

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

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FROM: DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES

SUBMITTAL DATE:
February 24, 2009

**SUBJECT: HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT GRANT AGREEMENT—
U.S. VETERANS INITIATIVE (HU 3272-00 / CA16B708015)**

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors approve and:

1. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign the attached Grant Agreement between DPSS and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for the attached U.S. Veterans Initiative (USVI) Supportive Housing Program (SHP) Grant for \$550,000 for two (2) years after the USVI Veterans In Progress operation start date;
2. Authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign the attached contract HU 3272-00, between DPSS and the U.S. Veterans Initiative;
3. Authorize the Purchasing Agent to sign ministerial amendments with the U.S. Veterans Initiative, not to exceed the maximum amount of the Grant Agreement (\$550,000); and
4. Authorize the Director of DPSS to administer the agreement with the U.S. Veterans Initiative.

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL
BY: Carisa McKenna DATE: 2/26/09
Department of Public Social Services

Mark Sailer
Mark Sailer, Assistant Director

Susan Loew
Susan Loew, Director

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 274,999.00	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	08/09

SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Federal Funds—HUD Supportive Housing Program	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE
BY: Debra Cournoyer
Debra Cournoyer

County Executive Office Signature

Dept. Recomm.:
 Policy
 Per Exec. Ofc.:
 Policy
 Consent
 Policy
 Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: (5/22/07, #3.32) | **District:** 1 | **Agenda Number:**

ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

3.38

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BACKGROUND:

On May 22, 2007 (Agenda Item 3.32), the Board authorized DPSS to submit an application for Homeless Assistance funds to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, which included the *new* Veterans In Progress (VIP) supportive housing project operated through a contract between U.S. Veterans Initiative and DPSS to provide transitional housing to homeless veterans.

The VIP project is a 50 bed program in which residents may stay up to 24 months. One hundred percent of residents in this program are homeless veterans. This Agreement provides funding for supportive services, property leasing, operations, and administrative costs. The U.S. Veterans Initiative has a cash match obligation of approximately \$108,127.

The U.S. Veterans Initiative will use an existing homeless facility on March Air Reserve Base to provide additional supportive services for residents of supportive housing and/or homeless persons not residing in supportive housing.

As a new project, it is anticipated that program participants will come from the following places: 10% from the street or other locations not meant for human habitation; 10% from emergency shelters; and 80% transitional housing facilities.

FINANCIAL DATA:

No County General Funds are required.

CONCUR/EXECUTE: County Purchasing

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Grant Agreement (3 copies) between the County of Riverside and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
2. Contract between DPSS and U.S. Veterans Initiative

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