



To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority

From: Jodi Traversaro, Regional Program Manager

Date: November 18, 2021

Re: Item 06c: Targeted Violence and Terrorism Prevention (TVTP) Program Update

Staff Recommendation:

No recommendation

Action or Discussion Items:

Discussion

Discussion:

Last month, the Bay Area UASI was awarded \$1,060,924 in FY21 Targeted Violence and Terrorism Prevention (TVTP) program grants. The BA UASI was also selected to present at the National Fusion Center Conference in April, 2022. Since the last briefing to the Approval Authority, the TVTP Program has accomplished the following:

- Presented at the California Association of School Counselors Conference
- Initiated new FY21 TVTP grant funded projects
- Provided Targeted Violence: Community Awareness and Prevention Strategies training to more than 120 stakeholders and began scheduling Train-the-Trainer courses
- Received approval from the Institutional Review Board for our Safe School Ambassadors anti-bullying program
- Identified 5 schools to benefit from the Community Matters "Safe School Ambassadors" Program
- Led the Nov. 10 Quarterly California Prevention Practitioners Network, and finalized the charter
- Implemented best practices in data gathering and evaluating our training programs in partnership with Research Triangle Institute
- Expanded the Bay Area UASI TVTP website to include more resources and training

Discussion/Description:

Regional Program Manager Jodi Traversaro will present a status update of the TVTP. The attached Appendix A is an accompanying PowerPoint presentation.