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Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Marc Shorr, Chief Information Officer

Date: September 13, 2022

Subject: Purchase order with NTT America, Inc.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Purchasing Agent, on behalf of the Chief Information Officer, Department of Information Technology, to execute a purchase order with NTT America, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$370,000 for the renewal of Proofpoint email protection software and services for the period of October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The cost for this purchase is recovered by charges to internal customers through DoIT's billing process. (100% General Fund)

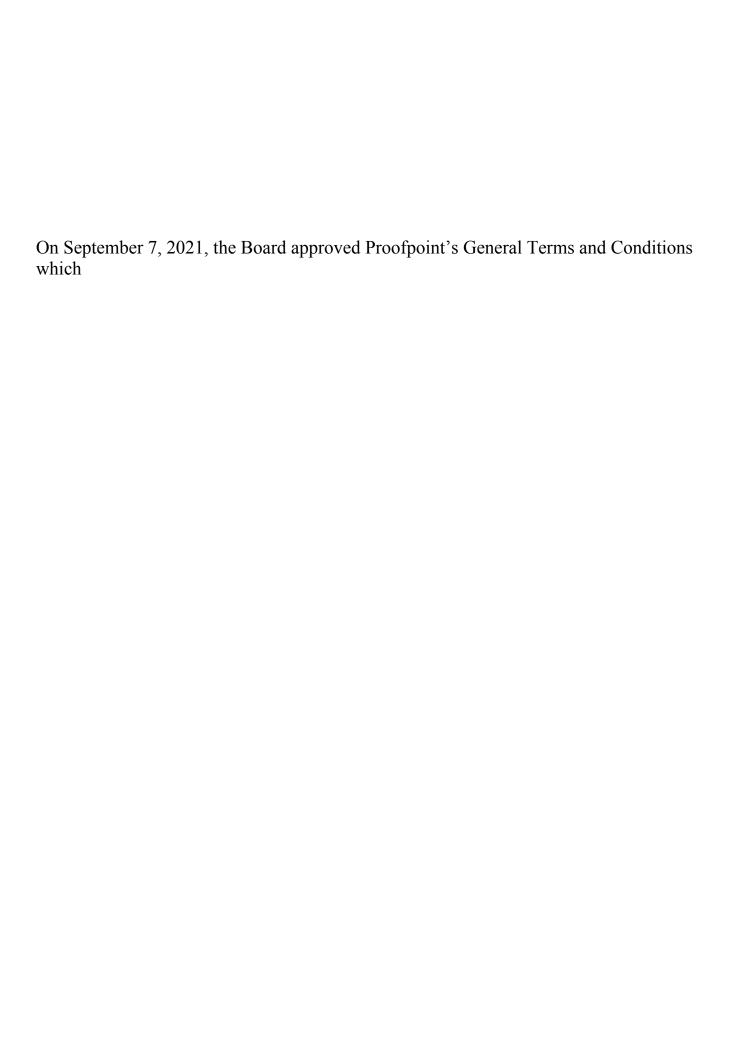
BACKGROUND:

Proofpoint email protection software guards against malware and non-malware threats such as impostor, phishing emails and spam by authenticating all senders without blocking legitimate emails. The Proofpoint software delivers the most effective unified solution to protect critical data from advanced email breaches which in the number one threat for cyber attacks. This software will benefit all County departments except the Health Services Department, which currently has their own Proofpoint software.

✓ APPROVE	OTHER
▼ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR	
Action of Board On: 09/13/2022 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER	
Clerks 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: September 13, 2022
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Laura Cassell, Deputy

cc: Nancy Zandonella

Contact: Marc Shorr, 608-4071



BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

includes a limitation of liability clause that limits Proofpoint's liability under the Terms and Conditions to an amount not to exceed the annual subscription fee paid to Proofpoint, provided that the limitation does not apply to Proofpoint's indemnity obligations, gross negligence, or breach of confidentiality provisions.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

This software is a critical component to safeguarding the County's email disparate system using a centralized platform from potential malware attacks.

CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

None.