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

FROM: Community Health Agency/Department of Environmental Health

SUBMITTAL DATE: December 7, 2011

SUBJECT: Ratify the Vector Control Services Agreement No.12-022, between the Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) and the Riverside County Community Health Agency/Department of Environmental Health (COUNTY).

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors:

Current F.Y. Total Cost:

- 1) Ratify the No. 12-022 Agreement with the Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) and the Riverside County Community Health Agency/Department of Environmental Health (COUNTY) for the period of November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2016, for Vector Control Services; and
- 2) Authorize the Chairperson of the Board to sign four (4) originals of the attached Agreement on behalf of the County.

BACKGROUND: In the area of Hemet and San Jacinto, EMWD operates a wetland and research facility. This property has been identified as a breeding source for the mosquito species (Culex tarsalis), which transmits the West Nile Virus. EMWD has asked the COUNTY to monitor and treat these areas to reduce mosquito breeding. The attached Agreement would allow the COUNTY to perform Vector Control Services, and receive full reimbursement for time and costs not to exceed \$29,000 annually.

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Steve Van Stockum, Director Department of Environmental Health

In Current Year Budget:

DATA	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0		Budget Adj	Budget Adjustment:	
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C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

County Executive Office Signature

APPROVE

By: Julia Courneyer

Debra Courneyer

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FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSE!

FISCAL PROCEDURES APPROVED

Prev. Agn. Ref.:

ATTACHMENTS FILED
WITH THE CLERK OF THE BOARD

Agenda Number:

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AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE EASTERN MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT AND THE

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE FOR VECTOR CONTROL SERVICES, PROVIDED THROUGH THE COMMUNITY HEALTH AGENCY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

This Agreement is entered into between the Eastern Municipal Water District (hereinafter referred to as "DISTRICT"), and the County of Riverside, through its Community Health Agency, Department of Environmental Health (hereinafter referred to as "COUNTY") (collectively, the "PARTIES"), from November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2012, and shall continue in effect for the successive one (1) year periods through October 31, 2016.

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, DISTRICT desires the COUNTY to provide Vector Control Services that include mosquito surveillance and mosquito control.

WHEREAS, COUNTY has personnel with sufficient training and expertise to provide such services;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises, covenants and conditions hereinafter contained, the PARTIES hereto mutually agree as provided on pages 1 through 7, Exhibit "A", consisting of one (1) page, Exhibit "B", consisting of one (1) page, and Attachment "A", consisting of one (1) page, attached hereto and incorporated herein.

1. <u>COUNTY OBLIGATIONS:</u>

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COUNTY shall provide all services as outlined and specified in EXHIBIT "A", SCOPE OF SERVICE and ATTACHMENT "A", LOCATIONS FOR SERVICES, attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein.

2. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE:

This Agreement shall be effective from November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2012, and shall continue in effect for the successive one (1) year periods through October 31, 2016, unless terminated as specified in Section 14, TERMINATION.

3. <u>COMPENSATION:</u>

In consideration of services provided by COUNTY pursuant to EXHIBIT "A", SCOPE OF SERVICE, and ATTACHMENT "A", LOCATIONS FOR SERVICES, attached hereto and incorporated herein, COUNTY shall be entitled to receive payment as specified in EXHIBIT "B", PAYMENT PROVISIONS, attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference for services rendered. The total cost of services rendered is subject to change annually for each succeeding annual term following the initial term of this Agreement.

4. **AVAILABILITY OF FUNDI NG:**

It is mutually agreed and understood that the obligation of the DISTRICT is limited by and contingent upon the availability of DISTRICT funds for the reimbursement of COUNTY's fees. In the event that such funds are not forthcoming for any reason, DISTRICT shall immediately notify COUNTY in writing.

COUNTY shall be entitled to reimbursement of costs for work performed, in accordance with EXHIBIT "B", PAYMENT PROVISIONS.

5. ADMINISTRATION:

The COUNTY Director for the Department of Environmental Health, or designee, shall administer this Agreement on behalf of the COUNTY, and serve as the liaison with DISTRICT in connection with this Agreement.

6. PERSONNEL:

The services provided by the COUNTY shall be performed by COUNTY personnel under the control and direction of COUNTY. To the extent that DISTRICT officers or employees may also participate in any of the activities herein provided any expenses thereof shall be borne by DISTRICT.

7. RECORDS:

COUNTY agrees to maintain records and documentation of the services rendered and supplies used pursuant to this Agreement for a period of five (5) years. Such records or copies thereof shall be accessible to DISTRICT for review upon reasonable notification by DISTRICT without copying charges.

8. <u>HOLD HARMLESS/INDEMNIFICATION:</u>

- 8.1 Indemnification by COUNTY: COUNTY shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless DISTRICT, its officials, officers, employees and agents from all claims and liability for loss, damage, or injury to property or persons, including wrongful death, based on COUNTY's intentional or negligent acts, omissions or willful misconduct arising out of or in connection with the performance of professional services under this Agreement including, without limitation, the payment of attorney's fees.
- 8.2 Indemnification by DISTRICT: DISTRICT shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless COUNTY, its officials, officers, employees and agents from all claims and liability for loss, damage, or injury to property or persons, including wrongful death, based on DISTRICT's intentional or negligent acts, omissions or willful misconduct arising out of or in connection with the performance of professional services under this Agreement including, without limitation, the payment of attorney's fees.
- **8.3 Notification and Cooperation:** The parties mutually agree to notify each other through their respective contract administrators if they are served with any summons, complaint, discovery request or court order (hereinafter "litigation documents") concerning this Agreement and the professional services provided

hereunder. The parties also mutually agree to cooperate with each other in any legal action concerning this Agreement and the professional services provided hereunder. Such cooperation shall include each party giving the other an opportunity to review any proposed responses to litigation documents. This right of review does not, however, give either party the right to control, direct or rewrite the proposed responses of the other party.

9. **INSURANCE:**

The parties agree to maintain the types of insurance and liability limits that are expected for entities of their size and diversity. The types of insurance maintained and the limits of liability for each insurance type shall not limit the indemnification provided by each party to the other.

10. ASSIGNMENT:

The expertise and experience of COUNTY are material considerations for this Agreement. DISTRICT has an interest in the qualifications and capabilities of the persons and entities that COUNTY will use to fulfill its obligations under this Agreement. In recognition of that interest, COUNTY shall not assign or transfer this Agreement, in whole or in part, or the performance of any of COUNTY's obligations under this Agreement without prior written consent of DISTRICT's contract administrator. Any attempted assignment shall be ineffective, null and void, and shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement entitling DISTRICT to any and all remedies at law or in equity, including summary termination of this Agreement. DISTRICT acknowledges, however, that COUNTY, in the performance of its duties under this Agreement, may utilize subcontractors.

11. **FORCE MAJEURE:**

Neither Party shall be liable nor deemed to be in default for any delay or failure in performance under this Agreement or other interruption of service or employment deemed resulting, directly or indirectly, from acts of God.

12. SEVERABILITY:

If any provision in 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.

13. MISCELLANEOUS:

This Agreement is intended by the Parties hereto as a final expression of their understanding with respect to the subject matter hereof, and as a complete and exclusive statement of the provisions hereof. This Agreement supersedes any and all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings, oral or written, in connection therewith. This Agreement may be changed or modified only by a written amendment signed by authorized representatives of both parties.

14. TERMINATION:

DISTRICT and COUNTY reserve the right to terminate this Agreement at any time, with or without cause, upon written thirty (30) day notice stating the extent and effective date of termination. Upon receipt of any notice of termination from DISTRICT, COUNTY shall cease all services hereunder except such as may be specifically approved in writing by DISTRICT and COUNTY as of the effective date of termination. COUNTY shall be entitled to compensation for all services rendered prior to termination and for any services authorized in writing by DISTRICT thereafter.

15. NOTICES:

All correspondence and notices required or contemplated by this Agreement shall be delivered to the respective parties at the addresses set forth below and are deemed submitted one day after their deposit in the United States mail, postage prepaid:

COUNTY:

Community Health Agency Director of Environmental Health P.O. Box 7600 Riverside, CA 92513

Additional Copy COUNTY:

Community Health Agency
Procurement/Contract Administration
4065 County Circle Drive
Riverside, CA 92503

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DISTRICT:

District Manager 2270 Trumble Road

Perris, CA 92570

Eastern Municipal Water District

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or to such other address(es) as the parties may hereafter designate.

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EXHIBIT A

SCOPE OF SERVICE

COUNTY shall furnish the personnel, materials and supplies to perform the following services to be rendered as specified in ATTACHMENT "A", LOCATIONS FOR SERVICES, under the control and direction of the COUNTY:

1. Mosquito Control Services:

- 1.1 COUNTY will respond to complaints and requests within the affected areas of the assigned locations, as referenced in ATTACHMENT A, for assistance concerning mosquitoes and, when appropriate, take action(s) to abate or control the vector(s).
- 1.2 Conduct mosquito surveillance and control activities, including, but not limited to, fact-finding, inventory of breeding sources, education and consultation, issuing citations, following-up with the offending party when necessary, appearing in court as witness, and taking direct control action to include biological and chemical control when necessary.

2. Personnel:

2.1 The services provided by the COUNTY shall be performed by COUNTY personnel under the control and direction of COUNTY. To the extent that DISTRICT officers or employees may also participate in any of the activities herein provided for, or that peace officers of DISTRICT (whether working by contract or as DISTRICT Employee) may be called upon to render services, aid or assistance within the boundaries of DISTRICT, or other to perform law enforcement functions, any expenses thereof shall be borne by DISTRICT.

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For and consideration of the rendition by COUNTY of those services specified in EXHIBIT "A". SCOPE OF SERVICE and ATTACHMENT "A", LOCATIONS FOR SERVICES, PARTIES agree to the following payment provisions:

Payments:

DISTRICT will pay COUNTY at the rate of COUNTY Ordinance No. 640, 1.1 Environmental Health Services Fees, for the cost of specific services rendered to DISTRICT residents. COUNTY accepts the rate established in COUNTY Ordinance No. 640 as the total hourly cost to COUNTY to provide said services as referenced in Exhibit A, Scope of Service.

In addition, DISTRICT shall reimburse COUNTY for actual costs of pesticides and supplies used. This shall not include any additional costs of pesticides or other services, such as aerial application of pesticides, or aerial photography, which shall be approved in advance by the DISTRICT.

1.2 COUNTY shall submit itemized billings for the items as outlined in Attachment "A" of Agreement to DISTRICT on a quarterly basis, for all services rendered. DISTRICT agrees to pay all such non-disputed charges within sixty (60) days of receipt of itemized statements therefore.

2. **Invoices:**

Invoices shall be submitted on a line item basis and submitted to the 2.1 following address:

The Eastern Municipal Water District

Attention: Accounts Payable Department

P.O. Box 8300

Perris, CA 92572-8300

2,2 The total cost of this Contract, including sales tax, shall not exceed twenty-nine thousand (\$29,000) annually. COUNTY shall notify DISTRICT when total amount expended reaches 80% of this amount.

ATTACHMENT A

LOCATIONS FOR SERVICES

1. Mosquito Control Services:

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- 1.1 Provide mosquito population monitoring and control as needed from November 1, 2011 through October 31, 2016 at the following Eastern Municipal Water District properties at the hourly rate as specified by Riverside County Ordinance No. 640.8 Section 13 Required Fees, Item 17a:
 - 1.1.1 The wetlands and research area at the Hemet/San Jacinto Regional Wastewater Reclamation Facilities (RWRF)
 - 1.1.2 The Met Pond area
 - 1.1.3 The Sun City RWRF
 - 1.1.4 The Temecula Valley RWRF ponds
 - 1.1.5 The Moreno Valley RWRF ponds
 - 1.1.6 The Perris RWRF ponds
 - 1.1.7 The Alessandro Spreading Grounds in San Jacinto
 - 1.1.8 The Ski-land Reservoir in Perris
 - 1.1.9 The Winchester Ponds

COUNTY services shall generally be scheduled Monday – Thursday between the hours of 7:00 am to 3:30 pm (PST) unless previously arranged and approved by the Agreement Administrator or (in an emergency) other DISTRICT Management designee.

All work shall be coordinated, authorized and accepted by DISTRICT's Agreement Administrator, Jeff Wall or designee, as referenced in "Points of Contact" below.

DISTRICT's Agreement Administrator or designee shall authorize payment for all approved services rendered and shall monitor expenditures to ensure the amount does not exceed the Agreement.

2. Points of Contact:

- 2.1 DISTRICT Contact: Myrna Vazquez, Buyer, Agreement Administrator, Phone:
- (951) 928-3777 x4521 or e-mail: <u>vazquezm@emwd.org</u>
- 2.2 COUNTY Contact: Dottie Ellis-Merki, Program Chief,
- Phone: (951) 358-5172 or e-mail: DEllisme@rivcocha.org