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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Janice Donovan for Koford, Douglas - Sheriff-Coroner

Sheriff

REPORT BY: Janice Donovan, Sheriff's Administrative Manager - 259-8674

SUBJECT: Agreement with Napa Valley College

RECOMMENDATION

Sheriff requests approval of and authorization for the Chair to sign an agreement with the Napa Valley College for the term March 11, 2008 through June 30, 2010 to provide firearms training for sworn peace officers employed by Napa Valley College.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Approval of the requested action will enable sworn officers at Napa Valley College to be trained and certified in the use of firearms by the Napa Sheriff's Department.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

In light of the recent school shootings nationwide, Napa Valley College will be arming their police officers. Napa Valley College does not have a trained firearms instructor on staff or a firearms training facility. The Napa Valley

College Police Chief has requested assistance from the Sheriff's Department. The Sheriff's Department Range Master Officers will provide initial firearms training and monthly qualifications training to all five sworn peace officers employed by Napa Valley College.

The Sheriff's Department will not incur any additional cost in providing this training. Officers from Napa Valley College will be included in the Sheriff's Department's regularly scheduled trainings for all Deputies. Napa Valley College will provide their own ammunition. Napa Valley College has met the County's insurance requirements and has agreed to the Hold Harmless/Defense/Indemnification clause in the County's standard agreement.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

None

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Molly Rattigan