Services
Is it Mandatory or Discretionary? Discretionary

Discretionary Justification: This contract is fully funded from the Emancipated Youth Stipends HHSA

receives from the State.

Is the general fund affected? No

Future fiscal impact: Although the agreement terminates June 30, 2006, the agreement contains an

automatic renewal, which allows the County to continue these services into

the next fiscal year. Appropriations will be budgeted accordingly.

Consequences if not approved: Transportation for the program will not be provided.

Additional Information: None

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

A number of emancipated youth 18-21 years old do not own a vehicle or have a regular, consistent means of transportation. The Napa County Emancipated Youth Ride Program is designed to transport emancipated youth involved in the Napa County Independent Living Program. The ride program provides a reliable and safe transportation alternative for these emancipated youth and allows them to go to and from ILP workshops and meetings. Vouchers for taxicab rides are available to individuals who qualify and are registered in the Napa County ILP via a TILP (Transitional Independent Living Plan). The service area is defined as the area of Napa County from American Canyon (South) to Calistoga (North). Transportation must remain within Napa County geographical boundaries with a cost not to exceed \$85 per trip.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Lorenzo Zialcita