



Contra
Costa
County

To: Board of Supervisors
From: William Walker, M.D.
Date: January 8, 2013

Subject: Purchase Order with Direct Systems Support

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Approve and authorize the Purchasing Agent, on behalf of the Health Services Department, to execute a Purchase Order with Direct Systems Support, in the amount of \$107,588, for maintenance and upgrades on IBM servers and related equipment software, for the period from January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013.

FISCAL IMPACT:

100% Enterprise Fund I.

BACKGROUND:

The software maintenance, if renewed under current IBM software maintenance Purchase Order, would be \$111,812. Direct Systems Support has offered the same maintenance with IBM for \$107,588. We will save \$4,300. this year alone if Contra Costa Health Services renew with Direct Systems Support.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If the Purchase Order is not approved the software would not be covered on a maintenance contract and when an incident occurs, IBM will not support Contra Costa Health Services.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **01/08/2013** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor

Candace Andersen, District II
Supervisor

Mary N. Piepho, District III
Supervisor

Karen Mitchoff, District IV
Supervisor

Federal D. Glover, District V
Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: January 8, 2013

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Carrie Del Bonta, Deputy

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cc: J Pigg, D Gary, David Runt

This may cause extended downtimes impacting healthcare operations.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

N/A