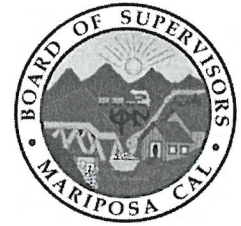




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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2013-562

MEETING: December 17, 2013

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Thomas Cooke, District Attorney

RE: Approve Immediate Recruitment for a Victim/Witness Services Supervisor

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve the Immediate Recruitment of a Victim Witness Services Supervisor and the Filling of the Position Effective January 1, 2014, in the Victim Witness Budget. The incumbent Victim Witness Services Supervisor has submitted written notice of their resignation effective December 31, 2013.

The Victim Witness Services Supervisor classification is fully funded by State and Federal Grant Funds and will have no impact on the General Fund. The Victim Witness Services Supervisor classification is represented by Mariposa County Managerial and Confidential Organization (MCMCO).

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has previously approved filling Grant Funded vacant positions at the request of the Department Head.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

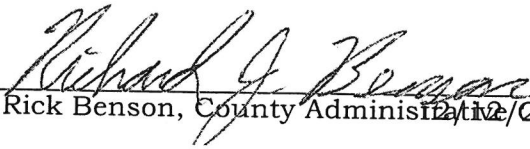
If the Board chooses to not allow the filling of this position, this will have a negative impact on the District Attorney's ability to provide victim witness services to victims of crime in Mariposa County. On November 4, 2008, the People of the State of California approved Proposition 9, the Victims' Bill of Rights Act of 2008: Marsy's Law. This measure amended the California Constitution to provide additional rights to victims.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

This position is currently fully funded with Federal and State grant funds in the Victim Witness Budget.

CAO RECOMMENDATION

Requested Action Recommended


Rick Benson, County Administrator/Office

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: John Carrier, District V Supervisor
SECONDER: Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor
AYES: Lee Stetson, Janet Bibby, Kevin Cann, John Carrier
EXCUSED: Merlin Jones