REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT AND RECORD OF ACTION

REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY AND RECORD OF ACTION

September 9, 2025

FROM

DAN MUNSEY, Fire Chief/Fire Warden, San Bernardino County Fire Protection District JAMES LOCURTO, Director, Transitional Assistance Department

SUBJECT

Agreements with San Bernardino County Transitional Assistance Department

RECOMMENDATION(S)

- 1. Acting as the governing body of the San Bernardino County Fire Protection District:
 - a. Approve Subsidized Employment **Agreement No. 25-712** with San Bernardino County Transitional Assistance Department for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District to provide work experience opportunities to eligible participants under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act Program, for the period of October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2030.
 - b. Approve Unsubsidized Work Experience and Community Service **Training Agreement No. 25-713** with San Bernardino County Transitional Assistance Department for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District to provide work experience opportunities to eligible participants under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act Program, for the period of October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2030.
- 2. Acting as the governing body of San Bernardino County:
 - a. Approve Subsidized Employment Agreement No. 25-712 with San Bernardino County Fire Protection District for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District to provide work experience opportunities to eligible participants under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act Program, for the period of October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2030.
 - b. Approve Unsubsidized Work Experience and Community Service Training **Agreement 25-713** with San Bernardino County Fire Protection District for San Bernardino County Fire Protection District to provide work experience opportunities to eligible participants under the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act Program, for the period of October 1, 2025, through September 30, 2030.

(Presenter: Dan Munsey, Fire Chief/Fire Warden, 387-5779)

COUNTY AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Improve County Government Operations.

Operate in a Fiscally-Responsible and Business-Like Manner.

Provide for the Safety, Health and Social Service Needs of County Residents.

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Pursue County Goals and Objectives by Working with Other Agencies and Stakeholders.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

Approval of these agreements will not result in the use of Discretionary General Funding (Net County Cost). Any costs associated with these agreements will be funded through the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids Act Program (CalWORKs).

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

CalWORKs provides for job readiness and work-experience training to eligible participants. San Bernardino County Transitional Assistance Department (TAD) administers the CalWORKs program throughout the county with the overall goal of assisting participants in obtaining jobs that lead to self-sufficiency. TAD partners with community agencies to provide subsidized employment, job training, and placement opportunities to CalWORKs participants under TAD's Work Experience and Community Service Training Program (WEX Program). The WEX Program allows TAD participants to gain valuable work experience, develop new skills, and grants them access to the many career exploration and learning opportunities afforded by SBCFPD.

The WEX Program is mutually beneficial to SBCFPD and TAD, as the participants will augment the service capabilities of SBCFPD while satisfying the provision of training services under the WEX Program.

PROCUREMENT

Not applicable.

REVIEW BY OTHERS

This item has been reviewed by County Counsel (Richard Luczak and Jaqueline Carey-Wilson, Deputy County Counsels, 387-5455) on August 13, 2025; and County Finance and Administration (Ivan Ramirez, Administrative Analyst, 387-4020) on August 14, 2025.

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Record of Action of the Board of Supervisors San Bernardino County

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APPROVED (CONSENT CALENDAR)

Moved: Joe Baca, Jr. Seconded: Curt Hagman Ayes: Col. Paul Cook (Ret.), Jesse Armendarez, Dawn Rowe, Curt Hagman, Joe Baca, Jr.

Lynna Monell, CLERK OF THE BOARD/SECRETARY

DATED: September 9, 2025



cc: SBCFPD - Munsey w/agree

Contractor - c/o SBCFPD w/agree

File - w/agree

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