Board of Supervisors

From: David O. Livingston, Sheriff-Coroner

Date: October 18, 2022

To:

Subject: Diablo Crime Scene Cleaners



Contra Costa County

# **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Sheriff-Coroner, or designee, to execute a contract with Diablo Crime Scene Cleaners, in the amount of \$1,000,000 for the period of September 1, 2022 through August 30, 2023, to provide standard crime scene and biological cleaning services, and specialized cleaning services to combat the spread of respiratory and bloodborne illnesses.

### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

100% General Fund. The FY 22/23 cost is approximately \$1,000,000, but will largely depend on the number of actual service callouts and assumes current COVID-19 precautions stay in place. This expense is not currently budgeted, but additional appropriations are not expected to be needed at this time. The Department will continue to monitor the budget and will return to the Board of Supervisors in the event additional appropriations are needed.

### **BACKGROUND:**

The Sheriff's Office has contracted with Diablo Crime Scene Cleaners for full service crime scene and biological cleaning for the detention facilities, patrol station houses and patrol vehicles.

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<b>№</b> RECOMMENDATION OF C	NTY ADMINISTRATOR RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE	
Action of Board On: 10/18/2022	✓ 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 and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board	
Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor	of Supervisors on the date shown.  ATTESTED: October 18, 2022	
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor	Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
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## BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

The cleaning of blood and bodily fluids requires extensive training and experience to avoid contamination and health risks. In addition to the standard cleaning services, Diablo Crime Scene Cleaners has also provided increased sanitation measures at the Sheriff's facilities. Due to the continued risk of respiratory and bloodborne illnesses, the Sheriff's Office deems it necessary to continue the contract with Diablo Crime Scene Cleaners for the foreseeable future.

# **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

The Sheriff's Office will be unable to acquire the appropriate level of cleaning and sanitation services.

# **CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:**

None.