

A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR'S SIGNATURE ON AN APPLICATION WITH THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, OFFICE OF DRUG CONTROL POLICY, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY HEALTH, BYRNE GRANT FOR THE JUVENILE DIVERSION/RESTORATION PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$206,099 FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2000 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2001; AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN THE NOTICE OF GRANT AWARD; AMENDING THE BUDGET; ELIMINATING A GRANT FUNDED PUBLIC DEFENDER POSITION AND AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATOR TO SIGN DELEGATE CONTRACTS

WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

May 3, 2000

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Prosecutor is requesting the Board of Commissioners ratify the County Administrator's signature on an application with the State of Michigan, Office of Drug Control Policy, Department of Community Mental Health, Byrne Memorial Grant Program in the amount of \$206,099 for one year commencing from October 1, 2000 and ending September 30, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the Washtenaw County Prosecutor's Office wishes to continue a pilot juvenile diversion/restoration program for children at risk in Washtenaw County; and

WHEREAS, the three priorities of this program will be public safety, accountability, and competency development, recognizing victim and offender restoration as critical goals of community justice; and

WHEREAS, the funding in the amount of \$206,099 from the Office of Drug Control Policy – Byrne Memorial Grant Program will cover 60% of the personnel and equipment costs of the program which will target the Byrne's Purpose Area which entails juvenile intervention strategies; and

WHEREAS, there is a 40% match requirement which will be budgeted in the 2001 amended budget which will be brought to the Board of Commissioners in November in the amount of \$82,439; and

WHEREAS, in this unique pilot program we will continue working in partnership with school liaison officers, law enforcement, school administration in identifying children at risk would be the tertiary method of referral.

WHEREAS, the diversion/restoration team will be comprised of a prosecuting attorney, compliance officer, two social workers located in geographically strategic locations in the eastern and western sector of the county to insure parity of services; and

WHEREAS, the prosecutor, and compliance officer would serve as mediators for juveniles at risk/offenders, and victims in determining restoration. They will prepare contracts that the youth would be required to adhere to or be levied additional restorative measures; and

WHEREAS, the social workers would be a resource for community diversion projects for the children at risk. Their initial assessment would determine the most appropriate and constructive diversion for the youth to achieve competency development and serve as a preventative measure for not entering the juvenile justice system.

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that approximately 150 to 200 youth will be served during the grant period; and

WHEREAS, this matter has been reviewed by the County Administrator's Office, the Finance Department, Corporation Counsel and the Ways and Means Committee;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners ratifies the County Administrator's signature on the grant continuation application with the State of Michigan, Office of Drug Control Policy, Department of Community Health for the Byrne Memorial Grant Funding Program, as on file with the County Clerk

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Commissions approves the following actions, upon receipt of this grant award in conformity with the application:

1. Authorizes the County Administrator to sign he Notice of Grant Award
2. Amending the budget, as attached hereto and made a part hereof
3. Authorizes the County Administrator to sign delegate contract(s) upon review of Corporation Counsel to be filed with the County Clerk
4. Authorize the elimination of the following position:

<u>Position Number</u>	<u>Position Title</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Employee Group</u>	<u># Eliminate</u>
2705-0011 (G)	Assistant Public Defender I/II	27/29	23	1 FTE

PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE  
 BYRNE MEMORIAL GRANT FUNDING  
 JUVENILE DIVERSION/RESTORATION  
 PROGRAM

1890004300

	Current Budget	Revised Budget	Variance
<b>REVENUES</b>			
54000 State Revenue	\$0	\$123,660	\$123,660
69500 Transfers In	\$0	\$82,439	\$82,439
Total	\$0	\$206,099	\$206,099
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
70050 Personal Services	\$0	\$189,490	\$189,490
72600 Supplies/Other Services	\$0	\$5,805	\$5,805
95000 Capital Outlay	\$0	\$10,804	\$10,804
Total	\$0	\$206,099	\$206,099

Indirect Costs = \$0