

DEPARTMENT: Public Health
BY: C. B. Mosher, MD, Health Officer

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RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes ___ No x)
No action needed on informational item; recommend resolution authorizing approp. of \$4,500 of unanticipated revenue for expenses related to a comprehensive review of tank status; recommend resolution authorizing Health Officer to bill for expenses associated with Mariposa Creek Leak. There are over 120 tanks in Yosemite National Park and, until four months ago, the Park Service had not cooperated with us in executing their responsibility to test them. Since our enforcement action, there has been a great deal of activity in the Park which we have overseen. One result of this was the generation of \$7,500 in fees through August 31, 1991. Only \$2,000 was budgeted. Another result was a serious (and unbudgeted) over-working of current staff (CONTINUED)

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board previously resolved to have an Underground Tank Program in this County (Ordinance 641).

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Continue to deal with highest priority activities like the Creek Leak and tank removal/installation in Yosemite National Park and elsewhere, and do inspection and documentation only as time permits.

COSTS: () Not Applicable
A. Budgeted current FY \$ 14,918
B. Total anticipated costs \$ 19,418
C. Required Add'l funding \$ 4,500
D. Source: Unanticipated revenue

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:
List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:

SOURCE: (x) 4/5ths Vote Required
A. Internal transfers \$
B. Unanticipated revenues \$ 4,500
C. Reserve for contingency \$
D. Description:
Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved: \$

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No.: 91-454 + 91-456
Ord. No.:
Vote - Ayes: 5 Noes:
Absent: Abstained:
Approved () Denied
(x) Minute Order Attached

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:
This item on agenda as:
 Recommended
 Not Recommended
 For Policy Determination
 Submitted with Comment
 Returned for Further Action

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Date:
ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Mariposa, State of CA
By: Deputy

Comment:
A.O. Initials: [Signature]

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: CONTINUED

(it's not unusual for us to make two or three inspection trips to the Park in a week). With the Creek Leak, staff is even more thinly stretched (Dave Conway spent 101 hours on the Creek Leak in the first two weeks).

Many tank operators refuse (like the Park had) to fully execute their responsibilities under the law. We have not, in the past, pushed beyond our statutory responsibilities in this regard, but the Creek Leak points out that operators may need more vigorous oversight. Moreover, our files are not as fully documented as the Health Officer considers ideal.

With the unanticipated revenue from underground tank spill and site evaluations, we recommend a temporary expansion of the program involving additional staff and office space to do a complete inspection and documentation program.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a political subdivision of the State of California, that pursuant to the provisions of the Government Code of the State of California, Sections 29120 et seq., the following APPROPRIATIONS and/or TRANSFERS within the Budget of the County of Mariposa are hereby adopted:

<u>Department</u>	<u>APPROPRIATIONS (4/5ths Vote Required)</u> <u>Item</u>	<u>Account No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
From:	Unanticipated Revenue	001-800-7-319	\$4,500
To :	General Contingency	001-103-6-000	\$4,500
From:	General Contingency	001-103-6-000	\$4,500
To : Health Department	Maintenance/Structure	001-450-2-130	\$1,500
To : Health Department	Extra Help	001-450-1-100	\$3,000

<u>Department</u>	<u>TRANSFERS (3/5ths Vote Required)</u> <u>Item</u>	<u>Account No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
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MARIPOSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MINUTE ORDER

TO: C. B. MOSHER, M.D., COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER
FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, CLERK OF THE BOARD *mw*
RE: REPORT ON STATUS OF UNDERGROUND TANK PROGRAM

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

ADOPTED THIS Order on September 24, 1991

ACTION AND VOTE:

9:44 a.m. C. B. Mosher, M.D., County Health Officer;
(A) Informational Report on Status of Underground Tank Program; (B) Resolution Authorizing Appropriation of \$4,500 of Unanticipated Revenue for Expenses Related to a Comprehensive Review of Tank Status (4/5ths Vote Required); and (C) Resolution Authorizing Health Officer to Bill for Expenses Associated with Mariposa Creek Leak
BOARD ACTION: Status report was given. Res. 91-454 was adopted appropriating funds - (M)Baggett, (S)Erickson/Ayes: Unanimous. Res. 91-456 adopted authorizing Health Officer to bill for expenses associated with Mariposa Creek Leak - (M)Erickson, (S)Punte/Ayes: Unanimous.

cc: Auditor
Administrative Officer
County Counsel
File