Contra Costa County

To: **Board of Supervisors**

From: Brian M. Balbas, Public Works Director/Chief Engineer

Date: August 7, 2018

Subject: Consulting Services Agreement with Kleinfelder, Inc., Countywide.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Public Works Director, or designee, to execute a Consulting Services Agreement with Kleinfelder, Inc., in an amount not to exceed \$150,000, for on-call materials testing and inspection services for the period August 7, 2018 through September 30, 2021, Countywide. (Project No. Various) (All Districts)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Work performed under this on-call Consulting Services Agreement is funded by developer fees, local, state and federal funds for local road, flood control, and airport projects.

BACKGROUND:

The Public Works Department is involved in various projects in the County that require materials testing and inspection services for road, flood control, and airport projects. After a solicitation process, this firm was selected as one of five firms to provide materials testing and inspection services on an "on-call" basis. The Consultant will augment Public Works staff on an as-needed basis. They will be used as an extension of Public Works staff during

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▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR							
Action of Board On: 08/07/2018 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER							
Clerks Notes:							
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS							
AYE: ABSENT:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor Federal D. Glover, District V 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. ATTESTED: August 7, 2018 David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: Stacey M. Boyd, Deputy					
Contact:	: Kevin Emigh,						

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BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

busy times when extra help is needed or when in-house expertise is not available. This on-call Consulting Services Agreement will be in effect for thirty-seven months.

Government Code Section 31000 and 4525 authorizes the County to contract for services including the type of materials testing that Kleinfelder, Inc. provides.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Without approval from the Board of Supervisors, there is possible delay in completing projects requiring materials testing and inspection services. Executing this Consulting Services Agreement will facilitate the process of design and construction for various Public Works projects requiring materials testing and inspection expertise.