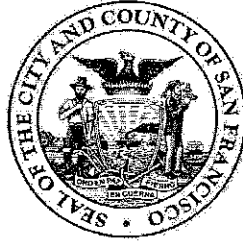


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RESOLUTION 09-002

RECOMMENDING THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ALLOW THE JUVENILE PROBATION DEPARTMENT TO ADVANCE THE PLAN FOR LOG CABIN RANCH.

WHEREAS, Log Cabin Ranch, a residential facility established in 1953 is the only county-operated post adjudication facility for boys; and,

WHEREAS, Mayor Gavin Newsom has directed Chief William Siffermann to develop and implement a new program plan to improve the outcomes for Log Cabin Ranch residents; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Department of Juvenile Probation has developed a comprehensive program plan, as outlined in a document presented to the Mayor, the Board of Supervisors, and the Juvenile Probation Commission in May 2009, that increases therapeutic programming, strengthens transition and aftercare planning, offers new vocational training and educational opportunities, and provides intensive training for staff on engagement and supervision of youth; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Juvenile Probation Department has contracted with the Missouri Youth Services Institute who developed the nationally recognized best practice for operating juvenile detention and residential facilities to provide comprehensive training and coaching for Log Cabin Ranch staff; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Juvenile Probation Department has received Youthful Offender Block Grant funds from the State of California for the exclusive purpose of improving programs and services for this population of juvenile offenders,

RESOLVED, That the Juvenile Probation Commission recommends that the Board of Supervisors advance the plan for Log Cabin Ranch; and be it

Adopted at the Regular Meeting of the San Francisco Juvenile Probation Commission on August 12, 2009

Ayes:

Nays:

Pauline Silva-Re, Commission Secretary