

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



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JUN 9 2007  
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**FROM:** Community Health Agency/Department of Public Health

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**

**SUBJECT:** Approve the Agreement between Humberto Ochoa, M.D. and the Community Health Agency, Emergency Medical Services Agency for the position of EMS Agency Medical Director.

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1) Approve the Agreement between Humberto Ochoa, M.D. and the County of Riverside in the amount of \$60,000 per year, for the performance period July 1, 2007 until June 30, 2012, and;
- 2) Authorize the Chairperson to execute four (4) copies of the contract.

**BACKGROUND:** The California Health and Safety Code Division 2.5, Section 1797.202 and the California Code of Regulations, Section 100175, require every local EMS agency to obtain a full or part-time licensed physician as Medical Director for the purpose of providing medical control and to assure medical accountability throughout the planning, implementation and evaluation of the EMS system.

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*Susan D. Harrington*  
Susan Harrington, Director  
Department of Public Health

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 60,000	In Current Year Budget:	YES
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	NO
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	07/08

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b> 100% SB 12/612 Maddy Funds	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** **APPROVE**  
BY: *Lisa Brandl*  
Lisa Brandl

**County Executive Office Signature**

Dept't Recomm.:  Consent  Policy   
Per Exec. Ofc.:  Consent  Policy

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 06/18/2002 3.18 | District: 1 | Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED  
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

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**BACKGROUND continued:** The EMS Medical Director also issues certifications, re-certifications, accreditations, and re-accreditations to EMTs and Paramedics respectively.

Dr. Ochoa is Board Certified in Emergency Medicine and has been the EMS Medical Director since 1992. Thus he has extensive knowledge of County policies and procedures. During his tenure, he has participated in many EMS studies and committees. He is familiar with and has developed an affirmative relationship with key personnel within the Riverside County EMS community.

The EMS Agency sent this contract out to bid through the CHA procurement process. We had three potential candidates. After the initial interviews, two of the three declined future consideration.