



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 3/25/2025

File #: 25-407

To: Board of Supervisors

From: DHHS: Social Services

Agenda Section: Departmental

Vote Requirement: Majority

SUBJECT:

Presentation on Department of Health and Human Services Child Welfare Services in Honor of Social Worker Appreciation Month

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive and file a presentation from Department of Health and Human Services Child Welfare Services.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

This action supports the following areas of your Board's Strategic Plan.

Area of Focus: Core Services/Other

Strategic Plan Category: 9999 - Core Services/Other

DISCUSSION:

The Department of Health and Human Services Child Welfare Services has prepared a presentation highlighting the core programs within Child Welfare Services and the good work and passion of staff. This presentation to your Board will walk through the Child Welfare programs/units and highlight laws and regulations governing Child Welfare Services work, how child abuse/neglect referrals are received and flow through the core programs as social workers respond to the needs of the families to ensure the safety of children in the community.

Child Welfare Services staff includes social workers being recognized this month as well as management, specialists, and support staff. Child Welfare Services presenters will share these highlights and data showing successes in helping people to live better lives.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

There is no financial impact to preparing and delivering this presentation other than staff time.

STAFFING IMPACT:

There is no staffing impact to receiving a presentation other than staff time.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

N/A

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ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Board could choose not to receive and file this Department of Health and Human Services Child Welfare Services presentation. However, that is not recommended as there is no financial impact other than staff time.

ATTACHMENTS:

None.

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Meeting of: N/A

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