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PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

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Meeting Date: Au	gust 25, 2020	[X]	Consent Ordinance	[]	Regular Public Hearing		
Department: Submitted By:	Department of Public Safety Department of Public Safety						
Submitted For:	<u>Division of Jus</u>	tice Serv	<u>ices</u> =======				

I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to receive and file: the following Amendments to Contracts/Interlocal Agreement for Adult and Youth Reentry Services:

- A. First Amendment to Contract #R2019-1568 The Lord's Place, Inc. (TLP);
- B. First Amendment to Contract #R2019-1569 Gulfstream Goodwill Industries, Inc. (GGI);
- C. First Amendment to Interlocal Agreement #R2019-1570 The City of Riviera Beach Reentry Center (RB); and
- D. First Amendment to Contract #R2019-1571 Gulfstream Goodwill Industries, Inc. (GGI) Youth Reentry.

Summary: Palm Beach County Division of Justice Services subcontracts with three reentry providers to coordinate adult and juvenile reentry services to those returning to Palm Beach County from incarceration. On October 8, 2019, the Board of County Commissioners authorized the County Administrator or designee to execute amendments and administrative documents associated with these contracts on behalf of the Board of County Commissioners after approval of legal sufficiency by the County Attorney's Office and within budgeted allocations. The first amendment to TLP, GGI, RB, and GGI – Youth Reentry provides more information about case management services and reporting deadlines and removes the Client Acknowledgement Form for pro-social activities. The first amendment to TLP, GGI, and RB clarifies that the maximum amounts per reentry participant for client support services applies to Florida Department of Corrections (FDC) funding only, and allocates funding from the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) and Department of Justice (DOJ) grants to reentry services. Exclusively, the first amendment to GGI and GGI - Youth Reentry changes the staff contact information for notices required in this contract. Furthermore, the first amendment to TLP removes the timesheet requirement for pre-release case management reimbursement to adhere to the FY20 FDC Purchase Order. These contract amendments are retroactive to November 22, 2019. **Countywide** (SF)

Background and Justification: Continued on page 3.

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1) First Amendment to Contract for Adult Reentry - TLP

2) First Amendment to Contract for Adult Reentry - GGI

3) First Amendment to Interlocal Agreement for Adult Reentry - RB

4) First Amendment to Contract for Youth Reentry - GGI

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	Departme	nt Director		Date	
Approved By:			8/3/2020		
-	Deputy County Administrator		Date		

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

Department Director

Background and Justification (continued from page 1):

Palm Beach County has developed a Strategic Plan for providing effective and coordinated reentry services to those returning from incarceration. The programs are intended to reduce recidivism among transitioning offenders as well as reduce future victimization, enhance public safety and improve the lives of communities, victims and offenders. Subcontracts were awarded to three reentry providers through a competitive process and will ensure that the County will continue to meet the needs of those returning from incarceration. Reentry services are customized to each individual's unique needs, but include outreach services, case management, risk and needs assessments, transitional housing, employment assistance, transportation assistance and substance abuse and mental health treatment. These contracts are funded through ad valorem funds, Justice Assistance Grant funding from DOJ and FDLE, and a legislative allocation from the State of Florida, FDC. Palm Beach County is the recipient of funding from state and federal levels, the three reentry providers are sub-recipients receiving a sub-award.