

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

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**FROM:** Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
04/17/07

**SUBJECT:** Approval of the Establishment of a Fee for Tissue Harvesting

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** Move that the Board of Supervisors approve and authorize the Sheriff's Department, through its Coroner's Office, to charge qualified procurement organizations a monthly fee of \$1,513 to remove body parts for transplantation, education, or research from donor candidates (cadavers) stored at the Coroner's facility.

**BACKGROUND:** The Sheriff, in his capacity as the County Coroner, is authorized by Government Code Section 27491.44 (e), to enter into agreements with procurement organizations to coordinate organ recovery procedures. Sheriff's staff has calculated a flat-rate monthly fee of \$1,513 that it proposes to charge a procurement organization for the use of the Coroner's facility to conduct tissue harvesting.

The fee includes FY 2007-08 salaries and benefits of County employees involved in the supervision of the actions of the procurement organization, and FY 2005-06 materials and indirect costs. The Auditor-Controller's Office has approved the methodology of the fee calculation and the costs included.

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*Will Taylor* for  
Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA *W. Taylor*

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$13,617	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2007-08

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS: Coroner Revenue</b>	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**

FISCAL PROCEDURES APPROVED  
 ROBERT E. BYSE, AUDITOR-CONTROLLER  
 BY: *Michael G. Alexander* 7/12/07  
 MICHAEL G. ALEXANDER

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

The Sheriff's Department and County Purchasing will shortly issue a Request for Proposals to select one or more qualified procurement organizations that will be awarded a three-year agreement to conduct tissue harvesting in the County.