

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

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FROM: Riverside County Regional Medical Center

SUBMITTAL DATE:
February 27, 2006

SUBJECT: PURCHASE OF TWO (2) COMPLETE SETS OF POWER SURGICAL EQUIPMENT FROM STRYKER WITHOUT SEEKING COMPETITIVE BIDS AS A SOLE SOURCE FOR RIVERSIDE COUNTY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, OPERATING ROOM

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors receive and file notice of the proposed purchase of two (2) complete sets of power surgical equipment, without seeking competitive bids, in accordance with Ordinance No. 459.4, in the amount of \$119,956, to Stryker, pursuant to the Purchasing Agent approving this purchase on behalf of the County.

BACKGROUND: This request is to approve the purchase of two (2) additional sets of Stryker power equipment for the Operating Room. The existing equipment is Stryker, so Stryker is recommended for the additional equipment in order to maintain standardization of equipment in the Operating Room. Riverside County Regional Medical Center (RCRMC) has seen a significant increase in surgeries at the facility; the RCRMC Orthopedic Surgery Department is one of the departments experiencing and contributing to this increase. RCRMC runs its operating rooms throughout the week, including weekends. Three-fourths of the orthopedic and neurological surgery cases performed at RCRMC require power equipment for drilling, reaming, etc. Due to the facility's current volume and surgical needs it is necessary for RCRMC to obtain two (2) additional sets of Stryker power equipment.

Departmental Concurrence

Purchasing: *[Signature]*
Assistant Director

[Signature: Douglas D. Bagley]

Douglas D. Bagley, Hospital Director

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 5,504.26	In Current Year Budget:	YES
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	NO
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	05/06

SOURCE OF FUNDS: ENTERPRISE FUND	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: **APPROVE**

County Executive Office Signature *[Signature: Dan Matting]*

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

The County received maximum discount for the purchase by being a member of the Group Purchasing Organization "Novation/HPPI", a hospital group purchasing organization that contracts with hospital capital equipment manufacturers on behalf of more than 400 hospitals. The County received discounts equal to comparable customers. The price represents an increase of 8% over the bid price from the previous purchase done three years ago.

JUSTIFICATION:

Stryker is the standard for orthopedic surgery power equipment that RCRMC has been using. Stryker is also the standard used at surrounding area hospitals.

REVIEW/APPROVAL:

The proposed procurement has been reviewed and approved by County Purchasing.