

To: Board of Supervisors

From: William Walker, M.D., Health Services Director

Date: August 12, 2010



Contra  
Costa  
County

Subject: California Counties' Mental Health Services Authority

**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

1. Authorize the Health Services Department, Mental Health Division to participate in the California Mental Health Services Authority, Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement. The California Mental Health Services Authority (CMHSA) was approved by the Secretary of State on July 1, 2009. The CMHSA would allow counties to transfer the allocation for approved Mental Health Services Act Funds to jointly develop and fund mental health and education programs on a regional, statewide, or other basis.
2. Authorize the Mental Health Director to sign the Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement; and
3. Appoint the Mental Health Director as Contra Costa County's delegate to the Authority and the Deputy Director of Mental Health as the alternate.

APPROVE
  OTHER  
 RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR
  RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: 09/14/2010  APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED  OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYES	<u>4</u>	NOES	<u>    </u>
ABSENT	<u>    </u>	ABSTAIN	<u>    </u>
RECUSE	<u>    </u>		

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

**ATTESTED: September 14, 2010**

David J. Twa, County Administrator  
and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

*Katherine Sinclair*  
By: KATHERINE SINCLAIR, Deputy

Contact: Donna Wigand, 957-5111

cc: Barbara Borbon, Tasha Scott, Mary Roy