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November 6, 2001

AGENDA: November 20, 2001

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
County of Santa Cruz
701 Ocean Street
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SUBJECT: Follow-up Report on Redwoods/STAR Program Facility Repairs

Dear Members of the Board:

During the FY 2001-02 budget hearings, your Board received a report on the conversion of the Children's Mental Health Redwoods program to the new dual diagnosis STAR program. At that time, your Board directed the Health Services Agency and General Services to report back on a number of facility repairs that were needed at the program.

The following is an update of the facility projects currently scheduled for this fiscal year:

HVAC: A new HVAC system was installed this summer in one of the facility's classrooms.

Floors: Leveling of facility floors, replacement of the underlay and replacement of the carpet and vinyl floor coverings is planned to be completed this winter. Funding for this project is provided for in the General Services maintenance budget.

Interior Walls: Plywood-backed fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP) protected walls are needed to protect surfaces from damage. The estimated costs for this project are approximately \$8,500 with funding provided for in the Health Services Agency budget. General Services is developing work plans for this project and is scheduling the work for the third quarter of this fiscal year.

ADA Access: Current wheelchair and nighttime access is accommodated by entry through the Juvenile Hall. Alternative plans for direct wheelchair and nighttime access to the STAR facility are not cost effective at this time.

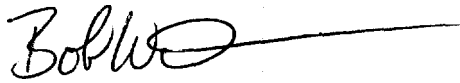
In addition, minor repairs and modifications to the facility are being accomplished through routine maintenance work requests.

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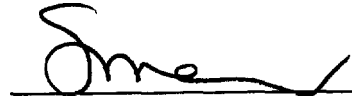
It is, therefore, RECOMMENDED that your Board accept and file this report on facility repairs at the Redwoods/STAR program.

Sincerely,



BOB WATSON
Director

RECOMMENDED



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