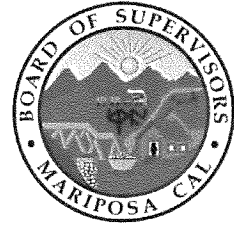




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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-457

MEETING: September 25, 2018
TO: The Board of Supervisors
FROM: Chevon Kothari, Health and Human Services Director
RE: MOU with Madera County Public Health Department to Establish
Emergency Cooperation

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between the County of Mariposa and the Mariposa County Health Department (MCHD) and the County of Madera and the Madera County Public Health Department (MCPHD) to Establish Emergency Cooperation During Large Scale Infectious Disease Outbreaks; and Authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to Sign the MOU.

The purpose of this MOU is to delineate the conditions under which Mariposa County, through the MCHD, will cooperate with and receive help from Madera County, through the MCPHD. Guided by the understanding that public health emergencies (e.g. an infectious disease outbreak) are likely to happen, MCHD and MCPHD recognize the need to develop cooperation to augment one another with staff members during a large scale outbreak investigation.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

There have been no previous actions by the Board for this item.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

No action would result in the County forfeiting the opportunity to utilize Madera County Public Health Department in the event of a large infectious disease outbreak.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

No impact as the MOU does not require allocation of any County funds.

ATTACHMENTS:

MOU Between Mariposa County Health Department and the Madera County Public Health Department (PDF)

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

SECONDER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor

AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey