



## Legislation Text

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### Memorandum

**Date:** April 20, 2021

**To:** The Honorable Bruno Sabatier, Chair, Lake County Board of Supervisors

**From:** Steven Hajik, Agricultural Commissioner / Sealer of Weights and Measures

**Subject:** Adopt Resolution to Request Approval of Agreement with the Regents of the University of California to do a Statewide Survey for Invasive Shot-Hole Borers in the Amount of \$21,526 for period March 31, 2021 through March 31, 2022

### Executive Summary:

I would like to ask the Board to adopt the attached Resolution which approves the Agreement with the Regents of the University of California. This is a statewide survey to identify the presence and spread of the Invasive Shot-Hole Borers (ISHB). ISHB are beetles that bore into trees and introduce fungi that cause a tree disease called *Fusarium* dieback (FD). The ISHB-FD pest-disease complex is responsible for the death of thousands of trees in Southern California and poses an imminent threat to the integrity of urban and natural forests. Invasive Shot-Hole Borers attack a wide variety of tree species including avocados, common landscape selections, and California native species in urban and wildland environments.

Should the Board adopt this Resolution, please have the chair sign and return one (1) copies of the Agreement, one (1) copy of the Board Resolution, one (1) copy of and return them to the Department of Agriculture for processing. A signed completed copy will be returned for your records.

### If not budgeted, fill in the blanks below only:

Estimated Cost: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Budgeted: \$21,526 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Safety    | <input type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure   | <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable      |
| <input checked="" 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: Adopt Resolution to Request Approval of Agreement with the Regents of the University of California to do a Statewide Survey for Invasive Shot-Hole**

**Borers in the Amount of \$21,526 for period March 31, 2021 through March 31, 2022.**