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THE SAMUEL L. JONES HALL HOMELESS SHELTER FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022/2023

BACKGROUND: Following a study session on November 9, 2021, Council directed staff to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for the provision of homeless services. The RFP was released on November 15, 2021 with a due date of December 20, 2021 and sought proposals from qualified and experienced organizations to provide homeless services and for operation of the City-owned Samuel L. Jones Hall Homeless Shelter (SJH) for the upcoming Fiscal Year 2022/2023. A total of seven proposals were received: three for SJH (competitive) and four for homeless services from providers which currently contract with the City (non-competitive). Based on the review and scoring of the proposals by an evaluation committee, the proposal submitted by Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa Rosa (Catholic Charities) for operation of SJH was the highest scoring. The evaluation committee also reviewed and scored the four proposals for homeless services (3 proposals from Catholic Charities and 1 from YWCA Sonoma County) and recommends that the City continue with these providers. Subject to Council direction, staff will return with agreements for these programs for Council consideration prior to the start of Fiscal Year 2022/2023 to include a budget, scope of work, and reporting requirements. Funding recommendations will not be made as part of this agenda item.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended by the City Manager's Office that the Council, by resolution: 1) approve Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa Rosa for the provision of City-sponsored homeless services for the following programs - Homeless Services Center, Family Support Center, and Homeless Outreach Services Team; 2) approve YWCA Sonoma County for the provision of City-sponsored homeless services via operation of its Safe House Shelter program; 3) approve Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Santa as the operator of the Samuel L. Jones Hall Homeless Shelter; and 4) direct staff to prepare agreements for these programs for Council consideration for the initial period July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023 (Year 1) and continuing for up to five years total (Fiscal Year 2022/2023 to Fiscal Year 2026/2027) on a conditional basis subject to contractor performance and funding availability.

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