Trial Court Trust Fund Allocations: 2 Percent State-Level Reserve

Judicial Council Meeting February 20, 2014

- On January 30, 2013, the court submitted an application with all the required information
- Court projected a negative fund balance of \$1.97 million in 2012-2013 for an unanticipated expenditure



The \$1.97 million negative fund balance included:

- \$2.11 million for deployment costs for a new CMS which includes five years of licensing and maintenance costs
- \$141,000 positive projected fund balance



• The Judicial Council considered the court's request and approved an allocation of up to \$2.11 million over a five-year period, starting with \$733,000 in 2012–2013 with terms and conditions listed on page 3 of report.



In order to receive a distribution 2 percent state-level reserve the court must provide:

 Projection of project costs and detailed financial information demonstrating why it is unable to address those costs within existing resources by no later than November 1 of each year.



Supplemental Funding Request for the Superior Court of Kings County

- On January 16, 2014, the court submitted a revised application (initial application was submitted on 10/17/13) with all the required information.
- Court projects a negative fund balance of \$147,000 in 2013-2014.



Overview of Supplemental Funding Request for the Superior Court of Kings County

The \$147,000 negative fund balance is comprised of:

- \$130,000 for the second year deployment costs for a new CMS
- \$17,000 operational deficiency due to higher than budgeted expenditures



Overview of Supplemental Funding Request for Kings (cont.)

\$130,000 for the second yeardeployment costs for a new CMS

Deployment Costs in Fiscal Year 2013-2014		
	(In Millions)	
Total Costs of 2 nd Year Deployment	(\$.600)	
TCTF Allocation Remaining from 2012-2013	<u>\$.470</u>	
Amount Needed for 2 nd Year Deployment	(\$.130)	



Overview of Supplemental Funding Request for Kings (cont.)

Fiscal Year 2013-2014	
	(In Millions)
Total Revenue Sources	\$ 9.411
Total Expenditures	<u>(\$ 9.558)</u>
Projected Ending Fund Balance	(\$.147)
CMS Costs for 2 nd Year Deployment	(\$.130)
Operational Deficiency	(\$.017)



Recommendation 1 – Option 1

- Option 1: Deny Request Continue on county CMS mainframe
 - Costs will increase 69% from 2013-2014 in 2014-2015 since court will be the only remaining entity on county CMS mainframe.
 - Court indicates it may default on contract with vendor.



Recommendation 1 - Option 2

- Option 2: Grant the Court's Request
 - Allocation of up to \$130,000 for second year of a five year period CMS deployment from the 2 percent reserve
 - Savings from transitioning off county CMS to new CMS starting in 2015-2016
 - Judicial Council may allocate up to \$1.377 million remaining of the \$2.11 million approved in 2012 13



Recommendation 1 – Option 3

- Option 3: Approve Partial Funding of the Court's Request and Operational Deficiency of \$53,000.
 - Approve second year cost of deployment of new CMS of \$130,000 and the operational deficiency of \$17,000 for a total of \$147,000.
 - Reduced by the amount of additional allocations the Judicial Council makes at this meeting (anticipated to be \$94,000), for a net total of \$53,000.



Recommendation 1 – Option 3 (cont.)

Fiscal Year 2013-2014		
	(In Millions)	
Total Revenue Sources	\$ 9.411	
Total Expenditures	(\$ 9.558)	
Projected Ending Fund Balance	(\$.147)	
Anticipated Additional Allocations:		
Criminal Realignment	\$.015	
2 Percent State Level Reserve	\$.063	
Court Appointed Dependency Counsel	<u>\$.016</u>	
Total Additional Allocations:	\$.094	
Revised Ending Fund Balance	(\$.053)	



Superior Court of Kings County– Fiscal Year 2014-2015

- Costs for third year deployment are estimated to be \$603,000 for new
 CMS
- Deployment costs will cause a deficit for the court even with WAFM allocation adjustment assuming \$100 million in new



Superior Court of Kings County Fiscal Year 2014-2015

Estimated Fiscal Year 2014-2015

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	(In Millions)
Revenue Sources	\$ 8.216
Estimated WAFM assuming \$100 million	<u>\$.422</u>
Total Revenues	\$ 8.638
Operating Expenditures	(\$ 8.583)
CMS Costs for 3rd Year Deployment	(\$.603)
Estimated Savings from Transitioning from County March 2015	<u>\$.167</u>
Total Expenditures	(\$ 9.019)
Projected Ending Fund Balance	(\$.381)



Recommendation 2

Approve allocations to all courts to be distributed after March 15 of a proportionate share of any unexpended funds from the 2 percent state-level reserve, as required by Judicial Council policy and by statute (Gov. Code § 68502.5).



End of Presentation

