

KINGS COUNTY COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

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A G E N D A

Date: March 25, 2019

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: Board of Supervisors Chambers
Kings County Government Center
1400 Lacey Blvd., Building #1
Hanford, CA 93230

Contact Phone Number: (559) 852-4303

Committee Members:

Todd Barlow, Kings County Superintendent of Schools
Kelly Zuniga, Kings County Chief Probation Officer
Darrell Smith, City of Lemoore Chief of Police
Parker Sever, City of Hanford Chief of Police
Lisa Lewis, Behavioral Health Director
Marianne Gilbert, Contract Administrator/Attorney for Indigent Defense (as Public Defenders)
Michelle Martinez, Executive Officer, Kings County Superior Court
Lance Lippincott, Director of Kings County Job Training Office
Sanja Bugay, Director of Kings County Human Services Agency
Doug Verboon, Board of Supervisors
Dave Robinson, Kings County Sheriff
Rebecca Campbell, Kings County Administrative Officer
Jeff Garner, Kings County Community Action Organization
Keith Fagundes, Kings County District Attorney
Julia Patino, Kings County Victim Witness Coordinator

Executive Committee:

Chairman: **Kelly Zuniga**, Kings County Chief Probation Officer
Members: **Dave Robinson**, Kings County Sheriff
Darrell Smith, City of Lemoore Chief of Police
Keith Fagundes, Kings County District Attorney
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I. CALL TO ORDER
Roll Call

II. UNSCHEDULED APPEARANCES

Any person may directly address the Committee at this time on any item on the agenda, or on any other items of interest to the public, that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Committee. Five (5) minutes are allowed for each item.

III. CONSENT CALENDAR

All items listed under the consent calendar are considered to be routine and will be enacted by one motion. For any discussion of an item on the consent calendar, it will be removed at the request of any Committee member and made a part of the regular agenda.

NONE

IV. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

A. Reuben Shortnacy – Behalf of Municipal Police Agencies & Dave Robinson

Funding request from the Community Corrections Partnership Board Budget

B. Lance Lippincott - JTO

Project Re-Entry Preparation

V. STUDY SESSIONS

VI. CLOSED SESSION

NONE

VII. ADJOURNMENT

To Be Determined at the meeting.



**COUNTY OF KINGS
COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS
PARTNERSHIP**

GOVERNMENT CENTER HANFORD, CALIFORNIA 93230 (559) 852-4303

**AGENDA ITEM
March 25, 2019**

SUBMITTED BY: Reuben Shortnacy on behalf of municipal police agencies and Dave Robinson

SUBJECT: FUNDING REQUEST FROM THE COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP BOARD BUDGET

SUMMARY:

Overview:

This funding request, if approved, will fund a dedicated investigator within each municipal police agency (Avenal, Corcoran, Hanford and Lemoore) for a period of three (3) years. Additionally, it would fund a reserve deputy for a period of 3 years for the Sheriff's Office. The primary focus of these investigator will be that of the Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS) population in a joint effort to reduce recidivism rates.

Recommendation:

Approve the funding request as presented.

Fiscal Impact:

This request would impact the Community Corrections Partnership reserve funds. The total amount requested is \$1,562,696. The total for Avenal is \$335,687, the total for Corcoran is \$400,530, the total for Hanford is \$405,307, the total for Lemoore is \$346,172 and the total for the Kings County Sheriff's Office is \$75,000.

BACKGROUND:

With so many changes in law enforcement, particularly as it relates to AB 109, it is becoming more and more of a challenge to meet expectations regarding the Post Release Community Supervision (PRCS) population. While it has been the Kings County Probation Department and the Kings County Sheriff's Office that have been in front on this issue we believe that we can enhance and assist with reducing recidivism amongst this group. We propose to accomplish this by creating an inter-agency team.

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BOARD ACTION:

APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED: _____ **OTHER:** _____

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on _____, 2019.

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FUNDING REQUEST FROM THE COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP BOARD BUDGET

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The purpose of this team is to add an additional layer of offender supervision and public safety. There will be a multi-purpose approach to assist with the enforcement of probation conditions, monitoring trends to be able to efficiently respond to issues, make appropriate referrals for services such as mental health, particularly those who have the potential for being "high risk." The goal in this regard is to reduce potential conflicts or confrontations between police and citizens.

Each municipal police agency as well as the Kings County Sheriff is committed to dedicating personnel for a 3 year period to work as a team in collaboration with the Sheriff's Office, Probation Department, District Attorney's Office, Mental Health and other stakeholders to meet common crime prevention and recidivism goals. Additionally, Kings County Behavioral Health has committed to the availability of a Crisis Worker who will be housed in the Adventist Emergency Department. This is a significant contribution when you consider over 20% of the PRCS population have known mental health needs.

Working toward an all-encompassing goal of decreasing criminal recidivism through data-driven decision making and evidence based practices, will be the focus of this team. Sharing information rapidly, while maintaining confidentiality where appropriate, will allow for an efficient response countywide.



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SUBMITTED BY: Job Training Office – Lance Lippincott

SUBJECT: PROJECT RE-ENTRY PREPARATION

SUMMARY:

Overview:

The Job Training Office proposes Project Re-Entry Preparation in partnership with the Kings County Probation Department to support employment and training opportunities for justice involved individuals. Project Re-Entry Preparation will provide justice involved individuals with resources and job services to secure employment and reduce recidivism.

Recommendation:

Authorize the Chair to sign an Agreement to fund Project Re-Entry Preparation for one year, with the option to renew for two additional one year terms.

Fiscal Impact:

Project Re-Entry Preparation will utilize the AB109 & CCP Funding to support 1 FTE Employment & Training Technician III and .2 FTE JTO Program Manager at a cost of \$105,672.60 for the first year.. There will be a one time cost of \$5,000.00 which will be used for collocation expenses for the collocated Employment and Training Technician III. In addition, the Job Training Office will provide an in-kind match of \$39,192.00 for partial FTE Account Technicians (2); an Account Analyst III, a partial FTE Business Services Unit and additional overhead costs. The Job Training Office will also leverage variable costs for participant training, supportive services and space utilization with the Probation Department.

BACKGROUND:

The Job Training Office (JTO) presented the Project Re-Entry Preparation (PREP) program in partnership with the Kings County Probation Department to the Kings County Community Corrections Partnership Board on March 18, 2019. PREP provides services to individuals that help them to find employment and access community resources to support their independence, and reduce recidivism. PREP is a performance based program that will utilize analytics to provide services that show the greatest link to helping the justice involved find employment and reduce recidivism..

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PROJECT RE-ENTRY PREPARATION

March 25, 2019

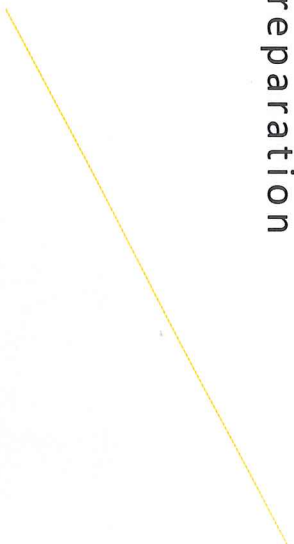
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JTO would create an Employment & Training Technician III (ETT III) position to accentuate the collocated case manager at the day reporting center, while conducting job services and job readiness workshops for PRCS clients, and case management of individuals wanting services. This ETT III would be collocated in the Probation Department to provide immediate services to the population under PRCS, preventing any dropoff from those referred to the center, or for those who are not taking the initiative to come into JTO on their own for services. The ETT III position would also coordinate efforts of the case manager at the Day Reporting Center to provide maximum coverage of PRCS clients, and be available to provide services across Kings County. JTO will leverage its separate funding to provide subsidized training and educational opportunities, as well as subsidized On-the-Job training with local employers and supportive services.



P.R.E.P

Project Re-Entry Preparation



Reducing Recidivism

*The best protection against recidivism
is a job.*

*-Danny K. Davis
U.S. House of Representatives*



Models Examined and Success Rates

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Madera

A.R.I.A-Accelerating Reintegration and Improving Access for Ex-Offenders

Re-Entry Navigator Model

Program Statistics

- Time in Operation: 2+ Years
- Funding Type: AB 109/Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act
- Positions Funded
 - Justice Involved Navigator
 - Partial FTE Admin Positions

Program Summary

- System utilizes a workforce based/housed Justice Involved Navigator
 - Justice Involved Navigator provides outreach to CDCR, County Jail, and Probation participants.
 - Justice Involved Navigator guides referrals and assists participants in receiving services to secure employment.
 - Also assists with connections to other services necessary to successful re-entry.
- Quarterly Program Tracking Statistics

Madera Program Statistics

CCP-In-Custody Statistics *

- Attended Program: 219
- Successfully Completed Program: 183
or 84%
- Recidivism: 28 or 13%

*Statistics supplied by the Madera
County Workforce Development Board

Tulare

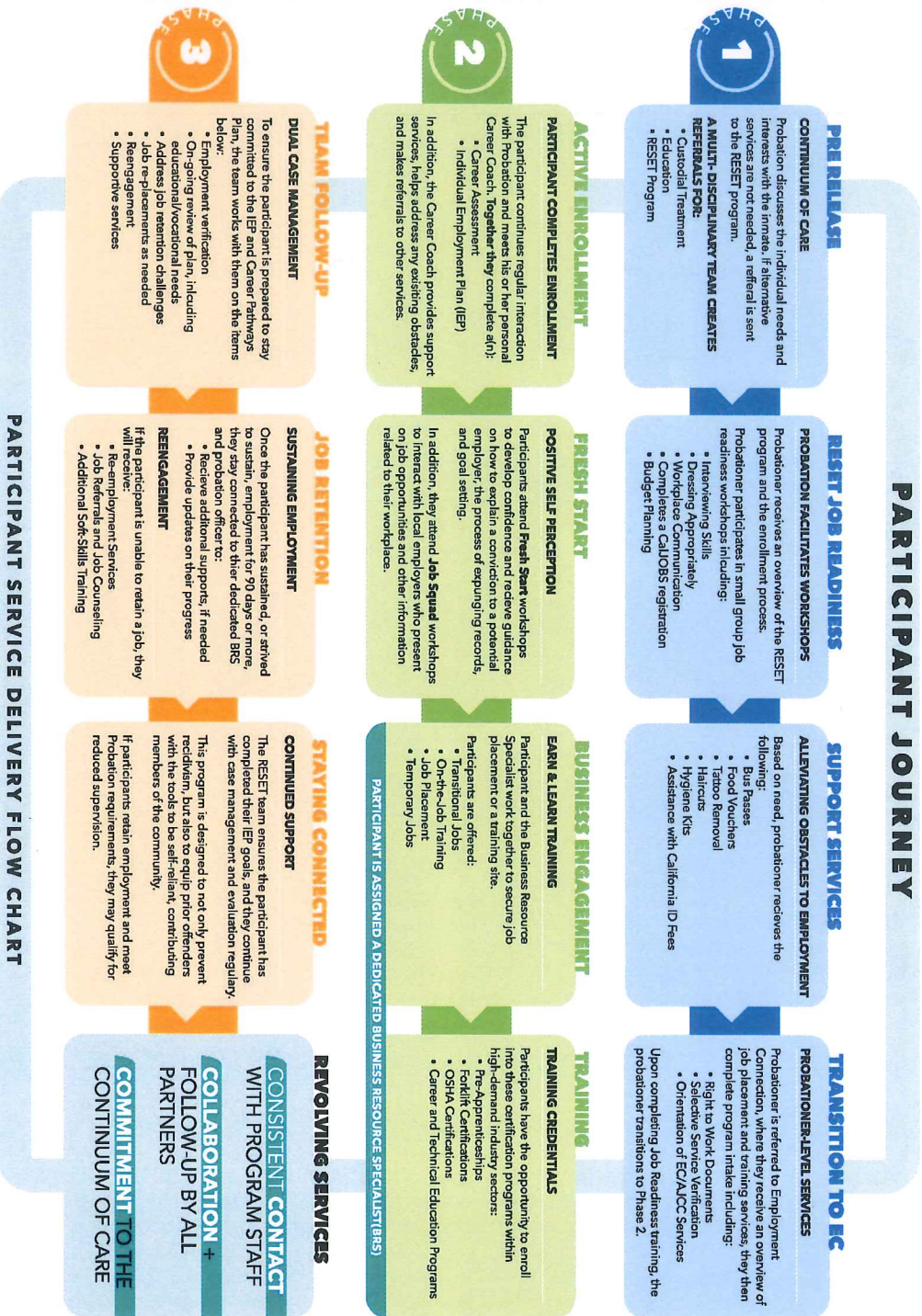
RESET Tulare County Probation
Probation Based/Workforce Supported Model

Program Statistics

- Time in Operation: 4+ Years
- Funding Type: AB 109
- Positions Funded
 - 2xWorkforce Trained Deputy Probation Officers
 - Partial FTE supporting Workforce Development Board Staff

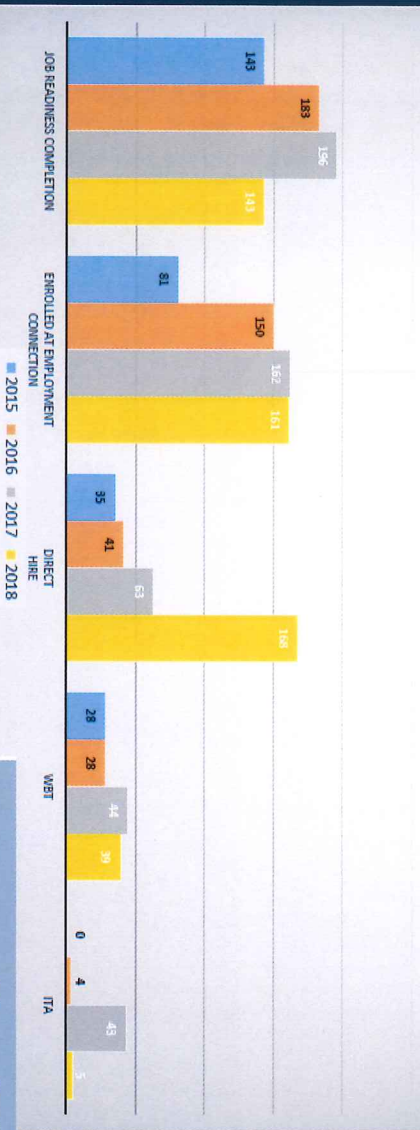
Tulare RESET Program Summary

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Tulare Program Statistics

RESET



Program Year	Job Readiness Completion	Enrolled at Employment Connection	Direct Hire	WBT	ITA	Recidivism	Comments
2015	143	81	35	28	0	No data	Visalia Only
2016	183	150	41	28	4	11%	Expanded to Porterville
2017	196	162	63	44	43	14%	Includes Supervised Grant
2018	143	161	168	39	5	9%	Includes Supervised Grant
Total	665	554	307	139	52		

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Proposed Hybrid Model-P.R.E.P.



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P.R.E.P-Project Re-Entry Preparation
Hybrid Model

Program Summary

- Employment and Training Technician III- Located at Probation
 - High level workforce Employment and Training Technician with the ability to operate independently with oversight, and coordinate operations with other workforce assets. This position serves only ex-offender participants.
 - Employment and Training Technician acts as a System Navigator, but also provides direct services to participants.
 - Job Readiness Workshops
 - Resume Assistance
 - Local Job Leads
 - Consistent and constant contact with participant population
- Streamlined Leveraging of Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Assets
 - Job Training Office (JTO) Business Services Unit assists with placement of participant on job sites.
 - WIOA subsidized employment (On the Job Training) funds utilized to assist with placement.
 - JTO CRT Unit assists with placement of participants in training to improve employability.
 - WIOA funding can be utilized to pay for training, making it free for participants.

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Hybrid Model

Program Budget Per Year

AB 109/CCP Funding

DESCRIPTION	COST*
1 x FTE Employment and Training Technician III	\$80,840
.2 x FTE JTO Program Manager (oversite, administrative support, etc.)	\$24,832.60
One time Collocation Costs (desk, laptop, monitors, etc.)	\$5,000.00
Total One-Time Costs	\$5,000.00
Total Costs Per Year	\$105,672.60
Total First Year Costs	\$110,672.60

Leveraged JTO/Probation Assets

DESCRIPTION	COST*
Workforce training funds for vocational or other training for job readiness. Amount will be variable based on number of participants. Current average cost per participant is \$5,000. Cannot exceed workforce funding.	Variable
Partial FTE Account Technicians (2) and Account Analyst III to handle subsidized employment and training payments.	\$15,000**
Partial FTE Business Services Unit to assist with employment placement.	\$15,000**
Space utilization w/Probation	Variable
Additional Overhead Costs	\$9,192.00

*Costs are estimated using similar program setups.

** Minimum amount of in-kind match

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P.R.E.P-Project Re-Entry Preparation
Hybrid Model

Quarterly Reports-Data Points

- Total Number Served
 - Job Readiness Workshop Completion
 - Placed in Subsidized Employment
 - Placement by Sector/Job Type
 - Average Placement Wage
 - Number Served in Pre-Release Workshops
- Direct Hire
 - Placed in Vocational or Other Training
 - Supportive Services Provided
 - Bus passes, mileage, clothing, tools, etc.
 - Recidivism
 - Narrative on Programmatic Growth



QUESTIONS?

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