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a. Contract Control Number: Safty201313884

b. Duration: Oct 2013 – September 2015

c. Location: Denver – City wided. Affected Council District: City wide

e. Benefits:

Goal 1: Expand and enhance the WCR project to serve high-risk female offenders and those who have not yet been diagnosed with co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorders through: 1) integrated approach of evidence-based treatment, gender-specific and trauma-informed care; and 2) coordination of pre- and post-release services addressing criminogenic risk, health, reentry services and co-occurring treatment needs.

Objective 1-a: Identify and screen a minimum of 200 female inmates incarcerated in DCJ RISE and Transition specialty units and the general jail population for WCR eligibility.

Objective 1-b: Assess and enroll 100 eligible women; create individualized and integrated jail-to-community reentry transition and treatment case plans through needs identified under the WRNA, Addiction Severity Inventory and Mental Health assessments.

Goal 2: Enhance and expand participant stabilization services in the jail and community and reduce recidivism rates among women with co-occurring mental health and substance abuse disorders.

Objective 2-a: Reduce recidivism rate by 10% from the current 57% rate one-year post services.

Objective 2-b: 95% of project participants will be evaluated for eligibility in Medicaid or other health insurance enrollment with 60 days of enrollment in services.

f. Costs: 599,780

7. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance? (Groups or individuals who may have concerns about it?) Please explain.

None

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