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DATE:	July 24, 2020
TO:	Honorable Cindy Chavez, Chairperson, Re-Entry Network Jeffrey V. Smith, County Executive Javier Aguirre, Director, Re-Entry Services
FROM:	Laurie Smith, Sheriff US
SUBJECT:	Re-Entry Network Meeting, August 14, 2019, Agenda Item 197: Report relating to education and employment services.

At the August 14, 2019 meeting of the Re-Entry network, Chairperson Chavez requested that the Office of the Sheriff provide its report relating to education and employment services to Javier Aguirre, Director, Reentry Services, for distribution to the Commission.

The Office of the Sheriff currently provides educational services in the jail through agreements with Five Keys Charter Schools and Milpitas Adult Education. Employment services are provided to inmates in collaboration with Goodwill and the County of Santa Clara Office of Reentry Services.

- Educational services provided by Five Keys Charter Schools
 - High school diploma
 - Career and technical education
- Educational services provided by Milpitas Adult Education
 - High School Equivalency ("HiSet"; "GED")
 - Career and technical education
- Employment services are provided through collaborative arrangements between Goodwill and the Santa Clara County Office of Reentry Services.