CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

June 23, 2009

Agenda Item: 7.2

Subject: Approval of Contract Renewal—County of Alameda Social Services Agency-

Children's and Family Services, Master Contract No. 900035, Chabot-Las Positas

Community College District - Economic Development

<u>Background:</u> The District has provided training to group home providers and foster family agencies through a master contract from the Alameda County Social Services Agency's Child and Family Services since 2002. The County has requested that we continue to provide these training services for the 2009-10 fiscal year under Master Contract No. 900035.

As with previous contracts, the District will partner with Seneca Center, Fred Finch Youth Homes, St. Vincent's School for Boys, and A Better Way agencies, to deliver these training services for their own organizations as well as other group home providers. Two new community-based organizations, West Coast Children's Center and Family Paths, will also be added to further expand the training opportunities. Over the last couple of years, the county's Social Services Agency has increased their use of this resource for their staff training. They will continue to expand that portion of the contract for the upcoming year. Additionally, because of its success in the community, the Parent Advocate program, which utilizes former foster parents as mentors and liaisons for the social services system, has been expanded as well.

The 2009-10 contract has been increased from \$3,203,154 in 2008-09 to \$4,500,000 for the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

Previous Board of Trustees actions include approval of master contracts, amendments and renewals on March 19, 2002 under item 7.1; May 21, 2002 under item 7.1; May 20, 2003 under item 7.1; October 21, 2003 under item 7.3; July 20, 2004 under item 7.1; June 21, 2005 under item 7.1; June 27, 2006 under item 7.1; January 16, 2007 under item 7.1 and October 21, 2008 under item 7.1.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees approve the proposed contract renewal for the County of Alameda Social Services Agency-Children's and Family Services, Master Contract No. 900035, District-Economic Development, in the amount of \$4,500,000 for the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Vice Chancellor, Business Services, to execute the contract and any future augmentations or amendments to the contract on behalf of the District.

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