

DATE: November 17, 2016

AGENDA ITEM: B

TO: BSCC Chair and Members

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SUBJECT: Senate Bill 81 Local Youthful Offender Rehabilitative Facility Construction, Tulare County Relinquishment and Recommended Conditional Award to Riverside County: **Requesting Approval.**

Summary

Tulare County has formally relinquished its \$3,000,000 Senate Bill 81 Local Youthful Offender Rehabilitative Facility Construction Financing Program funding award. This agenda item requests that the Board of State and Community Corrections acknowledge and accept this relinquishment and approve the reallocation of funding to the last project in the large county set-aside on the list. Riverside County would receive \$1,601,545 to augment its partial award of \$15,898,455 to a full \$17,500,000.

Background

The currently authorized SB 81 lease revenue bond funding authority is \$300,000,000. The Board allocated this funding at its April 9, 2015 meeting by making conditional awards to eight counties (Attachment B-1).

At that meeting, the Board made a full award of \$3,000,000 to Tulare County, which ranked second in the medium-sized county category. On this same date, the Board also granted Riverside County, which ranked third in the large-sized counties, a conditional partial award of \$15,898,455.

On August 23, 2016, Tulare provided the BSCC with written correspondence citing its desire to proceed with a much smaller project and gave formal notice to the BSCC that it is declining its conditional SB 81 Round Two award (Attachment B-2). The BSCC received the letter on September 6th 2016.

It has been past practice of this Board to allow funds reverted by a county to be awarded to the next county in ranked order within the same population category. Although Riverside County is in the Large County category, Riverside is the last county on the SB 81 list. With Riverside County being conditionally awarded, the list will be fully exhausted.

Recommendation/Action Needed

1. Staff recommends the Board acknowledge that Tulare County has declined its SB 81 Local Youthful Offender Rehabilitative Facility Construction Financing Program funding award.
2. Staff recommends that the Board make Riverside County's partial award a full conditional award, increasing it from \$15,898,455 to \$17,500,000. Staff also requests approval to formally present this conditional award to Riverside County.

Attachments

B-1: April 9, 2015 Board Agenda Report

B-2: Tulare County Relinquishment Letter, received September 6, 2016