### DEVELOPMENT OF PRIVATE JUVENILE TREATMENT FACILITIES

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**Policy:**

It is the policy of the Board of Supervisors that organizations planning to develop private juvenile treatment facilities in Riverside, must as a preliminary step in the development process, consult with affected county departments which serve on the Juvenile Facilities Advisory Committee (JFAC). The JFAC shall consist of representatives of the following departments: Planning, Probation, Public Social Services, Health, Mental Health, Sheriff, Building & Safety and the Riverside County Office of Education. The following process will be followed to implement this policy of the Board of Supervisors:

1. Individuals seeking to develop private juvenile treatment facilities in Riverside County shall be subject to the requirements of a public use permit as set forth within section 18.29 of Riverside County Ordinance No. 348.

2. As part of the public use permit review process, no action shall be taken until the proposed project has been referred for comment to the JFAC.

3. The report from JFAC shall consist of the following areas:
   
   a. The types of programs;
   
   b. Needed location for facilities;
   
   c. Capacity;
   
   d. Willingness to give first priority placement to Riverside County children;
   
   e. Such other pertinent information that may be required depending on the application.

4. If the proposed facility exceeds Riverside County needs, the JFAC report shall include an estimate of additional costs to the County of Riverside and the Riverside County Office of Education for supportive services to non-Riverside youth.

**Reference:**

- Minute Order 3.62 of 01/30/1990
- Minute Order 3.7 of 11/07/2006
- Minute Order 3.8 of 05/21/19 (Rescinded)