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



FROM: Probation Department

May 7, 2015

**SUBJECT:** Establish a Ward Welfare Fund for the Riverside County Probation Department; Districts – All; [N/A]

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Direct the Auditor Controller's Office to establish an interest bearing Ward Welfare Fund pursuant to Section 873(b) of the Welfare and Institutions Code; and

2. Authorize the Chief Probation Officer to expend the Ward Welfare Funds for the benefit, education and welfare of confined youth in Riverside County.

## **BACKGROUND:**

## **Summary**

The Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 873 authorizes the County to establish and maintain a Ward Welfare Fund for the benefit, education, and welfare of the youth confined within the county juvenile facilities. Pursuant to Section 873(d) of the Welfare and Institutions Code, any money, refund, rebate, or commission received for the use of pay telephones by confined youth at the juvenile facilities shall be deposited in the Ward Welfare Fund.

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Mark A. Hake

Chief Probation Officer

Rosario R. Rull, Assistant Chief

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NET COUNTY COST \$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$ N/A	\$	N/A	Consent  Policy	Policy &
<b>6</b> :				<b>Budget Adjustm</b>	nent: No	
				For Fiscal Year:	2014	/15
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C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

**APPROVE** 

**County Executive Office Signature** 

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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FORM 11: Establish a Ward Welfare Fund for the Riverside County Probation Department; Districts - All;

[N/A]

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## **BACKGROUND:**

**Summary (continued)** 

On August 27, 2013, the County of Riverside entered into a personal service agreement with NCIC Inmate Phone Service (NCIC) to provide pay phone services within the Probation Department's juvenile facilities. According to the terms of the agreement, there is no cost to the County for the installation, maintenance or billing of the pay phone system. In accordance with the terms of the agreement, NCIC may pay the Probation Department up to thirty percent (30%) of revenue generated by the pay phone system.

Moneys generated from this program shall be deposited into a Ward Welfare Fund, per WIC section 873(d), which shall be established in the treasury of the County (WIC 873 (b)). Moneys deposited in the Ward Welfare fund shall be expended by the Chief Probation Officer and used for the benefit, education, and welfare of the wards and detainees confined at juvenile facilities. Any funds not needed for the welfare of the confined wards and detainees may be expended by the Chief Probation Officer at his sole discretion for the maintenance of County juvenile facilities (WIC 873(e)).

## Impact on Citizens and Businesses

There is no impact to the citizens and businesses of Riverside County.