



City Council Agenda Item

City Council Meeting Date: August 17, 2021

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

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SUBJECT: Approval of Changes to Agreement with County of Santa Barbara for Animal Control Services for Fiscal Year 2021-22

Recommendation:

Staff recommends the City Council approve the changes and then authorize the City Manager to execute a one-year Agreement for Animal Control Services (Agreement) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2021-22 with County of Santa Barbara (County) through their Animal Services Division in the total amount of \$334,984 (attached).

Background/Discussion:

At the June 1, 2021, City Council meeting, the City Council directed staff to move forward with renewing the contract with the County for FY 2021-22 for all animal control services in the amount of \$334,984. Following that approval, on July 28, 2021, County staff contacted City staff and advised that the County Counsel had reviewed the agreement and made changes to the scope of services. (See Attachment 2.) The changes consist of striking out portions of the Lompoc Municipal Code that involve penalties and zoning. Since those are areas that can be handled by the City Attorney's Office and the Planning Division, staff recommends the strike-outs be approved.

Fiscal Impact:

The fiscal impact to the City remains the amount of the one-year Agreement totaling \$341,700, with a 2% increase from FY 2020-21. This is an increase of \$6,716 from the prior contract.

Conclusion:

Approval of the minor changes in the Animal Control Services Agreement for FY 2021-22 will allow continuation of the essential full-service Animal Control Program provided by the County.

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Respectfully submitted,

Jim Throop, City Manager

Attachments: 1) (Revised) Agreement for Animal Control Services
2) Highlighted Changes to the Original Approved Agreement