

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

836A



FROM: Department of Public Health

SUBMITTAL DATE:
December 6, 2012

SUBJECT: Receive and File Emergency Medical Services (EMS) System Evaluation Update

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisor's receives and files the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Evaluation Update

BACKGROUND:

Departmental Concurrence

The Board of Supervisors approved item 3.10 on June 12, 2012 to authorize the EMS Agency to hire a consultant to evaluate the County's present EMS system, including in the process those stakeholders that wish to participate. The recommended timeline approved by the Board of Supervisors includes:

1. August 1, 2012: Release RFP to hire consultant to work on a contemporary Riverside County EMS Plan. The RFP was released on July 24, 2012.

Background continued on next page:

Susan D. Harrington
Susan Harrington, Director
Department of Public Health

FINANCIAL DATA

Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 0	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:	N/A

SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A

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

<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Consent
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3)

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Stone, seconded by Supervisor Ashley and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is received and filed as recommended.

Ayes: Buster, Tavaglione, Stone, Benoit and Ashley
Nays: None
Absent: None
Date: December 11, 2012
xc: Public Health

Kecia Harper-Ihem
Clerk of the Board
By: *[Signature]*
Deputy

Dep't Recomm.:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Per Exec. Ofc.:	<input type="checkbox"/>

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 6/12/12, 3.10

District: All/All

Agenda Number:

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Background continued:

2. September 4, 2012: Award a consultant contract to the most qualified applicant to work on the EMS Plan. The Agreement was approved by the Board of Supervisors on November 20, 2012.
3. March 3, 2014: Consider and approve a final EMS Plan to go out to bid. The Department expects to meet this deadline.
4. June 1, 2014: The Board of Supervisors will have a public hearing to choose a provider or providers for County-wide ambulance services. The Department expects to meet this deadline.
5. New contract to begin July 1, 2015. The Department expects to meet this deadline.

The EMS system evaluation will be conducted using a four-pronged approach. This approach includes convening a steering committee, a broad stakeholders group, key informant interviews and stakeholder focus groups in order to be inclusive, transparent and to obtain broad input.

The stakeholders meetings are anticipated to commence in January 2013.

The Department will provide a monthly update to the Board of Supervisors.

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(1)

On motion of Supervisor Stone, seconded by Supervisor Benoit and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the recommendation from Public Health regarding the Receive and File of the EMS System Evaluation Update is approved as recommended.

(2)

On Motion of Supervisor Tavaglione, seconded by Supervisor Stone and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter be reconsidered.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true, and correct copy of an order made and entered on December 11, 2012 of Supervisors Minutes.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Board of Supervisors
Dated: December 11, 2012
Kecia Harper-Ihem, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in
and for the County of Riverside, State of California.

(seal)

By:  Deputy

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