



Legislation Text

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Memorandum

Date: December 1, 2020

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

From: Steve Hajik, Agricultural Commissioner/ Sealer

Subject: Adopt Resolution Approving MOU Between County of Lake and Lake County Resource Conservation District For Management of Goat's Rue in Lake County for FY 2020-2021 in the Amount of \$60,000

Executive Summary:

Based on current staffing levels and workload we do not have the resources to oversee and manage the Goat's Rue eradication project. Therefore we need this MOU with the Lake County Conservation District to maintain eradication efforts. This noxious weed is found in the Scotts Creek Watershed and is one of two known locations in the state.

California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has identified Goats rue as an "A" rated weed. An "A" rating is a pest of known economic or environmental detriment and is either not known to be established in California or it is present in a limited distribution that allows for the possibility of eradication or successful containment. This is considered a noxious weed and only found here and with your Board's approval, this revenue will be used to fund portions of the Lake County Resource Conservation District Weed Control Program.

Should the board approve this resolution, please have the chair sign and return one original copy of the MOU, one copy of the board resolution and return them to the Department of Agriculture for processing. A signed complete copy will be returned for your records.

If not budgeted, fill in the blanks below only:

Estimated Cost: _____ Amount Budgeted: \$60,000.00 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Collaboration | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Process Efficiency | <input checked="" 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: Adopt Resolution Approving MOU Between County of Lake and Lake County Resource Conservation District For Management of Goat's Rue in Lake County for FY 2020-2021 in the Amount of \$60,000