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



3.23 (ID # 9421)

#### **MEETING DATE:**

Tuesday, August 6, 2019

FROM: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT: Ratify and Approve the Agreements with the cities of Indian Wells and Palm Desert to Provide Emergency Services Coordination for Three Years. District 4 [\$480,266] [100% City Funds].

- Ratify and approve the Agreement for Emergency Services Coordinator Services with the cities of Indian Wells and Palm Desert to provide emergency services coordination for a total aggregate amount of \$240,133 per agreement for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022, and authorize the Chairman of the Board to sign both agreements on behalf of the County;
- Authorize the Emergency Management Department Director, or designee, to sign
  amendments that exercise the options of both agreements, including modifications of the
  scope of services that stay within the intent of each Agreement, as approved by County
  Counsel.

**ACTION:Policy** 

Bruce Barton, EMD Director 7/22/2019

### MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Jeffries, seconded by Supervisor Spiegel and duly carried, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington and Perez

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None

Absent:

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Date:

August 6, 2019

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Clerk of the Board

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost		
COST	\$ 156,038	\$ 160,048	\$ 480,266	\$0		
NET COUNTY COST	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0		
SOURCE OF FUNDS: 100% City Funds			Budget Adjus	Budget Adjustment: No		
		For Fiscal Ye	For Fiscal Year: 19/20-21/22			

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

### **BACKGROUND:**

### **Summary**

The Board of Supervisors approved an agreement with the cities of Indian Wells and Palm Desert for Emergency Services Coordination on August 23, 2016, item #3.37 for a three-year term, July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019. An Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) position was filled to serve the residents of both communities. The position's time and cost are split evenly between the two cities. Duties include, but are not limited to, the overall management and maintenance of each City's Emergency Operations Center, the training of each City's staff to effectively respond to an emergency, training of staff, volunteers and residents to be self-sufficient through the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training program, community outreach, grant management of available Emergency Management and Homeland Security grants, and other related assignments. The mobile emergency operation center vehicle used by the ESC was donated to the County according to the terms of an MOU approved by the Board on November 8, 2016, item #3.8.

The attached agreements have been approved by their respective city councils and have been approved as to form by County Counsel.

### Impact on Residents and Businesses

The addition of an Emergency Services Coordinator dedicated to serving the cities of Palm Desert and Indian Wells will enhance the preparedness and response capabilities of the cities and residents in case of an emergency or natural disaster.

### **Additional Fiscal Information**

The breakdown of costs per fiscal year is presented in the table below. Costs include salary/benefits/overtime and uniform allowance; communication/IT equipment; and vehicle operation and maintenance.

*	FY19/20	FY20/21	FY21/22	Total
Indian Wells	\$78,019	\$80,024	\$82,090	\$240,133
Palm Desert	\$78,019	\$80,024	\$82,090	\$240,133
Total	\$156,038	\$160,048	\$164,180	\$480,266

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## **ATTACHMENTS:**

- 1. Agreement No. EM-19-100 between County of Riverside and the City of Indian Wells
- 2. Agreement No. EM-19-101 between County of Riverside and the City of Palm Desert

Gregory J. Priagios, Director County Counsel 7/26/2019

# AGREEMENT FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES COORDINATOR SERVICES BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE AND THE CITY OF INDIAN WELLS

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- 3. City shall pay County for these ESC services as stated in Exhibit B.
- 4. Either party may terminate this Agreement without cause upon 90 days written notice to the other party. The Agreement may be terminated with cause upon 30 days written notice to the other party. County shall be entitled to receive compensation for all properly provided services rendered prior to termination.
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omission of City relating to this Agreement, including but not limited to property damage, personal injury or death.

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- 9. This Agreement shall be administered by the Director of EMD or designee on behalf of County; and City Manager or his designee on behalf of City.
- 10. Notices issues pursuant to this Agreement shall be sent via U.S. Mail to the following:

To County:

**Emergency Management Department** 

4210 Riverwalk Parkway, Suite 300

Riverside, CA 92505

Attn: Operations Manager

To City:

City of Indian Wells

44-950 Eldorado Drive

Indian Wells, CA 92210

Attn: City Manager

11. This Agreement represents the full and final agreement between the parties related to this subject matter; and no prior oral or written agreements shall apply. This Agreement may be modified or altered only by a written amendment signed by authorized representatives of both parties.

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AGREED:

County of Riverside

Kevin Jeffries, Chairman Board of Supervisors

Dated:

AUG 06 2019

City of Indian Wells

Name: Christopher J. Freeland

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Dated: 6-13-2019

APPROVED AS TO FORM

FORM APPROVED COUNTY COUNSEL

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ATTEST:

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# EXHIBIT A SCOPE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

- Level of Service: County shall provide emergency services utilizing the designated personnel of 0.5 FTE Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC), to be provided by County for City. The ESC will be shared between the cities of Indian Wells and Palm Desert according to the Memorandum of Understanding in effect between the two cities. Services to be provided shall include but not be limited to the following:
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- Primary Responsibilities: The ESC will coordinate all activities to address the four phases of emergency management.
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## EXHIBIT B PAYMENT PROVISIONS

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Kevin Jeffries, Chairman

**Board of Supervisors** 

Dated:

AUG 06 2019

City of Palm Desert

Name:

Lauri Aylaian

Title:

City Manager

Dated:

June 27, 2019

ATTEST:

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