

Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING AN AGREEMENT) RESOLUTION NO. _____
WITH THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF)
INSURANCE TO CONDUCT AN AUTOMOBILE)
INSURANCE FRAUD PROGRAM)

WHEREAS the County of Santa Barbara Board of Supervisors desires to undertake a certain program designated the Automobile Insurance Fraud Program, to be funded in part from funds made available through California Insurance Code Section 1872.8, California Code of Regulations, Title 10, Section 2698.60 et seq and administered by the California Department of Insurance; and

WHEREAS, the District Attorney has the desire and capability to participate in efforts to deter automobile insurance fraud through enhanced investigation and prosecution; and

WHEREAS, the California Department of Insurance requires a Board Resolution delegating authority to the District Attorney to execute the Grant Award Agreement and Amendments; and

WHEREAS, on December 11, 2018, the Board approved a Resolution authorizing the District Attorney to execute a Grant Award Agreement with the California Department of Insurance, to provide services for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019 in the amount of \$115,000, plus \$6,787 in carryover from FY 17-18, for a total FY 18-19 allocation of \$121,787; and

WHEREAS, on February 5, 2019, the Board approved a Resolution authorizing the District Attorney to execute a Grant Award Amendment with the California Department of Insurance, to increase funding by \$52,900 for the period of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019, for a new total award of \$174,687; and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the Board’s approval of the aforementioned Resolutions, the Department of Insurance informed the District Attorney of a requirement for accepting liability via the Resolutions; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT IT IS AGREED that any liability arising out of the performance of this Grant Award Agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The State of California and the California Department of Insurance disclaim responsibility for any such liability.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ___ day of _____, 2019, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, by the following vote:

- AYES:
- NOES:
- ABSTAIN:
- ABSENT:

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY

By: _____
Steve Lavagnino, Chair
Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Joyce E. Dudley, District Attorney

ATTEST:
MONA MIYASATO
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

By: _____
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
MICHAEL C. GHIZZONI
COUNTY COUNSEL

By: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
RAY AROMATORIO
RISK MANGAEMENT

By: _____