

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Probation Department

BOARD AGENDA # *B-14

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE November 25, 2008

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

(Information Attached)

SUBJECT:

Approval for the Chief Probation Officer to Apply for a Juvenile Accountability Block Grant for Gang Intervention From the Corrections Standards Authority to Provide Services to Ensure Accountability for Youthful Gang Offenders

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Authorize the Chief Probation Officer to apply for the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant for gang intervention from the Corrections Standards Authority and to sign all necessary documents related to the grant.
2. Approve a Resolution as required by the Corrections Standards Authority authorizing the Chief Probation Officer to apply for the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant for gang intervention.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The Department is seeking a Juvenile Accountability Block Grant from the Corrections Standards Authority for the amount of \$200,000 to assist with gang intervention activities. Existing full time staff will be assigned to complete the activities associated with the grant. Part time staff will be used to fill behind those Probation Officers assigned to grant activities for the duration of the funding period. Grant funds will also pay for the purchase of a second canine and a canine vehicle for the Probation Department's Narcotic Canine Program. The grant requires the County provide an in-kind match of 10%, or \$22,222,
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BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2008-810

On motion of Supervisor O'Brien, Seconded by Supervisor Grover and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Grover, Monteith, and Vice Chairman DeMartini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: Mayfield

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2) Denied

3) Approved as amended

4) Other:

MOTION:

Christine Ferraro

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.

Approval for the Chief Probation Officer to Apply for a Juvenile Accountability Block Grant ("Gang Intervention") From the Corrections Standards Authority to Provide Services to Ensure Accountability for Youthful Gang Offender

FISCAL IMPACT: (Continued)

based on the Federal formula. The County will provide the match through time spent by Probation staff administering the grant (\$10,000) and through gang intervention training (\$6,000) and equipment expenses (\$6,222) for the three officers assigned to the grant programs. The grant is being offered on a competitive basis for up to four California jurisdictions. If the grant is received, staff will return to the Board of Supervisors to accept the funds and establish a budget.

DISCUSSION:

The Corrections Standards Authority has made additional funding available to counties through the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG) program under the title Gang Intervention Act. The grant is being offered on a competitive basis for up to four California jurisdictions. The application was submitted to the Corrections Standards Authority on November 21, 2008, in order to ensure that the December 3, 2008 application deadline was met. This program is intended to promote greater accountability of juvenile gang offenders in the justice system. The goal is to hold juvenile gang offenders accountable for their criminal activities and to provide services and activities to assist youthful offenders in curbing their criminal behaviors. The competitive funding opportunity is the result of a redistribution of unspent JABG funds throughout the State of California. The Corrections Standards Authority will be awarding a minimum of \$200,000 to as many as four applicants. All program activities must occur prior to June 30, 2009. The funding must be expended between January 2 and June 30, 2009, or encumbered and liquidated by September 30, 2009. Board approval is required in order to apply for and accept the grant award.

To ensure that the funds are used for accountability purposes, funds must be expended within one or more of sixteen purpose areas stated in the legislation. The Probation Department has proposed expending funds in the following purpose area:

Purpose Area 15: Establishing and maintaining programs to enable juvenile courts and juvenile probation officers to be more effective and efficient in holding juvenile offenders accountable and reducing recidivism. Under Purpose Area 15, funding will be utilized for the following personnel, programs, and services:

Approval for the Chief Probation Officer to Apply for a Juvenile Accountability Block Grant ("Gang Intervention") From the Corrections Standards Authority to Provide Services to Ensure Accountability for Youthful Gang Offenders

Gang Task Force Officer

Funds will be utilized to assign an existing Deputy Probation Officer to the Central Valley Gang Intelligence Task Force for a period of six months. Gang Task Force officers conduct investigations and provide intelligence information to the County's law enforcement agencies for the purpose of reducing gang activity, holding offenders accountable, and ensuring a safe community. The population that will be served will include the approximate 200 juvenile gang offenders currently assigned to supervision in the Juvenile High Risk Unit and youth at-risk of gang-involved activities who are currently assigned to general and informal Probation Department supervision caseloads. Additionally, those minors in the community who are not yet involved in the criminal justice system, though at-risk as a result of gang association, will receive attention and services aimed at both preventing criminal activity and holding them accountable if necessary.

The Probation Department currently has one officer assigned to the Central Valley Gang Intelligence Task Force. Additional funding will allow for the assignment of a second Deputy Probation Officer to the task force. It is anticipated that the funds for one existing, full-time Deputy Probation Officer II for six months will be expended by June 30, 2008.

Narcotic Canine:

Funds will be utilized to purchase, train, and provide care for a narcotic canine for the purpose of providing intensive supervision to juvenile high-risk gang offenders. Gang offenders are known for involvement in the illegal drug trade, both as users and sellers of controlled substances. A narcotic canine will be utilized to enhance the supervision and accountability of gang members and to help ensure a safe community. The canine will join the Probation Department's newly developed Narcotic Canine Program and be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Unit. This will greatly enhance the program, which currently has just one canine and handler to serve the County's entire population of probationers.

Canine Handler:

Funds will be utilized to designate an existing Deputy Probation Officer to serve as the narcotic canine handler for a period of six months. The officer tasked with the care, handling, and training of the canine will be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Unit. This will be the Probation Department's second canine handler designation, which will enhance the availability and effectiveness of the supervision and enforcement program. This handler will be primarily involved in enhancing the supervision of gang offenders.

Canine Vehicle:

Funding will allow for the purchase and proper equipping of a canine vehicle to facilitate the transportation of the narcotic canine and handler.

Approval for the Chief Probation Officer to Apply for a Juvenile Accountability Block Grant ("Gang Intervention") From the Corrections Standards Authority to Provide Services to and Ensure Accountability for Youthful Gang Offenders

Gang Offender Supervision:

With additional funding, the Probation Department will designate an existing Deputy Probation Officer to provide intensive supervision services to high-risk gang offenders for a period of six months. This officer will be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Unit and will primarily be tasked with the supervision of youthful gang offenders. There is currently one, long-term vacancy in the unit, which results in other officers having higher, less manageable caseloads and in high-risk offenders receiving lower levels of supervision. The addition of an officer will allow for intensive supervision, including probation searches, weekend and evening surveillance, referral to services in the community, including education and vocational services, and enforcement of Court ordered probation terms.

The acceptance of this funding will fund programs that hold juvenile gang offenders accountable while working to curb their criminal behavior. These service enhancements would not be available without the additional funding made available through the Juvenile Accountability "Gang Intervention" Block Grant.

POLICY ISSUE:

Board approval to apply for this funding is required by the Corrections Standards Authority. Utilization of this funding will enhance services and activities to assist youthful gang offenders in curbing their criminal behaviors consistent with the Board's stated priorities of *A safe community, Effective partnerships* and *Efficient delivery of public service*.

STAFFING IMPACT:

The Department will use existing full time staff to fulfill the requirements of the grant. Part time staff will be used to fill behind those Probation Officers assigned to grant activities.

California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
Corrections Standards Authority

Issued November 2008

Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG) Program

Gang Intervention Grant Application



Overview of Grant Award and Application Requirements

The Juvenile Accountability Block Grants (JABG) Program, administered at the federal level by the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), supports state and local efforts to reduce juvenile crime through programs that focus on offender accountability (Public Law 107-273).

Grant Period: *The grant period will cover January 2, 2009 through June 30, 2009. Please notice that this is only a six (6) month grant period. DUE TO THE SHORT TIME PERIOD AVAILABLE, NO EXTENSIONS WILL BE APPROVED.*

Due Date: This application is due to the Corrections Standards Authority (CSA) via e-mail by **DECEMBER 3, 2008 BY 5:00 p.m.** No applications will be accepted after this date and time.

Eligible Applicants: Only units of local and/or tribal governments and are eligible to apply. However, community partnerships among governmental agencies (i.e. probation, law enforcement, mental health, etc.) and community-based organizations are highly encouraged. If partnerships are proposed, a letter of intent to participate from each partner must accompany the application listing the services that they will provide.

Local Match: Applicants must assure that they will contribute a cash match of 10% of the total project costs. Matching funds may be either state or local dollars. Federal funds are not an allowable match source.

Eligible Expenditures: Grantees must expend JABG funds for projects that have a clear nexus to gang intervention or have strategies targeting gang activity or involvement by youth under eighteen (18) years of age. These funds are meant for prevention activities and must be used to support youth who are in the juvenile justice system already and must include one or more of the program purpose areas. (See Section II C.) ***All expenditures must be encumbered, and activities must occur prior to June 30, 2009. All funds must be liquidated by September 29, 2009.***

Disbursement of Grant Funds: Disbursement of grant funds occurs on a reimbursement basis for actual project costs incurred during a reporting period. Grantees must submit invoices on line to the CSA on the 30th of each month. Grantees must maintain adequate supporting documentation for all costs, both grant and match, claimed on invoices.

Local Advisory Board: Under federal law, a local advisory board must review how JABG funds will be expended. The board must include, if appropriate, representatives from the police, sheriff and probation departments, district attorney's office, juvenile court, education, social services, a nonprofit and nongovernmental victim advocacy organization, and a nonprofit religious or community group. Grantees may use an existing advisory board with similar membership (e.g., Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council) to meet this requirement. (See Section IV.)

Resolution: Applicants must submit a resolution from their governing board (City Council, Board of Supervisors, or Tribal Government) addressing specific requirements at the ***time of application***. **See the attached Resolution language specific to this application.**

Progress Reports: Grantees must submit a progress report on the March 30, 2009 and a final progress report on August 15, 2009, including the mandatory federal data, utilizing the JABG Progress Report form provided on the CSA website www.cdcr.ca.gov/Divisions_Boards/CSA/.

Audit: Grantees must submit an audit of expenditures within 120 days of the end of the grant period. Reasonable and necessary extensions to the timeframe may be granted if requested. Grantees may choose to submit either a program specific audit or a federal single audit. (See Section VI.)

Key Dates:

December 3, 2008	Applications due to CSA
December 4 & 5, 2008*	CSA Technical Review of applications
December 10, 2009	State Advisory Committee on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention review and selection of applicants
January 2, 1009*	Project Begins
January 2009 to June 2009	Monthly invoices
March 30, 2009	Progress Report due to CSA
June 30, 2009	Project Ends
August 15, 2009	Final Progress Report and Final Invoice Due to CSA
September 28, 2009	All funds must be liquidated
October 31, 2009	Final audit report due (unless extension granted)

****Dates are tentative***

Contact and Program Information: Questions regarding this application process may be directed to Connie Lucero, Corrections Consultant for CSA, (916) 341-7392. Further information about the JABG Program, including fiscal and progress reporting forms and the Grant Contract Administration and Audit Guide, is also available on the CSA's web site at

www.cdcr.ca.gov/Divisions_Boards/CSA/ CPP/Grants/JABG/Index.html.



DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION
CORRECTIONS STANDARDS AUTHORITY

**Juvenile Accountability Block Grants Program
Gang Intervention Application**

SECTION I: APPLICANT INFORMATION

A. APPLICANT AND CONTACT INFORMATION

APPLICANT NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER	FEDERAL EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER	
Stanislaus County Probation Dept.	209-525-5400	94-6000540	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
2215 Blue Gum Ave.	Modesto	CA	95358
MAILING ADDRESS (if different)	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE

B. PROJECT TITLE

C. PROGRAM PURPOSE AREA

D. AMOUNT OF FUNDS REQUESTED

Juvenile Accountability Block Grant	15	\$200,000
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E. IMPLEMENTING AGENCY

AGENCY NAME			
Stanislaus County Probation Department			
NAME, TITLE OF PROJECT DIRECTOR			TELEPHONE NUMBER
Scott Ball, Probation Manager			209-525-4505
STREET ADDRESS			FAX NUMBER
2215 Blue Gum Ave.			209-525-4586
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	E-MAIL ADDRESS
Modesto	CA	95358	BallS@stancounty.com

F. DESIGNATED FINANCIAL OFFICER

NAME, TITLE			TELEPHONE NUMBER
Karen Curci, Administrative Services Manager			209-525-4556
STREET ADDRESS			FAX NUMBER
2215 Blue Gum Ave.			209-525-4586
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	E-MAIL ADDRESS
Modesto	CA	95358	CurciK@stancounty.com

G. DAY-TO-DAY PROJECT CONTACT PERSON

NAME AND TITLE			TELEPHONE NUMBER
Scott Ball, Probation Manager			209-525-4505
STREET ADDRESS			FAX NUMBER
2215 Blue Gum Ave.			209-525-4586
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	E-MAIL ADDRESS
Modesto	CA	95358	BallS@stancounty.com

H. APPLICANT'S AGREEMENT

By submitting this application, the applicant assures that it will abide by the laws, policies and procedures governing this funding.

NAME AND TITLE OF AUTHORIZED OFFICER (PERSON WITH LEGAL AUTHORITY TO SIGN)			TELEPHONE NUMBER
Jerry Powers, Chief Probation Officer			209-525-4504
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
2215 Blue Gum Ave.	Modesto	CA	95358
MAILING ADDRESS (if different)	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE			E-MAIL ADDRESS
			PowersJ@stancounty.com
DATE			
			November 21, 2008

SECTION II: PROJECT INFORMATION

A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1. Provide a one-page project summary defining the project, its goals and, major activities/services that will be accomplished during the ***six (6) month project period***.

The Stanislaus County Probation Department will utilize redistribution of Juvenile Accountability Block Grant funds to implement, enhance, and support programs to hold juvenile high-risk gang offenders accountable for their criminal activities, to reinforce the department's ability to ensure public safety, and to assist youthful offenders in curbing their criminal behaviors. Each of the funded officers/programs will be assigned to the Probation Department's Juvenile High Risk Offender Program. This program, in part, provides intensive supervision to gang offenders assessed as being the highest risk to re-offend.

Included in the proposal is the addition of a narcotic canine and handler (Deputy Probation Officer II) to the Probation Department's Narcotic Canine Program; a properly equipped canine vehicle; funding for the appointment of a Deputy Probation Officer to the local law enforcement gang task force collaboration; and the designation of a Deputy Probation Officer II to a juvenile high-risk caseload. Each of the following programs and services will focus on juvenile offenders involved in gang activity and at-risk for re-offending.

B. PROJECT DESCRIPTION: ***No More than three (3) pages.***

Part I: In the space below #3, provide the following project information:

1. Describe the activities to be supported with JABG funds.
2. Define the juvenile justice population(s) to be served by the project, including the estimated number of youth.
3. Describe any on-going current activities that allow your capacity to enhance an existing project.
4. Describe how the project will expend all funds by June 30, 2008, without supplanting.

I. Gang Task Force Officer

Funds will be utilized to assign a Deputy Probation Officer to the Central Valley Gang Intelligence Task Force for a period of six months. Gang Task Force officers conduct investigations and provide intelligence information to the County's law enforcement agencies for the purpose of reducing gang activity, holding offenders accountable, and ensuring a safe community. Stanislaus County has more documented gang members per capita than more populated regions in the State, including San Diego. The population that will be served will include the approximate 150 juvenile gang offenders currently assigned to supervision in the Juvenile High Risk Unit and youth at-risk of gang-involved activities who are currently assigned to general and informal Probation Department supervision caseloads. Additionally, those minors in the community who are not yet involved in the criminal justice system, though at-risk as a result of gang association, will receive attention and services aimed at both preventing criminal activity and holding them accountable when necessary.

The Probation Department currently has one position assigned to the Central Valley Gang Intelligence Task Force. Funding will allow for the appointment of a second deputy probation officer to the task force. It is anticipated that the funds for a full-time deputy probation officer II for six months will be expended by June 30, 2008.

II. Narcotic Canine

Funds will be utilized to purchase, train, and provide care for a narcotic canine for the purpose of providing intensive supervision to juvenile high-risk gang offenders. Gang offenders are known for involvement in the illegal drug trade, both as users and sellers of controlled substances. A narcotic canine will be utilized to enhance the supervision and accountability of gang members and to help ensure a safe community. The canine will join the Probation Department's newly developed Narcotic Canine Program and be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Unit. This will greatly enhance the program, which currently has just one canine and handler to serve the County's entire population of probationers.

III. Canine Handler

Funds will be utilized to designate a Deputy Probation Officer to serve as the narcotic canine handler for a period of six months. The officer tasked with the care, handling, and training of the canine will be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Supervision Unit. This will be the Probation Department's second canine handler designation, which will enhance the availability and effectiveness of the supervision and enforcement program. This handler will be primarily involved in the supervision of juvenile gang offenders.

IV. Canine Vehicle

Funding will allow for the purchase and proper equipping of a canine vehicle to facilitate the transportation of the narcotic canine and handler.

V. Gang Offender Supervision

Stanislaus County has more documented gang members per capita than more populated regions in the State, including San Diego. With additional funding, the Probation Department will provide and additional Deputy Probation Officer to increase supervision services to high-risk juvenile gang offenders for a period of six months. This officer will be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Supervision Unit and will primarily be tasked with the supervision of youthful gang offenders. The addition of an officer for six months will allow for intensive supervision, including probation searches, weekend and evening surveillance, referral to services in the community, including education and vocational services, and enforcement of Court ordered probation terms.

C. PROGRAM PURPOSE AREA(S): Funded JABG projects **must** fall within one or more federally recognized purpose areas established for JABG. Appendix B includes a detailed listing of the 17 program purpose areas from which each applicant must choose. Each separate purpose area identified in this section will require specific data reporting on quarterly progress reports to the CSA. In the space below, please indicate the selected program purpose area(s) by number and topic, and the federal dollar amount allotted to each. (*Example: #5 Prosecution of gang and violent offenders - \$47,189*)

Program Purpose Area 15: Establishing and maintaining programs to enable juvenile courts and juvenile probation officers to be more effective and efficient in holding juvenile offenders accountable and reducing recidivism - \$222,222.

D. FEDERAL PERFORMANCE MEASURES: Grantees must report data to the CSA on mandatory performance measures developed by the OJJDP. Once a purpose area(s) has been selected in Section II-C above, click below on the corresponding selection(s) and follow the directions for choosing the data to be reported. Data choices will appear in either one or both of these categories – direct service programs or system change programs. Grantees must first determine which categories best describes their project, as this will determine the data to be collected. Please note the Reporting Format column that prescribes the precise data to be collected. **Applicants must submit the completed Federal Performance Measure form(s) as part of this application process.**

Juvenile Accountability Block Grant (JABG)

Performance Measures:

- Program Area 1: Graduated Sanctions PDF
- Program Area 2: Corrections/Detention Facilities PDF
- Program Area 3: Court Staffing and Pretrial Services PDF
- Program Area 4: Prosecutors (Staffing) PDF
- Program Area 5: Prosecutors (Funding) PDF
- Program Area 6: Training for Law Enforcement and Court Personnel PDF
- Program Area 7: Juvenile Gun Courts PDF
- Program Area 8: Juvenile Drug Courts PDF
- Program Area 9: Juvenile Records System PDF
- Program Area 10: Information Sharing PDF
- Program Area 11: Accountability PDF

Program Area 12: Risk and Needs Assessment PDF
Program Area 13: School Safety PDF
Program Area 14: Restorative Justice PDF
Program Area 15: Juvenile Courts and Probation PDF
Program Area 16: Detention/Corrections Personnel PDF

SECTION III: BUDGET INFORMATION

- A. BUDGET LINE ITEM TOTALS:** Please complete the applicable fields in the following table for the proposed budget. Administrative overhead may not exceed 5% of the total grant funds requested. The required cash match for all other projects is 10% of the total project costs.

Salaries and Benefits	\$ 150,000.00	\$ -	\$ 150,000.00
Services and Supplies	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 26,000.00
Professional Services		\$ -	\$ -
CBO Contracts			\$ -
Administrative Overhead		\$ 10,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
Fixed Assets/Equipment	\$ 30,000.00	\$ 6,222.00	\$ 36,222.00
Other			\$ -
Total	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 22,222.00	\$ 222,222.00

NOTE: The budget table is an Excel document. Double click on the document; fill in the numbers for auto calculation, then save.

- B. BUDGET LINE ITEM DETAILS:** Provide sufficient detail/breakdown to explain how the requested funds outlined in the table above will be expended in each applicable line item. Identify match items, their respective dollar amounts, and source of the match funds.

- 1. SALARIES AND BENEFITS:** Number of staff, classification, salary and benefits.

Deputy Probation Officers (3) will be assigned to the Juvenile High Risk Unit for assignment in the Central Valley Gang Intelligence Task Force (1), the Narcotic Canine Program (1), and high-risk gang offender supervision (1). Costs will include salary and benefits for the full-time officers for 26 weeks. It is anticipated that the total cost will not exceed \$150,000.

- 2. SERVICES AND SUPPLIES:** Includes leases, rent, utilities, travel and training.

Includes the purchase of one narcotic canine, training for the canine and handler, and supplies for the maintenance and upkeep of the canine. Cost to purchase and train both the canine and handler is between \$13,000 and \$16,000. Cost for canine upkeep for six months is not expected to exceed \$7,000. Total anticipated expense will not exceed \$20,000.

An additional \$6,000 will be expended by the Probation Department for grant-related training, including travel, expenses for the designated officers.

- 3. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES:** Includes evaluator, consultant services, therapists, and other professionals as required.

- 4. COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS:** Name of organization and services to be provided.

- 5. ADMINISTRATIVE OVERHEAD:** Indicate percentage and how calculated. This total may not exceed 5% of the grant funds.

Administrative Costs: 5% of total project cost for Probation Department Administration to administer this grant. Duties will include oversight of the Narcotic Canine Program and the Juvenile High Risk Offender Unit. Total cost: \$10,000

6. FIXED ASSETS/EQUIPMENT: Office equipment, vehicles, other equipment necessary to perform program activities.

The purchase and proper equipping of a marked canine vehicle is expected to cost no more than \$30,000.

An additional \$6,222 will be expended by the Probation Department for the purchase of equipment for gang supervision officers as a portion of the cash match.

7. OTHER: Any other items not covered above but necessary to meet program goals.

SECTION IV: LOCAL ADVISORY BOARD

In meeting the federal requirement, indicate in the spaces below the membership of the locally designated advisory board charged with reviewing the plan for expending JABG funds.

Name	Title	Agency
Jerry Powers	Chair	Stanislaus County Probation
Adam Christianson	Sheriff	Stanislaus County Sheriff
Birgit Fladager	District Attorney	Stanislaus County District Attorney
Roy Wasden	Chief of Police	Modesto Police Department
The Honorable Linda McFadden	Presiding Judge of the Juvenile Court	Stanislaus County Superior Court
Arturo Florez	Superintendent	Modesto City Schools
Denise Hunt	Director	Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
Linda M. Kovacs	Director	Center for Human Services
William Dyer	Public Member	Community-at-Large
Tom Changnon	Superintendent	Stanislaus County Office of Education
Tim Bazar	Public Defender	Stanislaus County Public Defender's Office
Rick Robinson	Chief Executive Officer	Chief Executive Office

SECTION V: GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTION

As part of the grant application process, applicants must submit a resolution from the City Council/Board of Supervisors or Tribal Government addressing the specified issues. **Please see Attachment C for a Sample Resolution.** The resolution is required to be executed at the time the application is submitted. CSA will accept a faxed or scanned copy to accompany the e-mail application. The original resolution must be provided to the CSA prior to a grant award agreement being signed. Resolutions may be directed by mail to the JABG Coordinator, Connie Lucero at Corrections Standards Authority, 600 Bercut Drive, Sacramento 95811.

SECTION VI: AUDIT IDENTIFICATION

Grant recipients must submit an audit of expenditures within 120 days following the end of the grant period. Grantees may choose either a program specific audit or a single federal audit. Federal guidelines allow grant recipients receiving \$500,000 or more in federal funds (from all sources including pass-through sub-awards) in a fiscal year to use their federal juvenile justice grant funds to pay for the cost of the audit. Grantees falling below the \$500,000 threshold must use non-federal funds (i.e., match funds) to pay for audit costs. For purposes of this application, please check one of the boxes below to indicate the grantee's choice for meeting the audit requirement.

In conformance with Federal OMB Circular #A-133, and the California State Controller's Accounting Standards and Procedures Chapter 23, Grant Accounting Index, the identified grant will be included in the City/County **Single Federal Audit Report**, which will be submitted to the CSA within the required timeframe of 120 days from the end of the 12-month grant period. NOTE: Should an extension be needed, please provide in advance of the deadline a written justification that indicates reasons for the extension and the timeframe needed.

OR

In conformance with Federal OMB Circular #A-133, and the California State Controller's Accounting Standards and Procedures Chapter 23, Grant Accounting Index, the grantee will provide a **Program Specific Final Audit Report** to the CSA within the required timeframe of 120 days from the end of the 6-month grant period.

**PLEASE E-MAIL YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION
BY DECEMBER 3, 2008**
to
Connie.Lucero @cdcr.ca.gov

APPENDIX B – JABG PROGRAM PURPOSE AREAS

- 1) **Graduated sanctions:** Developing, implementing, and administering graduated sanctions for juvenile offenders.
- 2) **Corrections/detention facilities:** Building, expanding, renovating, or operating temporary or permanent juvenile corrections, detention or community corrections facilities.
- 3) **Court staffing and pretrial services:** Hiring juvenile court judges, probation officers, and court-appointed defenders and special advocates, and funding pretrial services (including mental health screening/assessment) for juvenile offenders to promote the effective, expeditious administration of the juvenile justice system.
- 4) **Prosecutors (staffing):** Hiring additional prosecutors so that more cases involving violent juvenile offenders can be prosecuted and backlogs reduced.
- 5) **Prosecutors (funding):** Providing funding to enable prosecutors to address drug, gang, and youth violence problems more effectively and for technology, equipment, and training to assist prosecutors in identifying and expediting the prosecution of violent juvenile offenders.
- 6) **Training for law enforcement and court personnel:** Establishing and maintaining training programs for law enforcement and other court personnel with respect to preventing and controlling juvenile crime
- 7) **Juvenile gun courts:** Establishing juvenile gun courts for the prosecution and adjudication of juvenile firearms offenders
- 8) **Juvenile drug courts:** Establishing drug court programs to provide continuing judicial supervision over juvenile offenders with substance abuse problems and to integrate administration of other sanctions and services for such offenders
- 9) **Juvenile records system:** Establishing and maintaining a system of juvenile records designed to promote public safety
- 10) **Information sharing:** Establishing and maintaining interagency information-sharing programs that enable the juvenile and criminal justice systems, schools, and social services agencies to make more informed decisions regarding the early identification, control, supervision, and treatment of juveniles who repeatedly commit serious delinquent or criminal acts.
- 11) **Accountability:** Establishing and maintaining accountability-based programs designed to reduce recidivism among juveniles who are referred by law enforcement personnel or agencies.
- 12) **Risk and needs assessment:** Establishing and maintaining programs to conduct risk and needs assessments of juvenile offenders that facilitate effective early intervention and the provision of comprehensive services, including mental health screening and treatment and substance abuse testing and treatment, to such offenders.
- 13) **School safety:** Establishing and maintaining accountability-based programs designed to enhance school safety.
- 14) **Restorative justice:** Establishing and maintaining restorative justice programs.
- 15) **Juvenile courts and probation:** Establishing and maintaining programs to enable juvenile courts and juvenile probation officers to be more effective and efficient in holding juvenile offenders accountable and reducing recidivism.
- 16) **Detention/corrections personnel:** Hiring detention and corrections personnel and establishing and maintaining training programs for such personnel, to improve facility practices and programming.
- 17) **Reentry systems and programs:** Establishing, improving and coordinating pre-release and post-release systems and programs to facilitate the successful reentry of juvenile offenders from state and local custody into the community.

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Date: November 25, 2008

No. 2008-810

On motion of Supervisor O'Brien Seconded by Supervisor Grover

and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Grover, Monteith, and Vice Chairman DeMartini

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: Mayfield

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED:

Item # *B-14

WHEREAS the Stanislaus County Probation Department desires to receive and utilize federal grant funds available through the Juvenile Accountability Block Grant ("Gang Intervention") Program administered by the Corrections Standards Authority (hereafter referred to as CSA).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Chief Probation Officer is authorized on behalf of the Board of Supervisors to submit the JABG application and sign the Grant Agreement with the CSA, including the amendments thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Stanislaus County agrees to provide all matching funds required for said project, and abide by the statutes and regulations governing the JABG program as well as the terms and conditions of the Grant Agreement set forth by the CSA.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grand funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received will be encumbered by June 30, 2009 and liquidated by September 29, 2009, and no requests for extensions will be submitted.

ATTEST: CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors,
State of California

