SANTA BARBARA COUNTY **BOARD AGENDA LETTER**



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Agenda Number: **Prepared on:** 10/15/02 Department Name: **Department No.:** 063 Agenda Date: 11/5/02 Placement: Estimate Time: N/A Continued Item: No If Yes, date from:

General Services Administrative

TO:	Board of Supervisors
FROM:	Ronald S. Cortez, Director General Services Department
STAFF CONTACT:	Robert Ooley, AIA, County Architect (568-3085) General Services Department
SUBJECT:	Clerk-Recorder-Assessor Building Site # F01901; Project # 8620 1st Supervisorial District

Recommendations:

That the Board of Supervisors approve and execute the attached Amendment One, in the amount of \$31,840, to the Professional Services Agreement with Architects West of Santa Barbara, CA., for additional design work associated with the project, for a total lump sum fee of \$179,840 including reimbursable expenses.

Alignment with Board Strategic Plan:

The recommendations are primarily aligned with Goal No. 2 Ensure the Public Health and Safety and Provide Essential Infrastructure.

Executive Summary and Discussion:

The proposed Clerk-Recorder Building Project is a 10,000 square foot 2-story building for the entire Recorder staff in the south county. The project will be located on a parcel that is currently an existing vacant building adjacent to the County administration parking lot.

The amendment to the Architect's contract was necessitated by a change in the scope of the project and increased design work to explore additional floors, alternate parking schemes and innovate floor layout solutions to maximize work-flow improvements

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Mandates and Service Levels:

No change in service levels.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

This project is estimated to cost \$1,899,000. It is being funded with Certificates of Participation (COPs) The COPs will be paid back over a 20-year term using Clerk-Recorder-Assessor Automation Funds. Funds are appropriated and available in Fund 0030 Department 063, Account 8200, Program 1930, Project 8620. It is shown in the Department Summary as *Capital Improvements* on page D-342 of the Santa Barbara County Budget for FY 2002-2003.

Special Instructions:

Upon approval and execution, the Clerk should distribute as follows:

- 1. Original document
- 2. Certified Dupl. orig. document & Minute Order
- retain for Board's Official file
- Attn: Robert Ooley, County Architect