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Contra Costa County

To: Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Board of Directors

From: Jeff Carman, Chief, Contra Costa County Fire Protection District

Date: September 18, 2018

Subject: ReddiNet Software License and Support Agreement

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

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Fire Chief, or designee, to execute a software license and support agreement with the Hospital Association of Southern California, effective July 1, 2018, and renewable annually, in an amount not to exceed \$5,000 annually, for the ReddiNet software application.

## **FISCAL IMPACT:**

100% Budgeted; EMS Transport Fund (fund 2040000). Actual costs are estimated at \$3,000-\$4,000 annually.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The Hospital Association of Southern California (HASC) has established the ReddiNet software application and computerized emergency communications network to provide an emergency communications link to its participating customers. HASC is a trade association with the technical and centralized resources which enable it to effectively host and provide the ReddiNet software, data, and hardware infrastructure and support to its customers.

The Contra Costa County Fire Protection District (District) has been providing emergency

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▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY     ADMINISTRATOR		RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 09/18/2018 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER  Clerks Notes:  VOTE OF SUPERVISORS		
AYE: ABSENT:	John Gioia, Director Candace Andersen, Director Diane Burgis, Director Karen Mitchoff, Director Federal D. Glover, Director	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 18, 2018  David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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ambulance services within Contra Costa County since January 1, 2016.

# BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

The District is required to participate in the ReddiNet system to obtain information regarding hospital facility capacity and availability, manage mass casualty incidents, send and receive messages with participants in the ReddiNet system, assess available resources, and view current and projected bed availability for hospitals and long term care facilities.

## CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The District will not have access to an emergency communications network that provides information to effectively manage emergency ambulance services.