RESOLUTION	NO:	2020-11-270
LIVINGSTON COUNTY	DATE:	November 23, 2020

## **Resolution** Authorizing a Contract with Community Mental Health for Inmate Mental Health Services 2021 - Jail

- WHEREAS, Livingston County Sheriff's Office has a need for Jail Inmate Mental Health Services; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Sheriff's Office had previously contracted mental health services with Advanced Correctional Healthcare; and
- **WHEREAS,** the contract with Advanced Correctional Healthcare was amended to remove the mental health services in the amount of \$173,000 to contract with Livingston County Community Mental Health effective January 1, 2021 at no additional cost to the County; and,
- **WHEREAS,** Livingston County Community Mental Health will provide 70 hours per week of mental health coverage by Qualified Mental Health Professionals; and
- **WHEREAS,** services provided will include case management, peer support, psychotropic medications, daily meetings with inmates in distress and on suicide watch, psychiatric consultation as needed; and
- **WHEREAS,** additional services include jail diversion before and after booking, faster bed placement by working with forensics, coordination of medication, petitions for hospitalization, coping skill classes and one on ones.
- **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Livingston County Board of Commissioners hereby authorize entering into an agreement with Livingston County Community Mental Health for Inmate Mental Health Services at the rate of \$173,000 annually for the period of January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2022.
- **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chair of the Livingston County Board of Commissioners is authorized to sign all forms, assurances, contracts/agreements, renewals and future amendments for monetary and contract language adjustments related to the above upon review and/or preparation of Civil Counsel.

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