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

FROM: Stanley L. Sniff Jr., Sheriff-Coroner-PA

SUBMITTAL DATE:
08/20/08

SUBJECT: Federal Equitable Sharing (Asset Forfeiture) Program

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors approve the attached Federal Annual Agreement and Certification Report for submission to the U.S. Department of Justice, and authorize the Chairman and the Sheriff to be cosignatories on the report.

BACKGROUND: The Federal Annual Certification Report provides an analysis of asset forfeiture funds received during the preceding fiscal year. Prior to this year, the County was required to submit an Equitable Sharing Agreement every three years and the Certification Report annually to the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), the Department of the Treasury and to the U.S. Attorney's Office in our district. Now DOJ has merged the Agreement and Report into one form which is submitted to the Department electronically. DOJ will share the information with the Department of the Treasury, and it no longer requires a submittal to the local U.S. Attorney's Office.

Subsequent to the County's electronic submittal of the Form, the County is also required to fax a signed Affidavit page from the Form to DOJ.

Will Taylor

[Signature]
Stanley L. Sniff Jr., Sheriff-Coroner-PA

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FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL
BY: *[Signature]* SYNTHIA M. GUNZEL
DATE: 8-21-08
Departmental Concurrence

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	N/A	In Current Year Budget:	N/A
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2008-09

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

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: *[Signature]*
Steve P. Schubert

County Executive Office Signature

Dept Recomm.: Consent Policy

Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent Policy