



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: Russell Watts, Treasurer-Tax Collector
Date: December 8, 2015

Subject: Delegation of Investment Authority to the County Treasurer for Calendar Year 2016

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE the delegation of authority to the County Treasurer for investing and reinvesting County funds and the funds of other depositors in the County treasury, or to sell or exchange securities so purchased, pursuant to section 53607 of the State Government Code.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The County Treasurer manages and invests the funds of all County agencies, 21 Special Districts, 19 School Districts and one Community College District. Centralizing this function creates a dedicated staff of investment professionals and creates greater efficiency, economies of scale and greater investment power.

BACKGROUND:

State law provides that the Board of Supervisors may delegate to the County Treasurer the authority "to invest or to reinvest funds of a local agency, or to sell or exchange securities so purchased" for a one year period. It is recommended that this delegation be renewed through the calendar year 2016.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **12/08/2015** ☒ 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
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: December 8, 2015

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

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cc:

The County Treasurer would be unable to exercise his full authority in calendar year 2016, thereby negatively impacting County funds and the funds of other depositors in the County treasury.