

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

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FROM: Riverside County Regional Medical Center

SUBMITTAL DATE:

7/03/06

SUBJECT: Amendment to the agreement between Foley & Lardner, LLP and Riverside County Regional Medical Center (RCRMC)

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1) Ratify the sixth amendment to the agreement between Foley & Lardner, LLP and RCRMC for the performance period of July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007;
- 2) Authorize the Chairman to execute the amendment;
- 3) Direct the Clerk of the Board to retain one original and return two (2) original copies of the amendment to RCRMC - Contract Administration for further distribution and processing.

BACKGROUND: RCRMC has contracted with Foley & Lardner since November 2000 for legal counsel regarding Medi-Cal Contracting, Medi-Cal/Medicare payment issues and Licensing, Certification, and Accreditation Matters. Legal issues to be addressed for this period include Medicare and Medi-Cal payments and funding issues, strategic planning in response to Medi-Cal and Medicare program change, Medicare and Medi-Cal compliance issues, licensing and certification issues, and health care litigation matters.

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Douglas D. Bagley

Douglas D. Bagley, Hospital Director

FINANCIAL DATA

Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 250,000.	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	06/07

SOURCE OF FUNDS: Hospital Enterprise Funds

Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30

Requires 4/5 Vote

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

Lisa Brandt

County Executive Office Signature

ATTACHMENTS FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

Departmental Concurrence

Purchasing: *M. [Signature]*
Assistant Director

Consent Policy
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Dept. Recomm.:
 Per Exec. Ofc.:

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 11/7/00, 9/25/01, 6/18/02, 9/9/03, 7/13/04, 7/26/05

District:

Agenda Number: 3.13, 3.37, 3.48, 3.60, 3.38, 3.48

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JUSTIFICATION:

Foley & Lardner offers specific specialized services that other firms do not offer, such as Medi-Cal litigation and Medicare regulations, which are critical for RCRMC collections and compliance.

PRICE REASONABLENESS:

This contractor has a long history with Riverside County and RCRMC, consequently providing them an extensive knowledge of County and hospital operations. Foley & Lardner's familiarity with Riverside County and RCRMC assist in these legal services being provided at the best value for the cost.

REVIEW/APPROVAL:

This agreement was reviewed and approved by County Counsel, as a specialty counsel for RCRMC.

This agreement was reviewed and approved by County Purchasing.