



APPROVAL OF MOU WITH COUNTY OF SONOMA,
PROBATION FOR EXTENSION OF THE SANTA ROSA
VIOLENCE PREVENTION PARTNERSHIP'S GUIDING
PEOPLE SUCCESSFULLY PROGRAM

City Council Meeting
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BACKGROUND

- The Guiding People Successfully Program (GPS), provides a coordinated approach to identifying youth who are at risk of gang involvement.
- GPS connects youth to a network of services designed to identify alternatives and redirect behavior.
- The County of Sonoma's Department of Probation has committed to fund the current program model and staffing level for the period July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019

BACKGROUND (cont.)

- That agreement has been formalized in a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in the amount of \$187,559
- This MOU will provide full funding for the Wraparound Coordinator's salary and benefits, including travel and training, as well as fund the subscription cost of the Apricot data-sharing software for a 15-month term of the agreement.

RECOMMENDATION

- It is recommended by the Office of Community Engagement that the Council, by resolution, authorize the City Manager or designee to approve and execute the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with County of Sonoma, Probation for extension of the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership's Guiding People Successfully Program beginning July 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

QUESTIONS?