

MEMORANDUM

PLACER COUNTY AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Joshua P. Huntsinger, Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer

DATE: May 24, 2011

SUBJECT: State Contract for Organic Inspections Program for Fiscal Year 2011-2012

ACTION REQUESTED

Adopt a resolution authorizing the Placer County Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer to sign contract #10-0106-SA in the amount of \$4,050 with the California Department of Food and Agriculture for Organic Inspection Compliance Programs for the Fiscal Year 2011–2012.

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 \$4,050 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 2011–2012.

ENVIRONMENTAL

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

FISCAL IMPACT

This contract provides for \$4,050 in reimbursements to offset the Agriculture Department's impact to the General Fund. Funding for this contract is in the 11/12 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 #11-0106-SA IN THE
AMOUNT OF \$4,050 WITH THE CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE
ALLOWING FOR ORGANIC INSPECTION
COMPLIANCE PROGRAMS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011-2012

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 _____ May 24, 2011 _____,

by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:

Clerk of said Board

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 #11-0106-SA, with the State of California, Department of
Food and Agriculture, in the amount of \$4,050 for California Organic Foods Act enforcement activities
for the 2011-2012 fiscal year.

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