

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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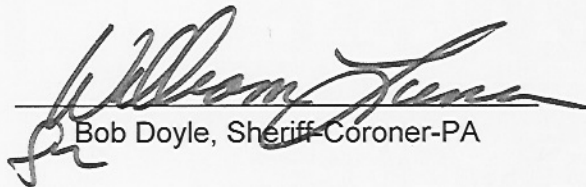
FROM: Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA **SUBMITTAL DATE:** March 18, 2003

SUBJECT: Agreement with the Department of California Highway Patrol for Reimbursement of Certain Expenses Related to Work with the Riverside Auto Theft Interdiction Detail (RAID)

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors approve a three-year Agreement with the Department of California Highway Patrol (CHP), and authorize the Chairperson to sign all copies of the document.

BACKGROUND: On May 14, 1991, the Board adopted Resolution 91-265 to collect a one dollar fee added to all vehicle registrations in the County, pursuant to Vehicle Code Section 9250.14. Per this Code Section, the fee must be earmarked for programs designed to enhance the deterrence, investigation and prosecution of vehicle theft crimes. Based on the recommendation of the Riverside

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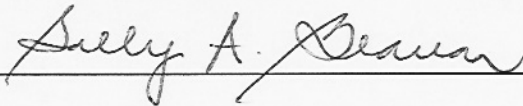

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FINANCIAL DATA:

CURRENT YEAR COST: \$25,000
NET COUNTY COST: -0-
SOURCE OF FUNDS: Trust Fund 5097, Auto Theft Allocation

ANNUAL COST: \$25,000
IN CURRENT YEAR BUDGET: YES
BUDGET ADJUSTMENT: NO
FOR FY 2002-03

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE



COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER SIGNATURE

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Department Recommendation:
Per Executive Office:

County Law Enforcement Administrators Association these funds were directed in equal amounts to the Sheriff's Department and the District Attorney. The Sheriff's Department created Trust Fund 5097 to account for its share. In September 1993, the Sheriff's Department received Board approval to use the trust funds to create RAID, a multi-jurisdictional task force that interfaces with the CHP, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation and all agencies in Riverside County for the sharing of information related to vehicle theft.

On August 16, 1999, the Sheriff's Department entered into a Letter of Agreement (LOA) with the CHP for the reimbursement, with Trust Fund 5097, of the overtime, per diem and business expenses for three vehicle theft investigators supplied to the RAID effort. The term of the LOA was from July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2002.

In late calendar year 2000, County RAID staff, unaware that an "inhouse agreement" had been executed, drafted a five-year (July 1, 2000 through June 30, 2005) LOA for the same purpose, which the Board approved and authorized for execution on November 14, 2000. However, the CHP never executed this LOA.

Recently, the CHP has sent the Sheriff's Department a new LOA for the term from July 1, 2002 through June 30, 2005. Except for a mutual indemnification clause, and updated overtime rates for the CHP Investigators, this LOA is identical to that executed "inhouse" and substantially follows the LOA executed by the Board previously. The total reimbursement during the three-year LOA term shall not exceed \$175,000. County Counsel has approved the Agreement as to form.