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To: Board of SupervisorsFrom: Matt SlattengrenDate: February 13, 2018



Contra Costa County

Subject: Invasive Plant Management - Windemere Ranch Preserve

### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Agricultural Commissioner, or designee, to execute a contract containing modified indemnification language and accept reimbursement in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 from The Center for Natural Land Management for the provision of noxious weed control services in Windemere Preserve for the period January 10, 2018 through September 30, 2018.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

This agreement will reimburse the Agriculture Department in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 for noxious weed control services in Windemere Preserve. There is no county match of funds, nor grant money involved.

# **BACKGROUND:**

The Agriculture Department shall supply appropriate product to spray noxious weeds (artichoke thistle and purple-star thistle) with the use of backpack sprayers and all-terrain

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RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE	
Action of Board On: 02/13/2018	APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor Contact: Matt Slattengren, 646-5250	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: February 13, 2018 David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: June McHuen, Deputy

# BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

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vehicles. The noxious weed control services are limited to those locations where noxious weeds have been located, identified and pose a public, economic, environmental or recreational nuisance.

### CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If not approved, the Department would have a loss in revenue and the County may face the spread of noxious weeds.