

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

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

SUBMITTAL DATE:
11/14/08

SUBJECT: Approval of the First Amendment to the Agreement for the Sheriff's Provision of Autopsy Services to San Bernardino County

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors approve and authorize the Chair to execute the First Amendment to the Agreement for autopsy services with San Bernardino County.

BACKGROUND: The San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department requires that an outside agency perform all autopsies for officer-involved or in-custody deaths. The Riverside County Sheriff's Department has been providing this service to the County since the San Bernardino County Coroner's Office was consolidated with the County's Sheriff's Department in January 2005. On April 11, 2006 (3.22), the Board approved an Agreement for the provision of these specific autopsy services through June 30, 2010.

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$25,000	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2008-09
SOURCE OF FUNDS: Contract Revenue				Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30 <input type="checkbox"/>
				Requires 4/5 Vote <input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

BY: *Steve P. Schubert*
Steve P. Schubert

County Executive Office Signature

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL
BY: *Synthia M. Gunzel* 11-20-08
DATE: _____
Departmental Concurrence

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

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 4/11/06 3.22 | District: 5 | Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

3.46

Under the current Agreement, Riverside County performs the autopsy, and San Bernardino County provides all outside examinations and consultations that may be required in addition to the autopsy. To remove any perceived conflict of interest issues for San Bernardino County, it has requested an amended agreement in which Riverside County takes over the responsibility for the procurements of the following examinations, as needed: Toxicology and Histology, Neuropathology, Odontology, Radiology and DNA analysis. All purchased services will be reimbursed by San Bernardino County. All other expenses associated with this Agreement will be recovered through Board-approved rates. County Counsel has approved the Amendment as to form.