

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



ITEM: 2.6
(ID # 18949)

MEETING DATE:
Tuesday, May 10, 2022

FROM : SHERIFF-CORONER-PA:

SUBJECT: SHERIFF- CORONER- PA: Receive and File the FY2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) Grant, Funded by the Fiscal Year 2020 Edward J. Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program, All Districts, [\$0]

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive and File the FY2020 CESF Grant Report, Funded by Fiscal Year 2020 Edward J. Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

ACTION:Consent


Edward Delgado, Assistant Sheriff 5/3/2022

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Washington seconded by Supervisor Jeffries and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is received and filed as recommended.

Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez, and Hewitt
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: May 10, 2022
xc: Sheriff

Kecia R. Harper
Clerk of the Board

By: 
Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost
COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% Federal Funding			Budget Adjustment:	No
			For Fiscal Year:	21/22

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

BR: 22-092

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 10/5/2021; #2.5

BACKGROUND:

Summary

On April 27, 2021 agenda item 3.25, the Riverside County Board of Supervisors accepted the Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding (CESF) in the amount of \$3,321,765, funded by the Fiscal Year 2020 Edward J. Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program administered through the State of California Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) Grant Agreement. The Board also directed staff to report back the progress of the grant.

The CESF program provides ex-offender re-entry services with four Community Based Organizations: Inland Southern California, Victory Outreach, Transcendence Children and Family, Destiny Ministries Church, and San Bernardino Community College in the total aggregate amount of \$784,353 to provide free COVID testing, transitional housing, peer support, direct employment, job retention services for probationers, individualized employment assistance, job placement, mentorship, logistics training, COVID-19 awareness workshops, and suicide prevention counseling. The subrecipients are responsible for adhering to federal and BSCC grant guidelines, as a condition of receiving CESF Program funding.

The Sheriff's Department is using the \$2,537,412 to reduce the risk and spread of COVID-19 infections within the detention facilities, provide reentry services, and prepare inmates for the transition from incarceration back into their communities. In preparation for release, each inmate receives information and training on COVID-19 prevention to maximize health and safety and minimize the risks of contracting COVID-19. Inmates work with dedicated counselors and staff to assist in the assessment and development of a personalized transitional plan focused on basic needs, job search, life skills, and career development. Upon release from custody, inmates receive a COVID-19 kit to include face masks, disposable gloves, alcohol wipes, hand sanitizer, a disposable thermometer, an informational brochure on COVID-19 prevention, and a Reentry Resource Packet to include a community-based resource guide, informational brochures on government benefits and

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community-based services. Discharged inmates are eligible to receive reentry support services for up to 180-days after release from custody. Counselors document and track progress towards accomplishing goals, objectives, and benchmarks; while providing the ex-offender referrals to organizations that provide support services, job training, employment, housing, transportation, and health care education.

ATTACHMENTS:

CESF Grant 2nd Quarter Overview

Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Fund
Grant Program Activities

C E S F G r a n t - S e m i - A n n u a l O v e r v i e w

The following information provides a semi-annual overview of the Riverside County Sheriff's CESF Grant program activities between July 1 through December 31, 2021.

Riverside County Sheriff's Department				
Claim Period 7/1/2021 - 12/31/2021				
PPE Kits & Reentry Services and Information Distribution				
	In-custody Services			Release Packets
	# Inmates Participating in COVID Prevention & Reentry Planning Services	# Transitional Reentry Plans, Referrals & ReSET Resource Information	COVID Prevention Flyers Distributed	COVID PPE Kits, Preventative Information, & Reentry Resource Packets Provided
Totals	25,345	762	7,500	22,553