

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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FROM: Department of Public Social Services

SUBMITTAL DATE:
11/25/03

SUBJECT: Agreement #CW1452-00 with the City of Riverside for the Arlanza Neighborhood Initiative

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors approve and:

- 1) Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign the attached Agreement #CW1452-00 between the City of Riverside and the Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) to fund the purchase of equipment for the Arlanza Neighborhood Initiative child care center, for the term December 10, 2003 through April 15, 2004, not to exceed \$40,000;
- 2) Authorize the Purchasing Agent to sign any Amendments which do not exceed the Board-approved allocation;
- 3) Authorize the Director of DPSS to sign assurances, exhibits, and reports made under the Agreement; and
- 4) Authorize the Director of DPSS to administer the MOU.

Dennis J. Boyle
Dennis J. Boyle, Director

COUNTY COUNSEL
NOV 25 2003
BY *[Signature]*

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 40,000	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 03/04

SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Federal (TANF) funds	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature *Don Martin*

Dep't Recomm.: Consent Policy
Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent Policy



Prev. Agn. Ref.: 10/21/03, #3.16 | District: 1 | Agenda Number:

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BACKGROUND:

On October 21, 2003 (Agenda #3.16) the Economic Development Agency submitted for approval, and the Board approved, the use of Riverside County Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds for the construction of the Arlanza Community Center. This center is a collaborative effort between the City of Riverside, Riverside County Department of Mental Health, Department of Public Social Services, Alvard/Riverside Unified School Districts, community based organizations, and neighborhood residents, making this a "one stop" service facility.

In support of this "one stop" facility, DPSS desires to use a portion of their CalWORKs allocation to fund the purchase of equipment to help the City of Riverside equip the Arlanza Neighborhood Initiative child care center in the Arlanza Community Center. CalWORKs is California's enactment of the federal Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program. The State of California TANF program has one-time Incentive Funds available for the current fiscal year and has made a portion of these funds available to Riverside County DPSS.

The purchase of indoor and outdoor equipment for the child care center would create a quality preschool program which research has shown provides long-term positive effects of early education in children's development including:

- Higher high school completion rates
- Higher employment rates
- Lower levels of juvenile crime and arrests
- Lower rates of teenage pregnancy

Therefore, the Director of DPSS requests that the Board approve the attached Agreement between the City of Riverside and DPSS, for the term December 10, 2003 through April 15, 2004, not to exceed \$40,000.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: No County General Funds will be required.

CONCUR/EXECUTE: County Counsel

DB:clh