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

FROM: Community Health Agency/Environmental Health

SUBMITTAL DATE:
April 4, 2006

SUBJECT: Contract for Vector Control Services for Eastern Municipal Water District

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board approve the attached contract between the Department of Environmental Health and the Eastern Municipal Water District. Authorize the Director of Environmental to approve subsequent renewals through October, 2011, up to \$100,000.

BACKGROUND: With the arrival of West Nile Virus (WNV) to Riverside County and the risk of exposure to humans, it is imperative that the Department of Environmental Health's Vector Control program identify and track all potential or active mosquito breeding sources within their area of jurisdiction. There have been numerous confirmed human cases of WNV contracted in Southern California.

In the area of Hemet and San Jacinto, the Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) operates a wetland and research facility. This property, as well as others, has been identified as a breeding source of one of the mosquito species (*Culex tarsalis*) that transmits WNV. The EMWD has asked our Department to monitor and treat these areas to reduce the mosquito breeding. The attached contract would allow our Department to perform this activity, and would provide full reimbursement for our time and costs not to exceed (\$29,000). This agreement has an effective date through October 31st, 2006 and may be renewed annually.

Steve Van John
For Gary Root, Director
Environmental Health

Departmental Concurrence

COUNTY COUNSEL

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BY *[Signature]*

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 29,000	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	For Fiscal Year:	05/06

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Upon ratification of this agreement, fees for service.	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]*

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

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