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Subject: FW: Error in Specialty Court Funding Allocation/Distribution
Date: Friday, July 20, 2018 8:42:20 AM

Email from Linda confirming FY19 funding below.

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From: Aguire, Linda [mailto:laguire@nvcourts.nv.gov]
Sent: Thursday, July 12, 2018 7:14 AM
To: Houk, Nicole <NHouk@washoecounty.us>
Cc: Sweet, Robin <rsweet@nvcourts.nv.gov>
Subject: RE: Error in Specialty Court Funding Allocation/Distribution

Nicole

The new amount that will be distributed is \$35,050, which is the same as fiscal year 2018.

If you have any other questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best Regards.

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Hi Linda,

With this new information, I just need to confirm that Sparks Recovery Court will be receiving \$45,050 as stated in our funding letter or if the amount will be reduced. I have submitted the board item to the BCC which has been approved and set on the agenda for July 24th. If the amount is going to change, please let me know so that I may pull my board item and resubmit with the new amount.

Thank you,

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From: Wilson, Chris
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Nicole,

We lost the extra funding. Can you contact the other court and see if resetting to last years amounts will suffice.

From: Sweet, Robin [<mailto:rsweet@nvcourts.nv.gov>]
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Dear Specialty Court Judges and Coordinators:

Recently, the Specialty Court Committee voted to distribute additional funds to the General Fund Specialty Court programs in State Fiscal Year 2019. Upon further review of the available funding, however, it was discovered that \$583,971 in General Fund was mistakenly counted twice in the amounts allocated. As such, it is necessary to amend the previously allotted amounts of General Fund Supplemental Funding back to the originally contemplated (and approved) \$3,000,000 across the State. Fixing this error will help to maintain stability within Nevada's Specialty Court system and to ensure that the citizens who wish to pursue these valuable life changing experiences will still have that opportunity.

We realize this unfortunate misunderstanding may cause some difficulty in your organization, as plans for this extra funding may have already been set in motion. If that is the case, we can only hope you will accept our sincerest apologies. Though we cannot help you in reversing anything that needs to be scaled back, please know that this discrepancy, and how it was misunderstood, has been noted within the Administrative Office of the Courts Accounting Office, which will more clearly outline the available funding to be allocated in the future so that such misunderstandings do not occur again. Thank you for your continued dedication to the Specialty Court programs around the Silver State, and to the individuals who so desperately need these services.

Best Regards,
Robin

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