

DEPARTMENT: Public Works By: Michael Edwards Phone: 966-5356

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes___ No_x)

The Department of Public Works recommends the Board authorize the transfer of \$650 from Professional Services to a Fixed Asset, Backflow Prevention Assembly Test Kit.

This test kit is for performance testing of reduced pressure principle and pressure vacuum breaker backflow prevention assemblies. This device is necessary to implement cross-connection control programs to avoid possible contamination of community water systems. This is a State mandate.

The test kit will be used for the most part in Coulterville and Yosemite West, but Facilities Maintenance could also utilize it for the parks and facilities (i.e. pools and irrigation systems).

The Maintenance Foreman, Special Districts, has been trained and certified to use this equipment.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

In the past, the Board has approved such transfers and/or appropriations. The cross-connection control program was identified as a high priority in the Coulterville CSA study presented to the Board on March 22, 1994.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

- 1. Do not approve. Public Works will be forced to rent equipment or hire outside professionals for the annual testing at a much greater cost.

<p>COSTS: () Not Applicable</p> <p>A. Budgeted current FY \$33,795</p> <p>B. Total anticipated costs \$ 650</p> <p>C. Required additional funding \$0</p> <p>D. Internal transfers \$</p> <p>SOURCE: () 4/5th Vote Required</p> <p>A. Unanticipated revenues \$</p> <p>B. Reserve for contingencies \$</p> <p>C. Source description: Professional Service, acct. #001-0158-509-0418</p> <p>Balance in Reserve Contingencies, if approved: \$</p>	<p>SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:</p> <p>1. Budget Action</p> <p>2. Product Information</p>
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CLERK'S USE ONLY

Res. No.: 94-121 Ord. No. _____

Vote - Ayes: 5 Noes: _____

Absent: _____ Abstained: _____

Approved () Denied ()

() Minute Order Attached () No Action Necessary

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

Date: _____

ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California

By: _____
Deputy

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:
This item on agenda as:

Recommended


Not Recommended

For Policy Determination

Submitted with Comment

Returned for Further Action

Comment: _____

A.O. Initials: 

COUNTY OF
MARIPOSA

BUDGET ACTION FORM

DEPT/DIV: Public Works

CONTACT: Michael D. Edwards

DATE: April 6, 1994


PHONE: 966-5356

ACTION REQUESTED: (Check All That Apply)

- Budget appropriation by Board of Supervisors (4/5ths Vote Required): Amending the total amount available in the County Budget, or in any one fund of the budget, or appropriating Reserve for Contingencies;
- Transfer by Board of Supervisors (3/5ths Vote Required): Moving existing appropriation from one budget to another, or between categories within a budget unit;
- Transfer by Administrator: Moving existing appropriations within a single budget category between line items (i.e. services and supplies, etc.);
- Transfer by Auditor: Moving salaries between line items to accomodate variances internal to salaries; OR transfers within the County budget under \$50.00 to accomodate minor variations from the budget.

<u>FUND/DEPT/ACCT NO.</u>	<u>LINE ITEM DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>AMOUNT (FROM)/TO</u>
001-0158-509-0418	Dist. & Fac. Prof. Services	(\$650.00)
001-0158-509-0677	Fixed Asset Backflow Meter	\$650.00

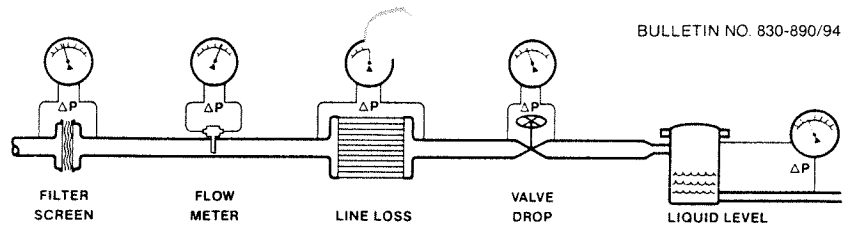
Justification: See attached Board Action

Department Head Signature:  Date: 4/6/94
Approved By: Res. No. 94-121 Clerk: hms Date: 4-19-94
Administrator: _____ Date: _____
Auditor: _____ Date: _____

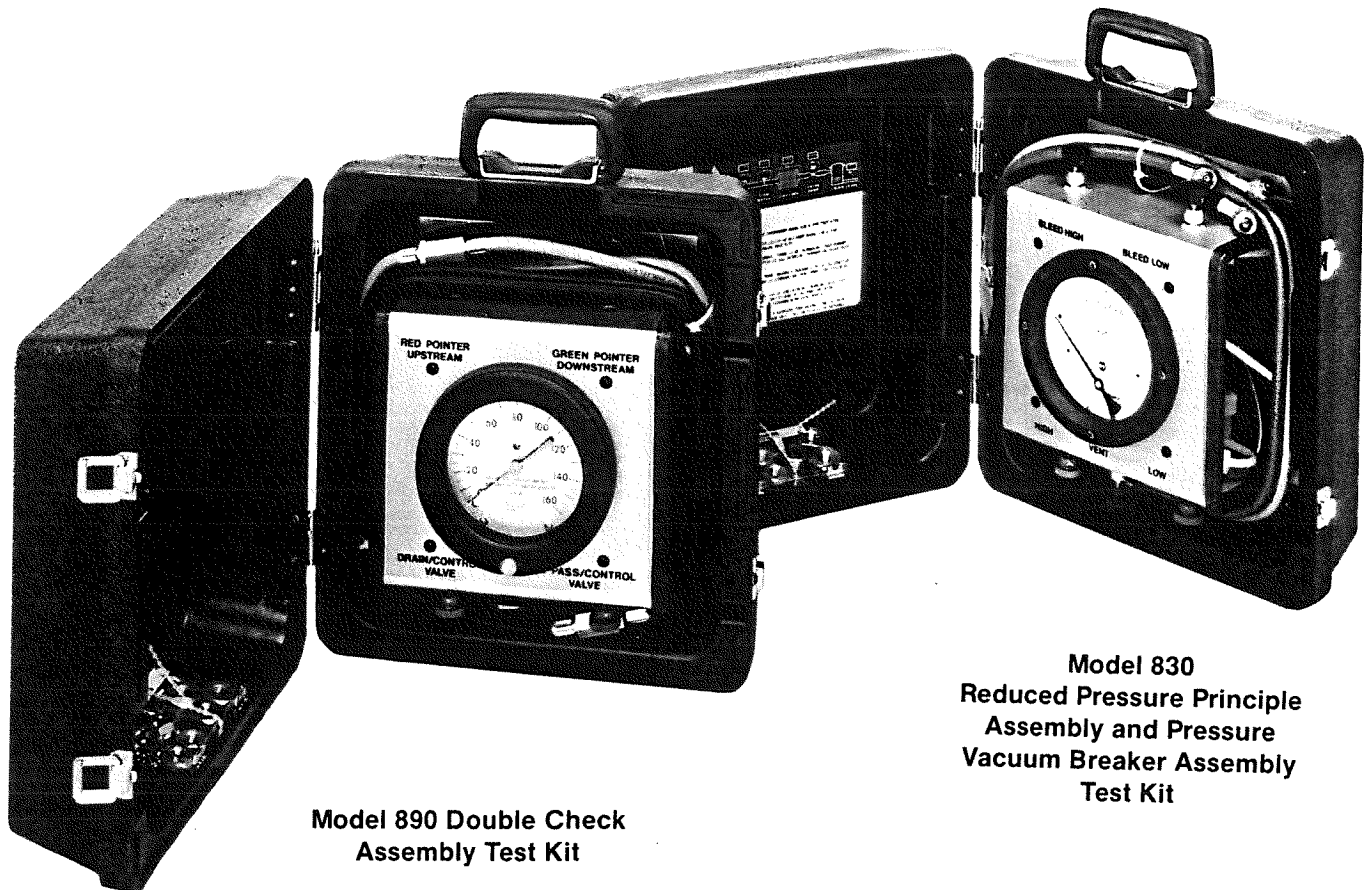
AUDITOR'S USE ONLY:

Description: _____ Transfer No.: _____
B.R. No.: _____

Mid-West[®] Instrument



MODEL 830/890 Backflow Prevention Assembly Test Kits



**Model 890 Double Check
Assembly Test Kit**

**Model 830
Reduced Pressure Principle
Assembly and Pressure
Vacuum Breaker Assembly
Test Kit**

These two test kits provide the capability for testing all brands of reduced pressure principle, pressure vacuum breaker, and double check valve type backflow prevention assemblies. Considered the standard of the industry for over 20 years, they have been improved with the addition of brass filters on all hoses, a compartment for storing the various adaptor fittings and chain, and a rugged molded plastic case with removable

cover. Instruction cards laminated in clear plastic and stored in the lid of the case provide both plumbing schematics and test procedures as specified in the Manual of Cross Connection Control published by the Foundation for Cross Connection Control and Hydraulic Research and The American Water Works Association. A certificate of calibration is supplied with each test kit.