

**County of San Diego Board of Supervisors
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET**

AGENDA ITEM SUBJECT/TITLE:

DISTRICT ATTORNEY - REQUEST TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS AND APPROVAL OF A SINGLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT FOR THE ENHANCED TRAINING AND SERVICES TO END ABUSE IN LATER LIFE PROGRAM (DISTRICTS: ALL)

REQUIRES FOUR VOTES:

Yes ☐ No ☒

WRITTEN DISCLOSURE PER COUNTY CHARTER SECTION §1000.1 REQUIRED:

Yes ☐ No ☒

NOTICED PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED:

Yes ☐ No ☒

PROJECT UNDER CEQA:

Yes ☐ No ☒

If Yes, approval of CEQA document required?

Yes ☐ No ☒

DECISION WITHIN GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 84308:

Yes ☒ No ☐

PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOARD ACTIONS:

DECEMBER 11, 2018 (20), DISTRICT ATTORNEY - APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE TO LEASE AND/OR PURCHASE SITE(S) FOR FAMILY SAFETY AND CARE CENTERS (DISTRICTS:ALL)

MARCH 16, 2021 (5), DISTRICT ATTORNEY - REQUEST TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT GRANT FUNDS AND AUTHORIZATION OF A SINGLE SOURCE SERVICE CONTRACT FOR THE ENHANCED TRAINING AND SERVICES TO END ABUSE IN LATER LIFE PROGRAM (DISTRICTS:ALL)

BOARD POLICIES APPLICABLE:

A-87, Competitive Procurement

BOARD POLICY STATEMENTS:

Board Policy A-87, Competitive Procurement - Authorize single source procurement for victim services from Women's Resource Center (WRC).

Item and Service and Term Period: The Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) Later Life Program supports comprehensive approaches to addressing domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, exploitation and neglect for victims who are 50 years of age and older. Women's Resource Center's services include stakeholder trainings, safety planning, resource navigation and warm connection to services, court accompaniment when needed, and coordination of wrap-around services at the District Attorney's Family Justice Centers (FJC) and/or other community resources. The proposed agreement includes an initial term of three years, with the option to extend for an additional five years, if necessary.

Benefits to the County of San Diego: Continuity of collaboration would enhance current processes, improve service delivery for elder victims impacted by crime, and facilitate equitable access to information and services throughout San Diego County. The District Attorney is committed to supporting victims through the development of regionalized FJCs designed and founded on victim-centered best practices. By co-locating criminal justice and victim service providers, these centers will foster communication and promote responsive strategies that address the cultural, economic, and access barriers for older adults.

Justification: A-87(1)(D)(6): The procurement is for goods and/or services where continuity of providers will provide efficiency or critical knowledge, and other providers of the goods and/or services cannot provide similar efficiencies or critical knowledge. The granting agency requires applicants to partner with a victim services provider that specializes in both domestic violence and sexual assault. WRC meets this requirement and is the current victim service provider of the OVW Later Life program. WRC has critical knowledge and experience working with the OVW program goals, strategic plan, and project implementation. WRC has already completed onboarding and training staff to deliver direct services to older victims. To avoid disruptions associated with a lengthy procurement process, onboarding a new service provider, and training new staff, it is most efficient and fiscally responsible to continue the existing contract

with WRC for the OVW Later Life program.

Fair and Reasonable Price: All contracts are subject to negotiation and determination of a fair and reasonable price. Fair and reasonable pricing has been determined on the basis of similar job category salary data. Data from the Federal GSA database was used to confirm that pricing is fair and reasonable.

MANDATORY COMPLIANCE:
N/A

ORACLE AWARD NUMBER(S) AND CONTRACT AND/OR REQUISITION NUMBER(S):
N/A

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: DISTRICT ATTORNEY

OTHER CONCURRENCE(S): DEPARTMENT OF PURCHASING AND CONTRACTING

INTERNAL REVIEW COMPLETED: YES ☒ NO ☐ Cassidy Castiglione
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