RESOLUTION NO. RES-2018-187

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA AWARDING CALIFORNIA VIOLENCE INTERVENTION AND PREVENTION (CALVIP) PROGRAM GRANTS TO INDIVIDUALS NOW (DOING BUSINESS AS SOCIAL ADVOCATES FOR YOUTH) IN THE AMOUNT OF \$170,000, AND LIFEWORKS OF SONOMA COUNTY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$130,000 AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPROVE AND EXECUTE THE GRANT FUNDING AGREEMENTS

WHEREAS, in 2003 the City Council unanimously supported the establishment of the Mayor's Gang Prevention Task Force (renamed the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership in 2014), a collaboration of private citizens, representatives from city, county, and state government, local community-based organizations, schools, parents, faith-based organizations and local law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, the focus of the work of the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership is to intervene in the lives of youth to provide positive socialization opportunities as alternatives to criminal involvement and to deter them from other maladaptive behaviors; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Rosa and the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership utilize a regionalized, collaborative approach to reduce gang activity through the use of evidence-informed prevention, intervention and suppression activities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Rosa received funding for seven consecutive years, from 2010 through 2017, from the California Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) through the California Gang Reduction, Intervention and Prevention (CalGRIP) Program; and

WHEREAS, the BSCC's CalGRIP Program was discontinued after the 2017 grant cycle, and replaced by the California Violence Intervention and Prevention (CalVIP) Program beginning in 2018; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Rosa submitted a grant proposal on January 22, 2018 to the BSCC for the CalVIP Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Rosa's 2018- 2020 California Violence Intervention and Prevention (CalVIP) grant proposal was selected for funding in the amount of \$500,000 for the program term of September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the grant requires a minimum of 50% of the funding to be awarded to community-based organizations; and

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WHEREAS, the Office of Community Engagement selected Individuals Now (doing business as Social Advocates for Youth) and LifeWorks of Sonoma County, which met the evidence-informed program requirements of the CalVIP grant proposal, as the sub-recipient agencies to be included for submission of the proposal; and

WHEREAS, the proposed grants to Individuals Now (doing business as Social Advocates for Youth) in the amount of \$170,000 and LifeWorks of Sonoma County in the amount of \$130,000, require Council award; and

WHEREAS, the proposed grant agreements with these grantees require Council approval unless delegated to the City Manager.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa awards CalVIP grants to Individuals Now (doing business as Social Advocates for Youth) in the amount of \$170,000, and LifeWorks of Sonoma County, in the amount of \$130,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council authorizes the City Manager, or designee, to approve and execute the grant funding agreements with these grantees, subject to approval as to form by the City Attorney.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 23rd day of October, 2018.

- AYES: (6) Vice Mayor Rogers, Council Members Combs, Olivares, Sawyer, Schwedhelm, Tibbetts
- NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (1) Mayor Coursey

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: _____

_____ APPROVED: _____

Vice Mayor

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney