

## **Local Innovation Subaccount – Project Selection Process and Timeline**

### *Process:*

1. The Yolo County Board of Supervisor’s Local Innovation Subaccount Ad Hoc Subcommittee requested that County staff review prior Subaccount expenditures and consider programs for renewal. In addition, Staff was asked to research possible new spending options.
2. Staff engaged in robust review of prior Subaccount expenditures. Staff performed research and limited outreach to organizations that were not previously funded from this source while also operating programming that meets necessary criteria for funding.
3. Staff identified two new options for organizations that might have programming that would potentially qualify:
  - a. Pro Youth and Families, a local non-profit organization primarily operating in Sacramento County that runs youth-focused programming. They stated that they had formerly operated in Yolo County but did not provide specific dates.
  - b. Advance Peace, a non-profit organization founded in Richmond, CA, which engages in programming targeted towards reducing/eliminating gun violence in communities. They currently operate a program in Woodland using a mix of city and county funding.
4. Staff met with both organizations and solicited program and spending proposals. Both proposals, along with a review of prior expenditures under the Local Innovation Subaccount, were presented to the Ad Hoc Subcommittee.
5. After reviewing the options, the Subcommittee requested that Advance Peace be offered a contract for one year of program operations, with an option to extend to a second year provided the program reports acceptable outcomes during the first year. The contract is to be brought to the full Board of Supervisors for approval.

### *Timeline:*

- September 28, 2022: The Local Innovation Ad Hoc Subcommittee requested that Staff review prior programming and perform outreach for new programming options.
- October 2022 - March 2023: County Staff completed the requested review and outreach.
- March 29, 2023: Staff reported on prior expenditures and the two identified new program options to the Ad Hoc Subcommittee. The Ad Hoc Subcommittee requested that the organization Advance Peace provide a budget and programming scope for their review.
- May 15, 2023: The Advance Peace program scope and budget were presented to the Ad Hoc Subcommittee, and the Ad Hoc gave their approval to move forward with funding the program for one year, with an option to renew for a second year.
- June 27, 2023: Anticipated date for bringing the contract to the full Board of Supervisors for approval.