CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM

Petitioner: Jill Marano, Director of Family Services

Recommendation:

Ratify the acceptance of Amendment 1 to the Chafee Independent Living grant awarded by the State of Nevada Health and Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services to extend the grant term through September 30, 2023; and authorize and approve the reclassification of four (4) full time Limited Perm Family Services Assistant (C22) positions to four (4) Family Services Technicians (C25); and the continuation of one (1) Office Specialist (C22), two (2) Family Service Specialist I/II (C28) and one (1) Family Services Supervisor (C30) during the grant fund period and authorize the director to sign any additional grant documents related thereto and accept any funds awarded. (For possible action)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fund #:	2031.000	Fund Name:	County Grants
Fund Center:	1250812000	Funded PGM/Grant:	1250.Chafee.2023
Amount:	\$867,003		
Description:	Chafee Independent Living		
Additional Comments:	In-kind match \$216,751.00		

BACKGROUND:

On July 21, 2020 the Board of County Commissioners authorized the Department of Family Services to accept a grant award from the State of Nevada Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services for the John H. Chafee Foster Care Independent Living Program for the Successful Transition to Adulthood in the amount of \$828,836.00, effective July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

This ratification to Amendment # 1 would allow the Department of Family Services to extend the current grant term through September 30, 2023 and reclassify the Family Services Assistant (C22) positions to Family Services Technician (C25) positions to remain competitive within the labor market.

Due to the urgent need to submit the signed Subaward Amendment # 1 for consideration, DFS was not able to submit for Board Approval prior to submitting document to the state.

Cleared for Agenda

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