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

FROM: Supervisor Bob Buster

SUBMITTAL DATE: July 12, 2012



SUBJECT: Staffing of the Rosetta Canyon Fire Station

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors directs:

The Executive Office to work with the Riverside County Fire Chief and representatives from the City of Lake Elsinore to develop a regional approach for staffing the Rosetta Canvon Fire Station.

BACKGROUND:

The Rosetta Canyon Fire Station in the City of Lake Elsinore has remained unopened and unstaffed due to the county and city's budget constraints. The City contracts with Riverside County/CAL FIRE for services and personnel from that station primarily would respond to calls within the City but would also respond to incidents in the nearby unincorporated communities including Lakeland Village, Good Meadow and the Temescal Valley as needed. The Fire Department has determined and recommended to the City that a combination fire engine and aerial apparatus (truck) be staffed to provide specialized service not readily available in the area. The County of Riverside has comparable cost sharing agreements with other jurisdictions that contract for fire protection services with the County.

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