To: Board of Supervisors

From: David O. Livingston, Sheriff-Coroner

Date: October 20, 2020

Subject: California Wildfires Cost Recovery



Contra Costa County

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

ADOPT Resolution No. 2020/267 approving and authorizing the Sheriff-Coroner, or designee, to enter into Memorandum of Agreements (MOA) with the Counties of Solano, Butte, Napa, Santa Cruz and any other future Counties mutual aid response requests for cost recovery associated with the emergency mutual aid responses to the 2020 California Wildfires, Federal Emergency Disaster Funds, FEMA-4558-DR.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

Cost Recovery. (100% Federal)

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Beginning on August 22, 2020, emergency events including significant fires in Solano, Butte, Napa and Santa Cruz Counties was declared. On August 22, 2020, a Presidential Declaration of Emergency was issued by President Donald J. Trump. Contra Costa County Office of the Sheriff provided law enforcement mutual aid to the Counties of Solano, Butte, Napa and Santa Cruz. Federal and State funds are now available for reimbursement of actual costs associated with providing mutual aid services. In order for the Office of the Sheriff to participate in the cost recovery program, the Federal Emergency Management

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Action of Board On: 10/20/2020  ✓ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED  ☐ OTHER			
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VOTE OF SUPERVISORS			
) 1 1 5 1	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: October 20, 2020  David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
		By: June McHuen. Deputy	

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Agency requires all affected counties to enter into a Memorandum	

### BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

of Agreements with those entities that provided mutual aid during the disaster. Approval of the MOAs will enable the Office of the Sheriff to participate in the cost recovery program for the Counties of Solano, Butte, Napa, Santa Cruz and any other future Counties mutual aid responses.

## CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

The Office of the Sheriff will be unable to apply for reimbursement of costs associated with the mutual aid response.

# **ATTACHMENTS**

Resolution 2020/267