

**County of San Diego Board of Supervisors
AGENDA ITEM INFORMATION SHEET**

AGENDA ITEM SUBJECT/TITLE:

RATIFICATION OF APPLICATION TO THE CALIFORNIA OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES PAUL COVERDELL FORENSIC SCIENCE (CQ) IMPROVEMENT GRANT PROGRAM AND ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS (DISTRICTS: ALL)

REQUIRES FOUR VOTES:

Yes No

WRITTEN DISCLOSURE PER COUNTY CHARTER SECTION §1000.1 REQUIRED:

Yes No

NOTICED PUBLIC HEARING REQUIRED:

Yes No

PROJECT UNDER CEQA:

Yes No

If Yes, approval of CEQA document required?

Yes No

DECISION WITHIN GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 84308:

Yes No

PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOARD ACTIONS:

N/A

BOARD POLICIES APPLICABLE:

B-29, Fees, Grants, Revenue Contracts - Department Responsibility for Cost Recovery

BOARD POLICY STATEMENTS:

A waiver of Board Policy B-29 is being requested, which requires prior approval of grant applications and full cost recovery of grants as the grant does not reimburse costs associated with administrative support. The Chief Medical Examiner certifies that this activity would be worthy of funding with County resources if external financing were unavailable. Staying current and informed in the constantly evolving field of forensics will enable our office to remain at the forefront of emerging drug and scientific trends.

MANDATORY COMPLIANCE:

N/A

ORACLE AWARD NUMBER(S) AND CONTRACT AND/OR REQUISITION NUMBER(S):

N/A

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Department of the Medical Examiner

OTHER CONCURRENCE(S):

INTERNAL REVIEW COMPLETED:

YES NO

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