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To: Dr. Karen Barber and School Board Members

From: Michele Barlow, Director of Student Service

Re: Nurse extension agreement with Santa Rosa County Health Department and Santa

Rosa County School District

Dr. Barber and School Board members,

The School Board approved a full-time nurse and a .5 nurse in October of 2020. The full-time nurse was added to assist student services with COVID documentation, clearance, and contact tracing. The .5 is paid for out of Medicaid funds and the health department pays for the other .5.

During school year 2021-2022, the additional nurse contract was extended to provide nursing services at East Bay. The attachment is a request to extend nursing services to cover the 2022-2023 school year. For your information, the .5 contract expires in 2025.

Thank you for your consideration,

Michele Barlow Director of Student Services