RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2016-210

MEETING: May 3, 2016

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Cathi Boze, Agricultural Commissioner/Sealer

RE: Approve the 2016/17 - 2017/18 Pierce’s Disease Control Program Agreement

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Approve the Pierce’s Disease Control Program/Glassy-Winged Sharpshooter Agreement No. 16-0215-SF for FY 2016/2017 through 2017/2018 with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA); and Authorize the Board of Supervisors Chair to Sign the Agreement.

The Pierce’s Disease Control Program agreement is an annual agreement that provides State subvention funds for the Glassy-Winged Sharpshooter (GWSS) trapping program to cover the costs of the program. This agreement was first instituted in 2000 when a GWSS infestation was discovered in California - which presented a threat to California vineyards through the transmission of the bacteria that causes Pierce’s Disease. This is a two-year agreement for the Pierce’s Disease Control Program.

The total subvention funding available is unchanged from previous fiscal year amounts and is $19,956 for the FY 2016/2017 - 2017/18 agreement.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The FY 2014/15 - 2015/16 Agreement was approved by Resolution No. 14-361.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
Do not approve the agreement. No subvention funds will be received for the Pierce’s Disease Control/GWSS trapping program to defray the funds expended for work performed in this program.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
The subvention amount for the Pierce’s Disease Control Program Agreement will be included in the FY 2016/17 budget revenues in the amount of $9,978.

ATTACHMENTS:
2016-2018 PDCP Agmt #16-0215-SF (PDF)

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended
RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
SECONDER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Carrier