



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: David O. Livingston, Sheriff-Coroner
Date: November 5, 2019

Subject: Marine Salvage Services - Sean Alexander Marine Services

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Sheriff-Coroner, or designee, to execute a contract with Sean Alexander Marine Services in an amount not to exceed \$500,000 to provide marine salvage services for the period December 1, 2019 through November 3, 2020.

FISCAL IMPACT:

\$500,000.00. Budgeted. Funded by the California Department of Boating and Waterways grant, Surrendered and Abandoned Vessel Exchange (SAVE) and the General Fund.

BACKGROUND:

The waterways in and around Contra Costa County have long been used for the illegal dumping and sinking of abandoned and derelict vessels of all sizes and types. If allowed to remain, these vessels are often hazards to safety, navigation, wildlife, and are hazardous to the environment. Many vessels are carrying hazardous materials. The vessels adversely impact residents, commercial, and recreational boaters in and around Contra Costa County.

The Office of the Sheriff's Marine Services Unit utilizes salvers who are specially trained, equipped, and capable of removing the vessels that may be afloat, aground or submerged.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **11/05/2019** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor
Federal D. Glover, District V 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: November 5, 2019

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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cc:

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The Office of the Sheriff may not be in compliance with the grant funding and in addition, abandoned vessels may not be removed from County waterways.