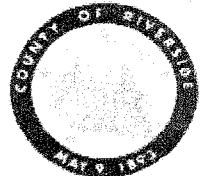


**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**FROM:** Community Health Agency, Department of Animal Services

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**

June 30, 2010

**SUBJECT:** Ratify the Seventh Amendment to Contract 08-055 with Animal Samaritans SPCA, Inc., to perform Spay/Neuter and other Clinical Services for the Department of Animal Services

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

- 1.) Ratify the Seventh Amendment between Animal Samaritans SPCA, Inc., and the County of Riverside Department of Animal Services, for the performance period of July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, in the amount of \$70,000; and,
- 2.) Authorize the chairperson to execute three (3) original copies of the Seventh Amendment on behalf of the County of Riverside.

**BACKGROUND:**

For the past eight (8) years, Riverside County Department of Animal Services has contracted with Animal Samaritans SPCA, Inc., a non-profit spay/neuter and adoption facility in Thousand Palms, to perform spay and neuter surgeries for the animals adopted from the County-run Thousand Palms and Blythe shelters.

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*Betsy Webster*  
Betsy Webster, Deputy Director  
for Robert P. Miller, Director of Animal Services

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 70,000	In Current Year Budget:	Yes
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	10/11

<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS:</b> 100% Department Budget	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:**

APPROVE

**County Executive Office Signature**

BY: *Debra Cournoyer*  
Debra Cournoyer

FORM APPROVED  
COUNTY COUNSEL

JUL 13 2010

Purchasing: *Mark Seller*  
BY: *Jinny Yang*  
Mark Seller, Assistant Director  
Jinny Yang

- Consent
- Policy
- Consent
- Policy

Dept's Recomm.:  
Per Exec. Ofc.:

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 5/25/10 3.9, 11/24/09  
3.45, 5/12/09 3.11, 7.29/08 3.19, 6.24/08 3.12,  
4/1/08 3.4

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Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED  
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

**3.14**

**(Continued)BACKGROUND:**

Veterinary clinics within the Thousand Palms area are primarily small, private, for-profit agencies and charge far greater fees than Animal Samaritans, the only non-profit agency capable of performing the high number of surgeries at a low cost for the citizens in the Thousand Palms area.

**PRICE REASONABLENESS:**

The price rendered by Animal Samaritans for spay and neuter services is considered to be fair and reasonable based on their pricing being lower than normal for-profit veterinary clinics in the surrounding area. Animal Samaritans is associated with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) and is a certified non-profit agency. Pricing for the spay/neuter procedure for a canine is \$75.00, and for a feline is \$50.00. This compares favorably against for-profit clinics which charge significantly above \$100.00 for a canine or feline procedure, on average. Based on this comparison, the price is deemed to be fair and reasonable.

**FINANICAL:**

There is no additional impact on the general fund as this funding has been included in the department's budget.

**SEVENTH AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE  
WITH  
ANIMAL SAMARITANS SPCA, INC.**

**(Spay/Neuter and other Clinical Services)**

That certain Agreement between the County of Riverside through its Community Health Agency Department of Animal Services (COUNTY) and Animal Samaritans SPCA, Inc. (CONTRACTOR), approved on January 22, 2008, signed by the Purchasing Agent, amended for the first time on April 1, 2008, item 3.4, amended for the second time on June 24, 2008, item 3.12, amended for the third time on July 29, 2008, item 3.19, amended for the fourth time on May 12, 2009, item 3.11, is amended for the fifth time on November 24, 2009, item 3.45, amended for the sixth time on May 25, 2010, item 3.9, is hereby amended for the seventh time effective July 1, 2010 as follows:

- To amend all references to the period of performance from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010 to July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011.
- To establish the amount of compensation for Fiscal Year 10/11 in the amount of seventy thousand (\$70,000) dollars.
- To delete Exhibit B in its entirety and replace with the new Exhibit B attached hereto;
- All other terms and conditions of this Agreement are to remain unchanged.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the Parties hereto have caused their duly authorized representatives to execute this Amendment.

**COUNTY**

**CONTRACTOR**

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Marion Ashley, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

Animal Samaritans SPCA, Inc.  
By Frederick L. Saunders Jr.  
Frederick L. Saunders Jr.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date July 1, 2010

ATTEST: Kecia Harper-Ihem, Clerk

By \_\_\_\_\_

FORM APPROVED  
COUNTY COUNSEL

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BY Tinny Yarr

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PAYMENT PROVISIONS

CONTRACTOR shall be entitled to receive payment for services rendered as specified herein:

1. Fee Schedule:

1.1 Spay and Neuter:

Unadopted County Animals: Canine \$95 (0-50lbs) \$105 (50-100lbs) \$135 (over 100)

Feral felines: No charge

1.2 Reimbursement for Clinical Services:

These services are to be assessed when, in the course of the sterilization procedure, an unanticipated but necessary procedure is required, such as pregnancy, etc. or at the request of COUNTY, such as microchip, etc., prior to service being rendered. All services will be billed to the COUNTY at Animal Samaritans going rate.

Vaccinations, upon request:

Feline FVRCP	\$15 per vaccination
Feline FELV	\$20
Rabies	\$15
Canine DHPPC	\$20 per vaccination
Canine rabies, required for license	\$15

*License for the unincorporated areas of Riverside County:*

Altered Dog license – 1 year	\$16
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*Additional charges:*

Spay pregnant female	\$10
Crypt Orchid males	\$10
Microchip (Avid) implant	\$25
Registration with national data base	\$15
Deworm	\$ 8

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2 **2. Invoice:**

3 **2.1** COUNTY agrees to pay acceptable invoice(s), as per requirements in item 2.2 below,  
4 submitted by CONTRACTOR net 30 days of date of submission of error free invoice.

5 **2.2** Invoice(s) are constituted by the following:

6 **2.2.1** Itemized actual expenses incurred, CONTRACTOR'S name address, date,  
7 purchase order number (to be assigned after execution of agreement) and  
8 original signature of the CONTRACTOR.

9 **2.3** CONTRACTOR shall submit twice monthly invoice(s) to the following address for  
10 processing:

11 Community Health Agency  
12 Accounts Payable  
13 P.O. Box 7849  
14 Riverside, CA 92513

15 **2.3.1** Total amount of compensation to CONTRACTOR shall not exceed seventy  
16 thousand (\$70,000) dollars.  
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