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Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: David O. Livingston, Sheriff-Coroner

Date: June 9, 2015

Subject: Contracts to Provide Forensic Services to Local Law Enforcement Agencies

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Sheriff-Coroner, or designee, to execute contracts with agencies listed below, including mutual indemnification, to reimburse the County for forensic services for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2017:

City of Antioch, Bay Area Rapid Transit District, City of Brentwood, Contra Costa Community College District, City of Clayton, City of Concord, Town of Danville, East Bay Regional Park District, City of El Cerrito, City of Hercules, Kensington Community Services District, City of Lafayette, City of Martinez, Town of Moraga, City of Oakley, City of Orinda, City of Pinole, City of Pittsburg, City of Pleasant Hill, City of Richmond, City of San Pablo, City of San Ramon, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, City of Walnut Creek and West Contra Costa Narcotic Enforcement Team.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The contracts will allow for full cost recovery of providing forensic services to user agencies beginning in fiscal year 2015/16.

✓ APP	ROVE	OTHER
Action of Board On: 06/09/2015 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER		
Clerks Notes:		
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS		
AYE:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor	
	Candace Andersen, District II 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.
	Mary N. Piepho, District III Supervisor	ATTESTED: June 9, 2015
	Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
ABSENT:	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Chris Heck, Deputy
Contact:	Sandra Brown, 335-1553	

BACKGROUND:

The Office of the Sheriff's Forensic Laboratory will continue to provide forensic services for evidence retrieved at crime scenes, a crime scene expert to provide technical advice for processing complex evidence issues, and witness and expert testimony for services rendered for contracting agencies.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

N/A