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Costa  
County**

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Kathy Gallagher, Employment & Human Services Director

Date: April 10, 2018

Subject: Contract with Phamatech, Incorporated, for Mandatory Child Welfare Drug Testing Services

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**RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Employment and Human Services Director, or designee, to execute a contract with Phamatech, Incorporated, in an amount not to exceed \$246,960 for Child Welfare mandated drug testing services for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

This contract will increase department expenditures by \$246,960 to be funded with 30% County and 70% State revenue.

**BACKGROUND:**

Random drug tests are court-ordered services and are ordered as a part of the client service plan. Laboratory results are submitted for inclusion in the Child Welfare Family Maintenance and Reunification cases. Services include insuring the availability of specimen collection sites, screening test specimens, providing "on-demand" sample testing when requested by the County's Employment and Human Services Department (EHSD) social workers, and providing monthly statistics to EHSD for clients referred for drug testing.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

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Action of Board On: **04/10/2018** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

**VOTE OF SUPERVISORS**

AYE: John Gioia, District I  
Supervisor  
Candace Andersen, District II  
Supervisor  
Karen Mitchoff, District IV  
Supervisor  
Federal D. Glover, District V  
Supervisor

ABSENT: Diane Burgis, District III  
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 10, 2018

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

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CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without this service, the Employment and Human Services Department would be unable to comply with court-ordered drug testing.