



Legislation Text

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Memorandum

Date: October 20, 2020

To: The Honorable Moke Simon, Chair, Lake County Board of Supervisors

From: Carol J. Huchingson, County Administrative Officer

Subject: Approve the Public Defender Contract Amendment Number 4 between the County of Lake and Lake Indigent Defense, LLP for Public Defender Services for the Purpose of Extending the Term of Existing Agreement and Increasing the Monthly Compensation by \$7,000 per month

Executive Summary: (include fiscal and staffing impact narrative):

County desires to continue contracting for the provision of indigent services with Lake Indigent Defense, LLP (LID) and requires additional time to explore restructuring options and complete negotiations.

To accomplish these goals, both County and LID mutually request to extend the contract term twelve (12) months from December 31, 2020 to December 31, 2021 and increase monthly amount of agreement previously agreed upon from One Hundred and Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$118,000) to One Hundred and Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000) beginning January 1, 2021.

The increased cost of \$42,000 for this fiscal year will be adjusted at mid-year.

If not budgeted, fill in the blanks below only:

Estimated Cost: _____ Amount Budgeted: _____ Additional Requested: _____ Future Annual Cost: _____

Consistency with Vision 2028 and/or Fiscal Crisis Management Plan (check all that apply):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Well-being of Residents | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure | <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Disaster Recovery | <input type="checkbox"/> County Workforce | <input type="checkbox"/> Technology Upgrades |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Collaboration | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Process Efficiency | <input type="checkbox"/> Clear Lake | <input type="checkbox"/> Revenue Generation |
| | | | <input type="checkbox"/> Cost Savings |

If request for exemption from competitive bid in accordance with County Code Chapter 2 Sec. 2-38, fill in blanks below:

Which exemption is being requested?

How long has Agreement been in place?

When was purchase last rebid?

Reason for request to waive bid?

Recommended Action:

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