Contra Costa County

To: **Board of Supervisors**

From: Matt Slattengren Date: February 12, 2019

Subject: MOU Seed Subvention 18-sd07

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Agricultural Commissioner, or designee, to execute a Memorandum of Understanding 18-sd07 Seed Subvention Fiscal Year 2018/19 with the California Department of Food and Agriculture, for an amount not to exceed \$100 to enforce California seed marketing and labeling law requirements, for the period July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

FISCAL IMPACT:

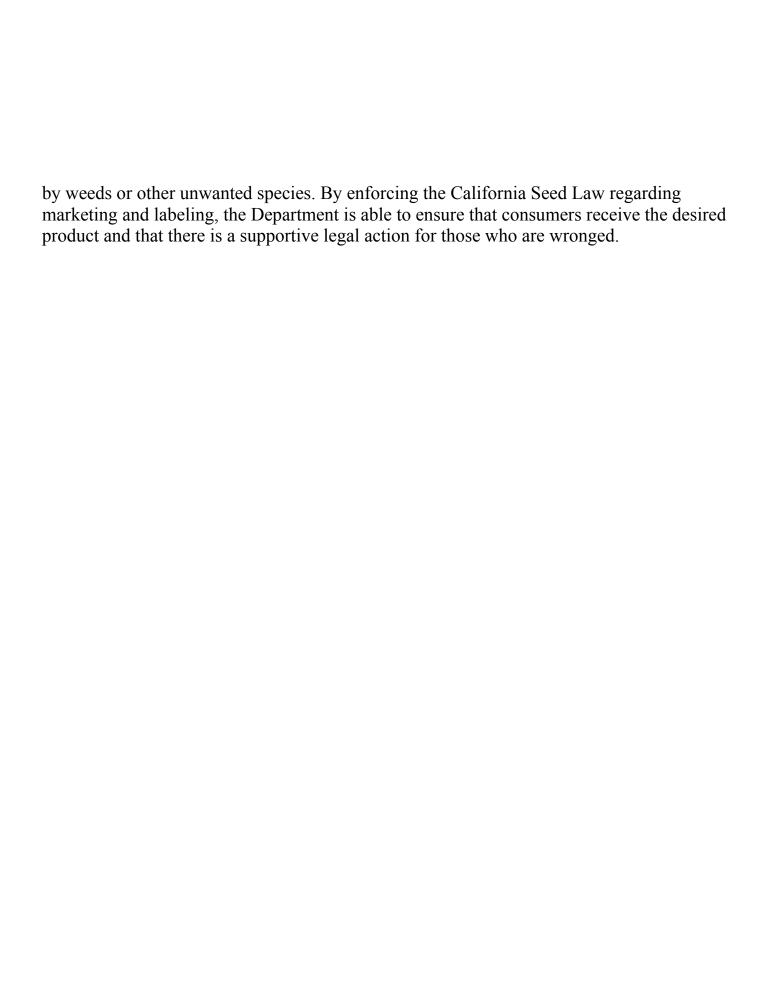
This MOU will pay the Contra Costa County Agriculture/Weights & Measures Department \$100 for services. There is no cost share requirement and the revenue has been anticipated in the departmental FY 18/19 budget. There is no county match of funds required nor grant money involved.

BACKGROUND:

The goal of seed law enforcement (Section 52288, California Food and Agriculture Code) is to protect seed consumers, including vegetable and field crop growers, as well as urban landscapers. Poor quality seeds can cost farmers and home gardeners considerable amounts of time, money and resources, by way of reduced yields, poor crop quality, contamination

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	RECOMMENDATION OF INISTRATOR	CNTY RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE									
Action of Board On: 02/12/2019 ✓ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER											
Clerk	s Notes:										
VOTE (OF SUPERVISORS										
AYE:	John Gioia, District I 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.									
	Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor	ATTESTED: February 12, 2019									
	Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors									
	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Laura Cassell, Deputy									

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CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

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