

To: Commissioners Court

From: Bill Bilyeu, County Administrator

Date: December 17, 2014

Re: Agreement with Public Information Associates

I recommend that the Commissioners Court amend the existing agreement with Public Information Associates to include services related to developing a plan to replace Northstar. NorthSTAR Program is a publicly funded managed care system for the delivery of mental health and substance use disorder services to eligible residents of the region.

Public Information Associates staff conducted Collin County's 2011 study of the existing mental health system and thus are uniquely qualified to handle this project.

Please contact me with any questions.