

# BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

**Agenda Number:** 

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407

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**Department** (

CEO/OEM

Name: Department No.:

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For Agenda Of:

November 7, 2017

Placement:

Administrative

Estimated Tme:

N/A

Continued Item:

N/A

If Yes, date from:

**Vote Required:** 

Majority

TO:

**Board of Supervisors** 

**FROM:** Department

Mona Miyasato, County Executive Officer

Director

Contact Info:

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**SUBJECT:** 

As to form: Yes

Resolution for Authorization to execute a grant agreement between Santa Barbara County Office of Emergency Management and the California Department of Fish & Wildlife—Office of Spill Prevention and Response to participate in the Local

**Government Oil Spill Contingency Plan Grant Program** 

**County Counsel Concurrence** 

**Auditor-Controller Concurrence** 

As to form: N/A

#### **Recommended Actions:**

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a) Adopt the attached resolution authorizing designated County Officials to execute a grant agreement for \$15,000 with the California Department of Fish & Wildlife Office of Spill Prevention and Response (CDFW-OSPR) to participate in the Local Government Oil Spill Contingency Plan Grant ("the Plan") program; and
- b) Determine that the adoption of this resolution is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act in compliance with Section 15061 (b)(3).

#### **Summary Text:**

The Plan is part of the CDFW-OSPR's coordinated response with federal, state and local governments to manage off shore oil spills and incidents. Santa Barbara County Office of Emergency Management (OEM) has previously secured its role as part of the unified command structure representing the Operational Area and its jurisdictions. Being part of the unified command ensures local government representation during off shore oil incidents.

#### **Background:**

The Office of Emergency Management (OEM) cooperates with CDFW-OSPR and the US Coast Guard to ensure consistency between Federal, State and the Operational Area oil spill contingency actions,

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responsibilities and authorities. Santa Barbara County OEM is responsible for operational area emergency management planning and represents the operational area as a member of the unified command team during an offshore oil incident. In the past, CDFW-OSPR has made available to Santa Barbara County OEM grant funding of \$10,000 to participate in the Area Contingency Planning program. This year, after a request from OEM staff, CDFW-OSPR has increased the amount to \$15,000 in recognition of the efforts now underway to update the local Oil Spill Contingency Plan. The Board is required under the terms of the CDFW-OSPR grant to adopt a Resolution authorizing execution of the grant agreement.

# **Performance Measure:**

OEM staff will participate and be reimbursed by the CDFW-OSPR grant funding. There are no facility impacts.

### **Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:**

The use of CDFW-OSPR grant funds will occur during the 2017-2018 fiscal year and will offset some costs for OEM staff; thereby reducing the General Fund costs of OEM for the 2017-18 FY. The reduction of General Fund costs for the staff and the \$15,000 of revenues are included in the department's adopted 2017-18 budget.

# **Fiscal Analysis:**

Funding Sources	2017-18 FY Cost:		Annualized On-going Cost:	 <u>Total One-Time</u> <u>Project Cost</u>	
General Fund					
State	\$	15,000.00	\$ -	\$ 15,000.00	
Federal					
Fees					
Other:					
Total	\$	15,000.00	\$ -	\$ 15,000.00	

#### **Special Instructions:**

Please send one fully executed original resolution to Office of Emergency Management, Attn.: Sonia Thompson.

#### **Attachments:**

Attachment A - Resolution

Attachment B - Grant contract

Attachment C - CEQA Exemption

# **Authored by:**

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