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MARIPOSA COUNTY
COUNTY PLAN ADDENDUM
FOR WELFARE-TO-WORK (WtW) GRANT PROGRAM

In Mariposa County the U.S. Department of Labor Welfare-to-Work (WtW) Grant funds are administered through Mother Lode job Training. Mariposa County Human Services Department, Social Services Division, joins efforts with the Mariposa Office of Mother Lode job Training to serve clients using the 85 percent WtW Grant funds. We have jointly developed a referral process and the types of services available to assist our clients to break the cycle of dependency. Social Services uses the State WtW Grant matching funds to identify clients who meet the criteria, refer clients to Mother Lode job Training, develop the Welfare to Work Plan and collaboratively with local WtW Grant staff manage the client's participation and progress. Social Services staff identify potential referral clients by reviewing the list the State has provided of recipients who have been on aid longer than 30 months. Other factors required for referral are determined by interviewing the client and reviewing the case record. Low skills are determined through testing by Mother Lode job Training staff.