

# MEMORANDUM

## PLACER COUNTY AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Christine E. Turner, Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer 

**DATE:** June 18, 2009

**SUBJECT:** State Contract for Organic Inspections Program for Fiscal Year 2009-2010

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### ACTION REQUESTED

Adopt a resolution authorizing the Placer County Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer to sign contract #09-0145 in the amount of \$1,990 with the California Department of Food and Agriculture for Organic Inspection Compliance Programs for the Fiscal Year 2009-10.

### BACKGROUND

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) provides reimbursement for various programs under the direction of the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer of Weights and Measures to help offset the costs to counties for enforcing mandated programs.

Under this contract the County will be reimbursed up to a maximum of \$1,990 for activities related to registrations and renewals, spot inspections, soil and tissue sampling, and complaint investigations incurred in the enforcement of the California Organic Foods Act for fiscal year 2009-2010.

### ENVIRONMENTAL

This activity does not qualify as a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

### FISCAL IMPACT

This contract provides for \$1,990 in reimbursements to offset the Agriculture Department's impact to the General Fund. Funding for this contract is in the 09/10 Agricultural Commissioner's Budget.

Attachments – Resolution

Contract available for Review at Clerk of the Board

# Before the Board of Supervisors County of Placer, State of California

In the matter of:  
A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER/SEALER  
TO SIGN CONTRACT # 09-0145 IN THE AMOUNT  
OF \$1,990 WITH THE CALIFORNIA  
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE  
ALLOWING FOR ORGANIC INSPECTION  
COMPLIANCE PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010

Resol. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Ord. No.: \_\_\_\_\_

First Reading: \_\_\_\_\_

The following \_\_\_\_\_ **RESOLUTION** \_\_\_\_\_ was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors

of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held \_\_\_\_\_ **July 7, 2009** \_\_\_\_\_,

by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

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Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:  
Clerk of said Board

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**BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF PLACER, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**, that this Board authorizes and directs the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer to sign State contract #09-0145, with the State of California, Department of Food and Agriculture, in the amount of \$1,990 for California Organic Foods Act enforcement activities for the 2009–2010 fiscal year.