



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Chad Godoy, Director of Agriculture/Weights & Measures

Date: September 13, 2016

Subject: Agreement #16-0529-SF LBAM Regulatory

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Agricultural Commissioner, or designee, to execute a contract with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) in an amount not to exceed \$53,342 to provide quarantine response and regulatory enforcement activities for the period October 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Agreement #16-0529-SF provides reimbursement for County expenses not to exceed \$53,342 incurred during the period October 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017 for quarantine response and regulatory enforcement activities performed on behalf of California Department of Food and Agriculture. There is no county match of funds, nor are there any grant money involved.

BACKGROUND:

The Light Brown Apple Moth (LBAM) was first detected in Contra Costa County in March 2007 and subsequently the county has become generally infested. As multiple detections of LBAM continued, the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) imposed emergency adoption of Section 3434, Light Brown Moth Interior Quarantine, eventually

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **09/13/2016** ☒ 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: September 13, 2016

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

Contact: 646-5250

cc:

adding the entirety of Contra

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Costa County. The United States Department of agriculture (UDSA) issued a Federal Domestic Quarantine Order (DA-2007-42), regulating the interstate movement of host material from the infested areas of California and Hawaii. This regulation requires all nurseries, green waste facilities, community gardens and harvest host plant commodities within the infested areas be issued quarantine compliance agreements and be inspected every 30 days.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

A negative action will result in failure to meet state mandates and reduced revenue to the department. This would also negatively impact the county's nursery industry and some growers as they would not be able to meet the requirements to ship host material to non-infested areas outside the county.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

None