

## Lucy Flores Mendez

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**From:** Silas Halloran-Steiner  
**Sent:** Monday, May 23, 2016 3:16 PM  
**To:** Mary Starrett; Laura Tschabold  
**Cc:** Keri Hinton; Lucy Flores Mendez; Christina Malae; Terry Malay; Emily Piper  
**Subject:** Board Consideration "add on": Permission to apply Rental Assistance program - Young Adults

Hi Mary and Laura,

I would like to request the Board's permission to apply for Rental Assistance Program funding from the Health Systems Division (HSD). This funding will be in addition to our current funding through the Mid-Valley Behavioral Care Network and Health Systems Division. The grant request will be for approximately \$74,000 for a 9 month period beginning October 2016. If awarded, the grant would fund .15 FTE for a Residential Specialist and .15 FTE for a Peer Support Specialist and provide rent subsidies and move-in cost assistance. While this grant was not included specifically in our original budget presentation, we have the expense authority budgeted within our Proposed 2016-2017 budget.

The target population for these funds will be young adults with serious mental health illness who are transitioning from the Oregon State Hospital or licensed residential setting; or who are at risk of reentering licensed residential or hospital setting without supportive housing; or who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless. We will administer the program through our Community Support Services Division.

If our grant application is successful, I will return to the Board to request approval for the actual amount awarded.

Lucy/Keri: Please place this as an add-on item to this week's Board Agenda. Board Agenda language:

"Authorize Silas Halloran-Steiner on behalf of Yamhill County Health and Human Services to apply for Rental Assistance Program funding through the Oregon Health Authority, Health Systems Division for Young Adults with serious mental health illness."

Thanks,

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Our Mission: To promote the public's physical, emotional and social well-being through services, prevention, education, and partnerships.

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