

## COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-2

For the meeting of: September 6, 2016

Date:

August 17, 2016

To:

Board of Supervisors

From:

Mark Lovelace, Board of Supervisors

Mary Ann Hansen, Executive Director, First 5 Humboldt

Subject:

First 5 Humboldt Vacant Program Coordinator Position Increase from .8 FTE to 1.0 FTE

## RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors approve the increase from .8 to 1.0 full-time equivalent (FTE) for the vacant Program Coordinator (class 1425, salary range 415, position 01) position in budget unit 458, effective the beginning of the pay period immediately following approval.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: Proposition 10 and Humboldt County Office of Education (HCOE)

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: First 5 Humboldt, an independent Children and Families Commission, has historically had a .8 FTE Program Coordinator position, whose primary responsibility has been to coordinate professional development and training opportunities for the early childhood development field. First 5 Humboldt has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with HCOE, whereby First 5 Humboldt will provide a .5 FTE Training Program Coordinator for the 0 to 8 Mental Health Collaborative with funds supplied by HCOE. First 5 Humboldt was considering reducing the current .8 FTE Program Coordinator position, due to a reduced workload, but by combining the HCOE-funded 0 to 8 Mental Health Collaborative Training

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REVIEW: County Counsel	Human Resources Other
TYPE OF ITEM: X Consent	BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT Upon motion of Supervisor Sundberg Seconded by Supervisor Bass
Departmental Public Hearing Other	Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Lovelace, Bohn, Bass Abstain
PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:	Absent
Board Order No	and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report.
Meeting of:	Dated: Sept. 10, 2010  By: Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

Program Coordinator position with First 5 Humboldt's existing Program Coordinator position, First 5 Humboldt will be able to increase the Program Coordinator position to a full-time position. If the Board approves the recommendations, First 5 Humboldt will be able to offer a fully benefited position, instead of an Extra Help position for the HCOE-funded .5 FTE Training Coordinator. With the increased workload of the 0 to 8 Mental Heal Collaborative, the .5 FTE Training Program Coordinator position is being piloted by HCOE and it is anticipated that HCOE will continue funding this position at a .5 FTE basis in the future. If, for any reason, HCOE chooses not to continue funding for the Program Coordinator position, First 5 Humboldt will be able to cover the funds until additional funding sources are secured.

<u>FINANCIAL IMPACT</u>: There is no financial impact to the County General Fund. Funding will be provided by Proposition 10 revenue and HCOE.

This agenda item supports the Board's Strategic Framework by protecting vulnerable populations.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: Humboldt County Office of Education.

<u>ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:</u> The Board could chose not to increase the Program Coordinator position to 1.0 FTE.

**ATTACHMENTS:** None