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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Matt Slattengren

Date: February 12, 2019

Subject: EBRPD Noxious Weed Agreement 2019-2020

## **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Agricultural Commissioner, or designee, to execute an agreement containing modified indemnification language with East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD) for Noxious Weed Services in an amount not to exceed \$40,000, for the period January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2020.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Approval of this agreement will reimburse the Agricultural Department (Department) in an amount not to exceed \$40,000 for noxious weed services in various East Bay Regional Parks. There is no County match requirement.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Department shall supply products to spray noxious weeds that have been approved by EBRPD's Integrated Pest Management department. Products will be sprayed using backpack sprayers, all-terrain vehicles and/or boom truck sprayers at East Bay Regional Parks within the jurisdiction and operation of the Department. The noxious weed control services are limited to those locations where noxious weeds have been located, identified

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▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY     ADMINISTRATOR			RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE	
Action of Board On: 02/12/2019 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER				
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS				
AYE:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor			
	Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor	I hereby certify that this is a true ar of Supervisors on the date shown.	d correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board	
	Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor	ATTESTED: February	12, 2019	
	Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	David Twa, County Adm	inistrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Laura Cassell, Deput	y	

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and pose a public, economic, environmental or recreational nuisance. Noxious we services will be performed within	ed control

## BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

normal business hours. The Department will use ensure pesticide usage is in compliance with all Federal and State laws and regulations governing pesticides.

This agreement has a modified, mututal indemnification provision. Services will be provided at District parks and associated land bank areas for the period January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2020. This amount has been anticipated in the Department's FY 18/19 budget and will be budgeted for in 19/20.

# **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

A negative approval would cause a loss of revenue to the Department and the possible spread of noxious and invasive weeds in East Bay Regional Parks and Contra Costa County.