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

**FROM:** Community Health Agency/Department of Environmental Health

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
April 25, 2011

**SUBJECT:** Development of New Small Water System Ordinance

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

- 1) Approve the initiation of a new ordinance to govern the operation of small drinking water systems; and
- 2) Direct the Department of Environmental Health to prepare and process the ordinance.

**BACKGROUND:**

The Department of Environmental Health has been delegated authority to regulate the operation and maintenance of small drinking water systems that supply water to between 5 and 15 homes. As the State regulations are somewhat lacking in detail, this proposed ordinance would provide further direction as well as the enforcement tools to help ensure that residents receive the highest quality drinking water possible.

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Steve Van Stockum, Director

SVS:JW

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	N/A	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: Contract revenue and department budget</b>	Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Requires 4/5 Vote	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

APPROVE  
  
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County Executive Office Signature

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**FISCAL**

The approval of this ordinance amendment will result in no cost to the County; implementation expenses will be paid through fees.