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Agenda Title: Public Health - In Concept, Approval to Send Letter of

Support to El Dorado Hills Community Vision

Final Action:

Title: The Public Health Department is requesting the Board of Supervisors approve, in concept, sending the attached letter of support and collaboration to El Dorado Hills Community Visions, Inc. with regard to assisting them with their reapplication for SAMHSA's (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) and the Office of National Drug Control Policy's Drug Free Communities Support Program Grant. If the grant reapplication is successful, the Public Health Department will provide support through collaboration, technical assistance in tobacco control, youth development, and asset building for the El Dorado Hills Teen Center. Resources also include tobacco education and prevention, (i.e. brochures, Smokers' Helpline cards, and cessation classes).

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

FUNDING: N/A

Notes: Cc:

Laura Schwartz, Principal Administrative Analyst Sharon Elliott, Health Promotions Division Manager Christy Kessler, Supervising Health Education Coordinator

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Approval History

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1	09/11/2006	Gayle Erbe-Hamlin	Approved				
1	09/11/2006	Jim Mitrisin	Delegate				
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1	09/15/2006	Laura Schwartz	Approved				
Notes	Consent						
1	09/18/2006	Laura Gill	Approved				
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RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve

FUNDING: N/A

Background: As a member of the Vision Coalition of El Dorado Hills, the Public Health Department has played an active role in developing community/school based alcohol, tobacco and other drug prevention strategies in El Dorado Hills. The Department has partnered with the Vision Coalition for nearly four years by sending representatives to attend strategic planning meetings, which have served to assess community assets, resources, and gaps in services. Public Health also has assisted in building this coalition and organizing agency networks in the El Dorado Hills community.

Reason for Recommendation: The Department supports the efforts of the Vision Coalition, particularly the development of a teen center and youth council, and it strongly desires to assist in working toward this endeavor through its partnership with the El Dorado Hills community.

Fiscal Impact/Change to Net County Cost: None.

Action to be taken following Board approval: Department to issue letter of support and collaboration to El Dorado Hills Community Visions, Inc.

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT



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September 29, 2006

Bob Pederson, Chair, Board of Directors El Dorado Hills Community Vision, Inc. 3941 Park Drive, Suite 20-102 El Dorado Hills, CA 95762

Dear Mr. Pederson,

As a coalition member, the El Dorado County Public Health Department fully supports the Vision Coalition of El Dorado Hills application to the Drug Free Communities Support Program.

The Public Health Department has played an active role in developing community/school based alcohol, tobacco and other drug prevention strategies in the El Dorado Hills. We have partnered with the Vision Coalition for nearly four years by attending strategic planning meetings and assessing community assets, resources and gaps in services. We assisted in building the coalition and organizing agency networks in the fore-mentioned community.

The Public Health Department agrees to contribute to the Vision Coalition of El Dorado Hills Drug Free Communities Support Program through various activities that may include:

- Serving as the Public Health Department's representative to the Coalition.
- Volunteering at the community health fair sponsored by the El Dorado Hills Community Services District.
- Assisting with the development of smoke-free policies for the new Teen Center and Skate Park.
- Assisting with the development of no-smoking signage.
- Linking YAK-SO (Youth and Adults Kicking Smoking Out) with the local Youth Council.
- Linking the Youth Council with opportunities for youth advocacy/leadership at statewide and county training events.

We support the community efforts of the Vision Coalition, particularly the development of a teen center and youth council. We look forward to partnering with the El Dorado Hills community through this endeavor.

Sincerely,

Christy Kessler Supervising Health Education Coordinator