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**SUBMITTAL TO THE FLOOD CONTROL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT BOARD
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

FROM: General Manager-Chief Engineer

SUBMITTAL DATE:
June 28, 2005

SUBJECT: Consulting Services Agreement – Technical and Regulatory Support Services for Riverside County Municipal Stormwater Programs

RECOMMENDED MOTION:

Approve the Consulting Services Agreement with URS Corporation; authorize the Chairman to execute the agreement on behalf of the District; and authorize County Purchasing to sign the P.O. on behalf of the District.

BACKGROUND:

The District, County of Riverside and the incorporated Cities within Riverside County (excluding Blythe) are Permittees under at least one of three NPDES Municipal Stormwater Permits (Permits) issued and administered by the California Regional Water Quality Control Boards, in the Colorado River, Santa Ana

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WARREN D. WILLIAMS
General Manager-Chief Engineer

FINANCIAL DATA	F.Y. 2005-2006 District Cost:	\$185,000	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net District Cost:	\$140,000	For Fiscal Year:	05/06 to 09/10

SOURCE OF FUNDS:			Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
525440 25180 947540 NPDES Whitewater Consulting Services			Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>
525440 25190 947560 NPDES Santa Ana Consulting Services				
525440 25200 947580 NPDES Santa Margarita Consulting Services				

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature

- Dep't Recomm.: Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.: Policy
- Consent
- Consent

Prev. Agn. Ref.: **ATTACHMENTS FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD** District: ALL Agenda Number:

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Annex by Warren
Departmental Concurrence

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and San Diego Regions (Regional Board). The Permits are valid for a five-year period. The Permits were last renewed in 2001, 2002 and 2004, respectively. Each reissuance of a Permit generally carries with it requirements for development of NPDES Program expansions involving a wide range of local government activities, including ordinance enforcement, land use review, various physical plan operations emergency response, solid waste source management and public outreach.

URS has provided technical/regulatory services in support of the Permittee's NPDES programs since 1990, and has been instrumental in formulating the program framework and its evolution in response to permit requirements. URS has also successfully assisted the Permittees with Permit negotiations with both the Santa Ana and Santa Margarita Regional Boards. URS is uniquely qualified to provide this service in light of their extensive institutional knowledge of the Riverside County NPDES program.

This contract would cover services required to:

- a. provide continued general technical/regulatory consulting services for the three permit regions for a five year period, and
- b. provide consulting services to prepare a Report of Waste Discharge, or permit re-application, and supply permit negotiation support for the Whitewater Region Permit, due to be reissued by the Colorado River Region RWQCB in September 2006.

A contract covering 5 years, renewable each fiscal year, is recommended.

FINANCIAL:

The cost of the Consulting Services Agreement for general technical/regulatory consulting services shall not exceed \$95,000 per year. Costs will be shared between the District and the Co-Permittees, based on the region for which services are rendered and a distribution methodology contained in Implementation Agreements associated with each permit.

Costs for consulting services to prepare a Report of Waste Discharge and supply permit negotiation support shall not exceed \$90,000 in FY 2005-06 and not exceed \$45,000 in FY 2006-07.

Funds are included in the FY 2005-2006 budget and will be included in the future fiscal years (FY 2006-2007 through FY 2009-2010) in accordance with the exercise of renewal options.