

August 20, 2018

#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

District Board of Trustees

FROM:

Jim Murdaugh, President

SUBJECT:

Grants and Contracts - Provider

### Item Description

This item requests that the Board approve the receipt of funding for the listed projects.

#### Overview and Background

The following are recommended for approval:

#### I. Receipt, Amendment, Extension of Resources

Veterans Florida – Entrepreneurship Program Network Partner

This award is to provide the comprehensive suite of training options developed by Veterans Florida to enhance the entrepreneurial skills of veterans in Florida. Training provides monthly networking events and workshops. The award is for \$75,000, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Florida Department of Education – Take Stock in Children

This award is to provide resources for students from grades 6-12 in Gadsden, Leon and Wakulla counties to increase the number of potential first generation-in-college students who successfully receive a college education. The award is for \$89,365. Indirect costs are not allowed. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Florida Department of Corrections - Vocational Instruction

This project will provide vocational instruction and programming (i.e., textbooks, consumable supplies, industry exams) to DOC inmate-students. The following vocational instruction would be provided: Masonry (Liberty Correctional Institute), Culinary (Quincy Annex), Electrical (Jefferson Correctional Institute), Carpentry (Taylor Correctional Institute) and Plumbing (Taylor Correctional Institute). The award is for \$471,255, including an indirect cost rate of 10%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

US Department of Labor - Mine Safety Award

This award will help promote healthful workplaces for miners in Florida by assisting with training to prevent death and disease, as well as to reduce the frequency and severity of injuries from mining related incidences. The amount of this award is \$165,133 including an indirect cost rate of 8%. The funding period is from 10/1/17 through 9/30/18.

Florida Department of Education – English Literacy/Civics Education for Gadsden County

This award integrates education services to immigrants and other limited English proficient populations in Gadsden County to acquire the basic skills they need to function effectively as parents, workers and citizens. The award is for \$27,410, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Florida Department of Education – English Literacy/Civics Education for Leon County

This award integrates education services to immigrants and other limited English proficient populations in Leon County to acquire the basic skills they need to function effectively as parents, workers and citizens. The award is for \$8,034, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Florida Department of Education - Adult Education and Family Literacy, Adult General Education for Gadsden County

This award will provide voluntary adult education and literacy services in Gadsden County in order to increase performance measures on standardized testing and obtain the educational skills necessary to be involved in the education of their children. The award is for \$140,716, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Florida Department of Education – Adult Education and Family Literacy, Adult General Education for Wakulla County

This award will provide voluntary adult education and literacy services in Wakulla County in order to increase performance measures on standardized testing and obtain the educational skills necessary to be involved in the education of their children. The award is for \$36,813, including an indirect cost rate of 5%. The funding period is from 7/1/18 through 6/30/19.

Big Bend Community Based Care - Fostering Achievement Fellowship Program Amendment 1

Amendment 1 provides a no-cost extension for the 17/18 agreement. The extension allows for additional time for the Big Bend Community Based Care to receive fiscal year funding awards from the State of Florida. The extension increases the award to \$45,000, including an indirect rate of 0%. The funding period is extended from 6/30/18 through 12/31/18.

#### II. Commitments, Expenditures, Contracts for Services

## Past Actions by the Board

All awards, except Veterans Florida, are renewals or continuations of existing programs.

<u>Big Bend Community Based Care – Fostering Achievement Fellowship Program Amendment 1.</u> The initial agreement was approved at the June 2016 meeting.

# Funding/Financial Implications

The above projects are established in Fund 2, Restricted Accounts. The indirect earned from the above award and amendments is \$68,786.

### Staff Resource

Barbara Wills

## **Recommended Action**

Authorize funding for the awards and contracts listed above.