

WOODBURY COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA ITEM(S) REQUEST FORM

Date: 02/08/2024

Weekly Agenda Date: 02/13/2024

ELECTED OFFICIAL / DEPARTMENT HEAD / CITIZEN: Supervsr. Bittinger/Anna Bertrand

WORDING FOR AGENDA ITEM:

Opioid Remediation Settlement Request and Proposal from Sky Ranch Behavioral Services for 3 F.T.E. positions.

ACTION REQUIRED:

Approve Ordinance

Approve Resolution

Approve Motion

Public Hearing

Other: Informational

Attachments

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

Sky Ranch Behavioral Services (SRBS) is requesting two years of funding in the amount of \$242,648 per year (\$485,296 over a two-year period) to fund 3 F.T.E. positions in alignment with the recommended Opioid Remediation Settlement approved uses guidelines.

BACKGROUND:

Sky Ranch Behavioral Services (SRBS) is requesting two years of funding in the amount of \$242,648 per year (\$485,296 over a two-year period). SRBS is requesting funding to support and address two key needs and priorities in the Siouxland area. 1. Connecting Individuals to Care and Addressing the Needs of Criminal Justice Involved Persons, and 2. Supporting People in Treatment and Recovery with Peer Recovery Services. Both areas of focus are highlighted priorities in the in the Opioid Remediation Funding Guidance in Part I Treatment, Items B, C, and D.

Sky Ranch Behavioral Services (SRBS) will implement access and connections to care for the general community of Woodbury County and for individuals (youth and adults) who are Criminal Justice Involved. This is a critical need for Woodbury County based on current substance use trends and the increasing crisis in mental health for youth and adults.

See backup materials.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

Sky Ranch Behavioral Services (SRBS) is requesting two years of funding in the amount of \$242,648 per year (\$485,296 over a two-year period) to fund 3 positions per year, program materials, certifications, technology needs, etc.

See backup materials for a detailed breakdown of funding needs.

IF THERE IS A CONTRACT INVOLVED IN THE AGENDA ITEM, HAS THE CONTRACT BEEN SUBMITTED AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR AND ANSWERED WITH A REVIEW BY THE COUNTY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE?

Yes No

RECOMMENDATION:

Informational Only

ACTION REQUIRED / PROPOSED MOTION:

Informational Only