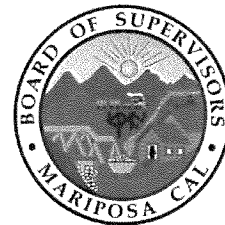




# MARIPOSA COUNTY

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## **RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-439**

MEETING: September 11, 2018

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Mike Healy, Public Works Director

RE: Grant Authority to the Director, Public Works & Transportation to File a Pre - Ap with USDA

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### **RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:**

Authorize the Director, Public Works & Transportation to conduct surveys as necessary and to file a pre-application with the USDA to seek funding for the design and construction of a new sheriff's office facility on land previously purchased for this purpose.

The existing Sheriff Office facilities are badly in need of replacement given the age of the existing facilities and the need for secure spaces which meet the operational requirements to conduct efficient and effective Law Enforcement and Emergency Dispatch services for the County.

This action allows the Public Works Office to file the pre-application for potential design and construction funding with USDA and to conduct a preliminary architectural analysis and environmental studies on land that the County already owns. Once the pre-application and studies are completed USDA will inform the County of funding opportunities for which the County may apply. At that point a complete package consisting of the preliminary architectural analysis, environmental studies, and grant applications for design and construction funding will be brought back to the Board for final consideration.

### **BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:**

The County has a history of utilizing USDA Rural Community Facility Financing in the past including the design and construction of the Government Center.

### **ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

Should the Board not allow for this action to move forward the aged facilities that house the Sheriff's Office will continue to deteriorate given that they have already outlived the demands of an efficient Law Enforcement Operation.

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**RESULT:**     **ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]**

**MOVER:**     Marshall Long, District III Supervisor

**SECONDER:** Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

**AYES:** Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey