



Contra
Costa
County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Mark Peterson, District Attorney

Date: April 21, 2015

Subject: Approval to purchase a vehicle for District Attorney investigation activities

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Approve and Authorize the Purchasing Agent, on behalf of the District Attorney's office, to execute a Purchase Order with Downtown Ford of Sacramento for a new vehicle in an amount not to exceed \$31,000.00. This vehicle will be used to provide investigative services to the Auto Insurance Fraud Unit.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This vehicle is 100% funded by the Auto Insurance Fraud grant.

BACKGROUND:

One of the Sr. Inspectors in the Auto Insurance Fraud unit had been driving a vehicle on loan to us by Allstate Insurance Company. That vehicle was no longer serviceable and was returned to Allstate. Since then, the inspector has been using a rental car at an extremely high monthly cost. The purchase of this new vehicle will allow us to eliminate the rental.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The District Attorney's Office will be unable to execute the purchase order with Sacramento Ford.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **04/21/2015** ☒ 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

ABSENT: 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: April 21, 2015

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

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cc:

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

No impact.