



Agenda Item

File #: 23-0254

Requested Agenda Date:

3/14/2023

Requested Agenda Title:

Budget Adjustment: Indigent Legal Services requests \$250,000 one-time to fund a contract with a private defense attorney to replace the Salt Lake Legal Defender Association (LDA) due to a conflict of interest.

Requested Agenda Item Description: Salt Lake Legal Defender Association (LDA), County's primary adult criminal defense services provider, was found to have a material conflict of interest for the aggravated murder case State v. Carmona.

This one time request is to fund a contract with a private defense attorney to step in and replace LDA through the trial or other resolution of the case.

Requested Action: Discussion - Vote Needed

Presenter(s) (with titles): Hoa Nguyen, Council Budget and Policy Analyst

Time Needed: Less than 5 MINS

Is this Item Time-Sensitive and/or Requesting a Time-Certain? No

Requesting Staff Member: Karen Crompton, Human Services, Department Director

Are Supporting Documents Needed for this Agenda Item Request? Yes