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



FROM: County Counsel

SUBMITTAL DATE: February 28, 2013

SUBJECT: Approval of the Conflict of Interest Code of the Northwest Mosquito and Vector Control District.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: That the Board of Supervisors approves the Conflict of Interest Code submitted by the Northwest Mosquito and Vector Control District.

BACKGROUND: Government Code section 87306.5 requires that all local agencies review their Conflict of Interest Code, and the listings of designated positions for employees who must disclose along with the types of disclosure required, and make appropriate amendments to each as required.

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TAWNYV. LIEU, Deputy County Counsel for PAMELA J. WALLS, County Counsel

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ N/A	In Current Year Bud	get: N	I/A
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	Budget Adjustment:		I/A
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ N/A	For Fiscal Year:	N	I/A
SOURCE OF	FUNDS:			Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30	
				Requires 4/5 Vote	
C.E.O. REC	OMMENDATION:				
		APPROVE)	1/		

County Executive Office Signature

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 approved as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Tavaglione, Stone, Benoit and Ashley

Nays:

None

Absent:

None

Date:

March 12, 2013

XC:

Co.Co., Commission, COBcm, BB&K

Kecia Harper-Ihem Clerk of the Board By: All Market

Deputy

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Dep't Recomm. Per Exec. Ofc.:

Prev. Agn. Ref.: 2/4/97; 2.16

2.16 **District:** 2/1

Agenda Number:

ATTACHMENTS FILED

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Government Code Section 82011 identifies the code reviewing body as the Board of Supervisors for the County, within which a local government agency (as defined by Government Code Section 82041) is located. A local government agency, as defined by Government Code Section 82041, includes this type of entity.

The Northwest Mosquito and Vector Control District recently revised its Conflict of Interest Code and has submitted it for approval by the Board of Supervisors as the code reviewing body.

This office has reviewed the revised code and has found that it complies with statutory requirements. It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve the Northwest Mosquito and Vector Control District's Conflict of Interest Code as revised and that the Clerk of the Board notify the Agency of the action taken.

NORTHWEST MOSQUITO AND VECTOR CONTROL DISTRICT CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE

(Amended December 20, 2012)

The Political Reform Act (Gov. Code § 81000, et seq.) requires state and local government agencies to adopt and promulgate conflict of interest codes. The Fair Political Practices Commission has adopted a regulation (2 Cal. Code of Regs. § 18730) that contains the terms of a standard conflict of interest code, which can be incorporated by reference in an agency's code. After public notice and hearing Section 18730 may be amended by the Fair Political Practices Commission to conform to amendments in the Political Reform Act. Therefore, the terms of 2 California Code of Regulations section 18730 and any amendments to it duly adopted by the Fair Political Practices Commission are hereby incorporated by reference. This incorporation page, Regulation 18730 and the attached Appendix designating positions and establishing disclosure categories, shall constitute the conflict of interest code of the **Northwest Mosquito and Vector Control District (the "District").**

All officials and designated positions shall file their statements of economic interests with the **District Manager** as the District's Filing Officer/Official. The **District Manager** shall make and retain a copy of all statements filed by Members of the Board of Trustees, Alternate members, and the District Manager, and forward the originals of such statements to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside_. The **District Manager** shall retain the originals of the statements filed by all other officials and designated positions and make all statements available for public inspection and reproduction during regular business hours. (Gov. Code § 81008.)

APPENDIX

CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE

OF THE

NORTHWEST MOSQUITO AND VECTOR CONTROL DISTRICT

(Amended December 20, 2012)

EXHIBIT "A"

OFFICIALS WHO MANAGE PUBLIC INVESTMENTS

District Officials who manage public investments, as defined by 2 Cal. Code of Regs. § 18701(b), are NOT subject to the District's Code, but must file disclosure statements under Government Code section 87200 et seq. [Regs. § 18730(b)(3)] These positions are listed here for informational purposes only.

It has been determined that the positions listed below are officials who manage public investments¹:

Members of the Board of Trustees

District Manager

Financial Consultants

Individuals holding one of the above-listed positions may contact the Fair Political Practices Commission for assistance or written advice regarding their filing obligations if they believe that their position has been categorized incorrectly. The Fair Political Practices Commission makes the final determination whether a position is covered by § 87200.

DESIGNATED POSITIONS

GOVERNED BY THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE

DESIGNATED POSITIONS'
TITLE OR FUNCTION

General Counsel

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Field Supervisor

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Public Information and Technology Officer

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Consultants and New Positions²

Individuals serving as a consultant as defined in FPPC Reg 18701 or in a new position must file under the broadest disclosure set forth in this Code subject to the following limitation:

The District Manager may determine that, due to the range of duties or contractual obligations, it is more appropriate to designate a limited disclosure requirement. A clear explanation of the duties and a statement of the extent of the disclosure requirements must be in a written document. The District Manager's determination is a public record and shall be retained for public inspection in the same manner and location as this Conflict of Interest Code.

EXHIBIT "B"

DISCLOSURE CATEGORIES

The disclosure categories listed below identify the types of economic interests that the designated position must disclose for each disclosure category to which he or she is assigned.³

Category 1: All investments and business positions in business entities, and sources of income, including gifts, loans and travel payments, that do business or own real property within the jurisdiction of the District.

Category 2: All interests in real property which is located in whole or in part within, or not more than two (2) miles outside, the jurisdiction of the District.

Category 3: All investments and business positions in business entities, and sources of income, including gifts, loans and travel payments, that are engaged in land development, construction or the acquisition or sale of real property within the jurisdiction of the District.

Category 4: All investments and business positions in business entities, and sources of income, including gifts, loans and travel payments, that provide services, products, materials, machinery, vehicles or equipment of a type purchased or leased by the District.

Category 5: All investments and business positions in business entities, and sources of income, including gifts, loans and travel payments, that provide services, products, materials, machinery, vehicles or equipment of a type purchased or leased by the designated employee's department, unit or division.

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This Conflict of Interest Code does not require the reporting of gifts from outside this agency's jurisdiction if the source does not have some connection with or bearing upon the functions or duties of the position. (Reg. 18730.1)