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To:Board of SupervisorsFrom:Anna Roth, Health Services Director

Date: August 6, 2019

Subject: Purchase Order with Roche Diagnostics Corporation

## **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Purchasing Agent to execute, on behalf of Health Services Director, a Purchase Order with Roche Diagnostics Corporation, in an amount not to exceed \$1,500,000 for reagents used in the Public Health (PH) Laboratory, for the period from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022.

## **FISCAL IMPACT:**

100% funding is included in the Hospital Enterprise Fund I budget.

## **BACKGROUND:**

Roche Diagnostic Corporation has been used by the Health Services Department for over twenty (20) years. Roche provides the reagents required for use with the testing instrument in our PH Laboratory. The reagents are necessary for specimens to be tested for viruses & bacteria such as Hepatitis B & C and HIV. Additionally, the Public Health Laboratory is required to use these specific reagents to keep us in compliance with our Instrument Maintenance Agreement.

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RECOMMENDATION OF CN ADMINISTRATOR	TY RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE
Action of Board On: 08/06/2019 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER	
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS	
<ul> <li>AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor</li> <li>Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor</li> <li>Contact: Daniel Peddycord, 925-313-6712</li> </ul>	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 6, 2019 David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: Laura Cassell, Deputy



## CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If this Purchase Order is not approved, the health care system would not be able to monitor the viral load of the patients as they are treated for the viruses noted above. The tests would then need to be conducted by outside labs at a greater cost to the county. PH Laboratory also uses the reagents purchased from Roche Diagnostics to conduct similar testing for the Alameda County AIDS Program which generates revenue for Contra Costa County, without the reagents we would not be able to conduct these tests.