

AGENDA ITEM: 24-17 DATE OF MEETING: May 8, 2024 ACTION: ⊠ INFORMATION: □

AUTHORIZE PROP 10 FUNDING FOR CONTINUITY OF HOME VISITING SERVICES [\$200,000 – PROP 10 FUNDS]

SUMMARY OF REQUEST

Authorize Prop 10 funds to align the duration of programming to continue serving families for the expected duration of the model. This funding would support families already enrolled in state or federal-funded Home Visiting Program (HVP) who are exited due to strict eligibility requirements or were deemed ineligible after the start of HVP services.

BACKGROUND

<u>On May 10, 2023 (Action Item 23-24)</u> the Commission approved to leverage existing contracts with six (6) home visiting provider agencies to enroll families in Parents as Teachers administering the CalWORKs Home Visiting Program.

State and Federal funding streams limit the duration of services for many families. Strict funding eligibility requirements exit families from Home Visiting programs earlier than home visiting models evidence base recommends or often before the family is ready, creating a gap between model design and practice.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Commission:

1. Authorize funding not to exceed \$200,000 effective July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2026, and authorize the Executive Director or designee to negotiate and execute necessary contracts, documents, budget adjustments, amendments, and other necessary actions to ensure continuity for home visiting services through existing contracted partners as needed.

BUDGET IMPACT

Adequate appropriation exists in the FY 24/25 and FY 25/26 budgets (938001-25800-92945-527980-Prop 10 Funds)

STRATEGIC PLAN RELEVANCE

Goal 2: Comprehensive Health and Development

POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

Commissioner, Vice Chair Jose Campos, Director of Jurupa Unified School District.

ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Agenda Item 23-24, Approve 14 Contracts in Alignment with Riverside County Children and Families Strategic Plan through 2026
- 2. Agenda Item 23-24 Attachment B Proposed Partner Agency Funding FY 23/24 FY 25/26