

RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

<u>Title</u>

Notification of Renewal of Drug and Alcohol Evaluation and Referral Services (RFQ 33-021)

Committee Flow: Judicial/Public Safety Committee, Executive Committee, County Board

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Budget Information:

Was this item budgeted? Y	Appropriation Amount: N/A
If not budgeted, explain funding source: see below	

Summary:

Court Services will connect individuals under its supervision to substance abuse services as required by court order or at the discretion of trained staff. Following a Request for Qualifications (RFQ 33-021), Court Services created a roster of qualified, community-based providers of drug and alcohol evaluations and referral services. Initial agreements between Court Services and each rostered agency have expired, but the RFQ as issued allows for extensions. Court Services will continue to minimize the impact of financial barriers on the substance abuse needs of individuals by opting for extensions with the following agencies: Ecker Center for Behavioral Health, Associates in Behavioral Health Care, Braden Counseling Center, Care Clinics, Mutual Ground (formerly Breaking Free), and Tools for Life.

These services will be paid from collected probation fees with no impact on the general fund.