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Board of Supervisors
County of Marin
3501 Civic Center Drive
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Subject: Approval of a Resolution for the District Attorney's Child Abuse Treatment Program grant.

Dear Board Members:

Recommendation: It is recommended that the Board approve attached Resolution No. 2009 - _____, authorizing the District Attorney to apply for continuation funding for the Child Abuse Treatment Program.

Summary: The Child Abuse Treatment Program, funded in part from funds authorized by the Federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) of 1984, Public Law 98-473, Victim Compensation and Assistance Act, as amended, 42 U.S.C. §10601-10607; Victims of Child Abuse Act, as amended, 42 USC § 13001, et seq., is a joint effort between the District Attorney's Office and the Family Service Agency of Marin. The program provides services to Marin County children who have been victims of abuse and who have no means of obtaining mental health treatment. The program provides evaluation and therapy, as well as victim advocacy services.

Fiscal Impact: The grant for the FY 09-10 program, including matching funds, is expected to be \$189,715. The grant requires a twenty percent match which will largely be made by the Family Service Agency of Marin. Any match contributions by the District Attorney's Office will be provided by existing staff services.

Respectfully submitted,

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