



**SAN BENITO COUNTY
AGENDA ITEM
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Item Number: 1.6

MEETING DATE: 11/12/2024

DEPARTMENT: COUNTY COUNSEL

AGENDA ITEM PREPARER: Barbara Thompson

DEPT HEAD/DIRECTOR: David Prentice

SUBJECT:

COUNTY COUNSEL - D. PRENTICE

Approve Budget Adjustment/Appropriation(s) of \$151,989.00, in additional funds received from the state, to be added to the account for public defender services, to be expended for public defender post-conviction work. (4/5 vote required)

SBC FILE NUMBER: 160

AGENDA SECTION:

CONSENT AGENDA

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:

The sum of \$76,960 was received last fiscal year, and because it was not expended last year by the then Public Defender, it was rolled over and used towards public defense purposes, not for the post-conviction work that was originally intended. Therefore, this budget request recognizes new revenue in the amount of \$75,029, received for this fiscal year, and transfers the amount of \$76,960 for revenue that was received last year and needs to be expended for public defender post-conviction work.

The legal services agreement with the Public Defenders' office is being amended to provide these services and will be brought before the Board for approval at a future meeting.

RESOLUTION OR ORDINANCE NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:

N/A

CONTRACT NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:

No

RFP AND BID HISTORY:

N/A

LAST CONTRACT AMOUNT OR N/A:

N/A

CONTRACT HISTORY (Describe all amendments and previous contracts):

N/A

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 1. Operational Development & Excellence

Yes

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 2. Planning And Sustainable Growth

No

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 3. Technology

No

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 4. Community Engagement

Yes

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 5. Health & Safe Community

Yes

BUDGETED:

No

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT NEEDED:

Yes

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Non-general Fund

UNFUNDED MANDATE:

No

SBC BUDGET LINE ITEM NUMBER:

101.15.1030.1000.619.210

CURRENT FY COST:

\$189,4890

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

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ATTACHMENTS:

[PDPP Funds Budget adjustment](#)