CLARK COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM

Petitioner: Tim Burch, the Administrator of Human Services

Recommendation:

Ratify the submission of the grant application to the State of Nevada Department of Health and Human Services – Division of Public & Behavioral Health in the amount of \$235,731 for the period July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022 to fund prevention and treatment of substance abuse; approve and authorize the continuation of two grant funded part time positions: one (1) Management Assistant position and one (1) Facilitation/Mediation Specialist for the period which the grant funds are available; and authorize Administrator or his designee to sign any additional grant documents related thereto and accept funds awarded. (For possible action)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fund #:	2031.000	Fund Name:	County Grants
Fund Center:	1250812000	Funded PGM/Grant:	1250.BHPT.2022
Amount:	\$235,731		
Description:	Substance Abuse Services		
Additional Comments:	N/A		

BACKGROUND:

On May 25, 2021 the Clark County Department of Family Services (DFS) received notification from the State of Nevada Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Public & Behavioral Health (DCFS) announcing the release of Request for Application to fund prevention and treatment of substance abuse services for DFS clients involved with child protective services.

Approval of this item will allow DFS to contract services from eligible Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Agencies to assess the mental health needs of DFS clients with drug/alcohol related disorders and authorize the continuation of two (2) part time Management Assistant (\$17.30-\$30) position and Facilitation/Mediation Specialist (\$12 - \$25) position to support the parent's drug treatment through collaboration between the Court, DFS and the Clients.

Due to the timeframe between the grant announcement and submission due date, the grant application was submitted to DCFS on 06/01/2021 prior to Board approval.

Cleared for Agenda

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