

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

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

SUBMITTAL DATE:
06/14/10

SUBJECT: Approval of the FY 2010-11 School Resource Officer Agreement with the Riverside County Superintendent of Schools for Services at the Val Verde Regional Learning Center

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors approve the FY 2010-11 School Resource Officer (SRO) Agreement with the Riverside County Superintendent of Schools, and authorize the Chair to sign all copies of the document.

BACKGROUND: On 01/29/08 (3.46), the Board of Supervisors approved an Agreement with the County Superintendent of Schools for the Sheriff's Department to place a Deputy Sheriff to serve as a SRO on the campus of the Val Verde Regional Learning Center. Normal duties for a SRO include patrolling the campus, investigating crimes and counseling students and their parents. However, the Superintendent of Schools discontinued this service as of 07/09/08.
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Will Taylor

Stanley L. Sniff Jr., Sheriff-Coroner
Will Taylor, Director of Administration

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$131,778	In Current Year Budget:	N/A
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	N/A
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2010-11

SOURCE OF FUNDS: School Services Law Enforcement Revenue BR 10-105	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE
Robert Tremaine
BY: _____
Robert Tremaine

County Executive Office Signature

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL BY: NEAL R. KIPNIS DATE: WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD ATTACHMENTS FILED WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD Departmental Concurrence

- Consent
- Policy
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Dep't Recomm.:
Per Exec. Ofc.:

3.59

The County Superintendent of Schools has now agreed to reconstitute this same level of service at the Val Verde Regional Learning Center in FY 2010-11. Staff estimates the FY 2010-11 cost for this service to total \$131,778. All costs for this service will be fully recovered through Board-approved rates. County Counsel has approved the Agreement as to form.

The Sheriff's Department and more specifically the Perris Patrol Station will not be adding a Deputy Sheriff position to provide this service; nor will it add equipment. Rather, due to FY 2010-11 service reductions which the Perris Union High School District has notified that it must make, the Perris Station will be able to utilize a Deputy from the Perris Union Contract for this new service.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR THE PROVISION OF SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE AND THE RIVERSIDE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, a political subdivision of the State of California, on behalf of its Sheriff's Department, hereinafter "SHERIFF", and the RIVERSIDE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, hereinafter "RCSS".

WHEREAS, SHERIFF and RCSS have identified a need to provide additional law enforcement among RCSS's school sites, and specifically at Val Verde Regional Learning Center; and

WHEREAS, SHERIFF and RCSS share common goals that include the provision of programs within RCSS's jurisdiction that address the needs of students at risk; and

WHEREAS, SHERIFF and RCSS desire to work cooperatively toward these goals by entering into this Agreement to place one Deputy Sheriff as a School Resource Officer, herein after referred to as a SRO, on the Val Verde Regional Learning Center campus as needed to assist in the teaching of police science classes and to be a visual deterrent to aberrant behavior and thereby enhance the Riverside County Office of Education (RCOE) - RCSS's campus control and student protection;

IT IS THEREFORE AGREED AS FOLLOWS:

1. TERM This Agreement shall be effective from July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, unless sooner terminated as provided in Paragraph 8.

2. SCOPE OF SERVICES

A. SHERIFF agrees to provide a Deputy Sheriff to serve as a SRO. The duties of the SRO shall include provision of class presentations on relevant law enforcement issues, patrol of the Val Verde Regional Learning Center campus, investigation of crimes, maintenance of order on campus, counseling of students and their parents, and serving as a liaison at this school site. The SRO will also serve a liaison role between the educators employed by the RCOE-RCSS, the School Attendance Review Boards (S.A.R.B.), the Probation Department, and other law enforcement officials, and perform other related duties. It is understood that the SRO will be assigned to RCSS on a full-time basis. Work hours will normally be 0700 to 1500 hours on weekdays.

B. RCSS agrees to comply with all reasonable requests of SHERIFF necessary to the performance of the SRO's duties under this Agreement. RCSS agrees to furnish space at said school site for use by SRO while performing the above-described services.

3. MODIFICATION OF SERVICES No portion of the services or responsibilities of either party described in this Agreement may be eliminated, reduced, or appreciably changed without the mutual written consent of both parties.

4. COMPENSATION RCSS shall reimburse SHERIFF the full cost of rendering service pursuant to this Agreement. Such cost of services shall be established by the County Board of Supervisors in the form of an hourly rate for a SRO and a mileage rate, and shall include all items of cost and expense to the Sheriff for providing the services hereunder. Total cost to RCSS under this Agreement is estimated at \$131,778, based on the Exhibit A, which is made part of this agreement by this reference. Payment for services shall be rendered on a monthly basis upon receipt by RCSS of a proper invoice submitted by SHERIFF.

5. VACATION AND HOLIDAY TIME

A. SRO's vacation time shall not conflict with the schedule of duties mutually developed by RCSS and SHERIFF.

B. Because RCSS and SHERIFF holidays may not correspond, holiday time will be taken by the SRO in accordance with RCSS holidays during the contract period. The excess days shall be taken with reasonable notice to RCSS, but shall not conflict with the schedule of duties mutually developed by RCSS and SHERIFF.

6. ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION SHERIFF (or his designee) shall administer this Agreement and supervise the SRO on behalf of the County of Riverside. The Riverside County Superintendent of Schools (or designee) shall administer this Agreement on behalf of RCSS.

7. COUNTY EMPLOYEE SRO shall remain an employee of SHERIFF on special assignment to RCSS for the purposes set forth in this Agreement, and shall not be considered an agent or employee of RCSS.

8. TERMINATION Either party may terminate this Agreement at any time by giving written notice to the other party of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least thirty (30) days before the effective date of such termination. In the event of termination, RCSS shall pay for services actually rendered through the termination date only.

9. HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION

A. RCSS shall indemnify and hold County, its officers, agents, employees and independent contractors free and harmless from any claim or liability whatsoever, based or asserted upon any act or omission of RCSS, its officers, agents, employees, volunteers, subcontractors, or independent contractors, for property damage, bodily injury or death, or any other element of damage of any kind or nature arising out of the performance of this Agreement to the

extent that such liability is imposed on County by the provisions of California Government Code Section 895.2 or other applicable law, and RCSS shall defend at its expense, including attorney fees, County, its officers, agents, and employees and independent contractors in any legal action or claim of any kind based upon such alleged acts or omissions.

B. County shall indemnify and hold RCSS, its officers, agents, employees and independent contractors free and harmless from any claim or liability whatsoever, based or asserted upon any act or omission of County, its officers, agents, employees, volunteers, subcontractors, or independent contractors, for property damage, bodily injury or death, or any other element of damage of any kind or nature arising out of the performance of this Agreement to the extent that such liability is imposed on RCSS by the provisions of California Government Code Section 895.2 or other applicable law, and County shall defend at its expense, including attorney fees, RCSS, its officers, agents, employees and independent contractors in any legal action or claim of any kind based upon such alleged acts or omissions.

10. ASSIGNMENT Neither this Agreement nor any duties or obligations under this Agreement may be assigned by RCSS without prior written consent of SHERIFF.

11. ENTIRE AGREEMENT This Agreement supersedes any and all agreements, either oral or written, between the parties, and contains all of the covenants and agreements between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. Each party acknowledges that no other agreement, understanding or promise, oral or otherwise, relative to this subject matter exists between the parties at the time of execution of this Agreement. Any modification of this Agreement shall be effective only if it is in writing and signed by both parties.

12. NOTICES Any notice required or desired to be served by either party upon the other shall be addressed to the respective parties as set forth below:

Sheriff

Stanley L. Sniff Jr., Sheriff
Post Office Box 512
Riverside, California 92502

RCSS

Contracts and Purchasing Services
3939 Thirteenth Street
P.O. Box 868
Riverside, California 92502-0868

An information copy of any notice to Sheriff shall also be sent to:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Riverside
4080 Lemon Street, 1st Floor
Riverside, California 92501

13. WAIVER Any waiver by SHERIFF of any breach of any one or more of the

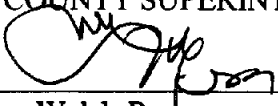
terms of this agreement shall not be construed to be a waiver of any subsequent or other breach of the same or of any other term thereof. Failure on the part of SHERIFF to require exact, full, and complete compliance with any term of this Agreement shall not be construed in any manner as changing the terms hereof, or estopping SHERIFF from enforcement hereof.

14. SEVERABILITY If any provision of this Agreement is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the remaining provisions will nevertheless continue in full force without being impaired or invalidated in any way.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized representative of each of the parties hereto has signed in confirmation of this Agreement on the dates indicated below.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Date: 6/16/10

By: 
Dr. Diana Walsh-Reuss
Assistant Superintendent of Schools

ATTEST:
Name:
Title:
By: _____

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

Date: _____

By: _____
Marion Ashley, Chairperson
Riverside County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
Name: Kecia Harper-Ihem
Title: Clerk of the Board

By: _____

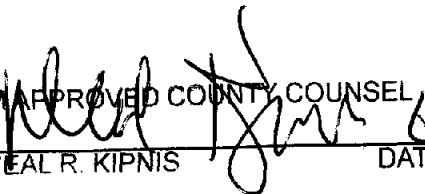
FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL
BY:  DATE 6/14/10
NEAL R. KIPNIS

EXHIBIT A

Personnel Cost	
School Year Hours =	1,780
Current SRO hourly rate =	67.77
Estimated annual increase	5.5%
Annual Cost	\$127,265.28
Vehicle Cost	
Current mileage rate =	0.88
Estimated annual increase	5%
Daily mileage =	22
Mileage Cost for 222 days	\$4,512.82
Total	\$131,778.10