

## MEMORANDUM

### PLACER COUNTY AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

**TO:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Joshua P. Huntsinger, Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer 

**DATE:** September 13, 2011

**SUBJECT:** A resolution authorizing the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer of Weights and Measures to execute agricultural and weights and measures reimbursement contracts.

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#### **ACTION REQUESTED**

Adopt a resolution authorizing the Agricultural Commissioner / Sealer of Weights and Measures to execute reimbursement contracts up to a maximum of \$25,000 with the California Department of Food and Agriculture, California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Citrus Research Board, California Agricultural Commissioner's and Sealer's Association, and California Rice Commission.

#### **BACKGROUND**

The State of California and various agricultural industry organizations provide for reimbursement for various programs under the direction of the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer of Weights and Measures to help offset the costs for enforcing mandated programs.

Traditionally, the department has sent each contract or agreement individually to the Board for signature authorization. The requested action would authorize the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer to sign all routine revenue contracts up to a maximum of \$25,000 each.

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL**

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

#### **FISCAL IMPACT**

These contracts and agreements provide for reimbursement to offset the Agriculture Department's impact to the General Fund. Funding for these contracts and agreements are in the Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer's Budget.

Attachments -Resolution

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

In the matter of:

Reso. No: \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER/SEALER  
TO EXECUTE REIMBURSEMENT CONTRACTS  
UP TO A MAXIMUM OF \$25,000 WITH THE  
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND  
AGRICULTURE, CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT  
OF PESTICIDE REGULATION, CITRUS  
RESEARCH BOARD, CALIFORNIA  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER'S AND  
SEALER'S ASSOCIATION, AND CALIFORNIA  
RICE COMMISSION**

The following Resolution was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer  
at a regular meeting held on **September 13, 2011**, by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

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Robert Weygandt, Chair  
Board of Supervisors

Attest:

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Ann Holman  
Clerk of the Board

**BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Placer County, that:**

The County Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer is hereby authorized to execute, on behalf of the County of Placer, reimbursement contracts to help offset the costs of enforcing mandated programs up to a maximum of amount of Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) per contract, with the State of California Department of Food and Agriculture, the State of California Department of Pesticide Regulation, the Citrus Research Board, the California Agricultural Commissioners and Sealers Association, and the California Rice Commission.