RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2015-97

MEETING: March 3, 2015

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Doug Wilson, Interim Public Works Director

RE: First Amendment to a Contract with ARAMARK for Uniform Laundry Services and Janitorial Supplies

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve First Amendment to a Contract for Services with ARAMARK to Provide Uniform Laundry Services and Janitorial Supplies by Extending the Term to June 30, 2018; and Authorize the Public Works Director to Sign the First Amendment.

The current three-year contract with ARAMARK is due to expire May 31, 2015. In an effort to coordinate the beginning of the next uniform laundry service and janitorial contract with the beginning of a new fiscal year, it is requested the current contract be extended through the month of June 2015, and for an additional three years to June 30, 2018. In an attempt to maintain the County’s business, ARAMARK has agreed to keep their pricing the same as the current contract.

The Public Works department has been satisfied with services being received by this vendor.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
Other County contracts have been extended based on the Department’s recommendation and upon Board review and approval.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
Do not approve the First Amendment. Negative action would require a competitive bid for the next uniform laundry services and janitorial supplies contract. While competitively bidding a contract is generally in the County’s best interest, it is believed that in the three years since the last bid for this contract that vendor costs have risen and would, therefore, be reflected in the bids received. By having ARAMARK hold its pricing, the County is assured there will be no rise in the cost of the new contract, whereas competitively bidding the next contract does not ensure a reduction in pricing.
FINANCIAL IMPACT:
No additional financial impact

ATTACHMENTS:
ARAMARK First Amendment   (DOC)
ARAMARK Agreement        (PDF)
Letter from ARAMARK dated February 11, 2015   (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended

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RESULT:    ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:     Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
SECONDER:  Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor
AYES:     Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Carrier