

Procurement and Contracts  
Request for Waiver of Outside Review Requirement  
(Board of Supervisors Policy C – 17, Section 7.11)

Department: Probation

Service: To provide consulting and training to Probation Department in using and implementing EPICS-II program.

Contract Amount: \$120,000.00


Contract Term: Three (3) Years

Vendor: Core Correctional Solutions, LLC

Reason for waiver request (may attach memo and other documentation):

**Effective Practices Correctional Supervisions (EPICS) was initially developed by the University of Cincinnati (UOC) to instruct and assist community supervision officers with applying the principles of effective intervention in conjunction with effective community supervision practices. Two of the primary researchers from UOC (Christopher Lowenkamp, PhD. & Melanie Lowenkamp, PhD.) created Core Correctional Solutions, LLC to provide consulting, training, and coaching in the techniques and philosophy of UOC EPICS program. Core Correctional Solutions, LLC is the only entity that is competent and able to provide these services for implementing EPICS in community corrections in El Dorado County.**

Approved  Disapproved

  
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Purchasing Agent

Date: 8/3/15