REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF BOARD GOVERNED COUNTY SERVICE AREAS AND RECORD OF ACTION

March 14, 2023

FROM

BRENDON BIGGS, Director, Department of Public Works - Special Districts

SUBJECT

Utility Agreement with the Town of Apple Valley for Water Main Relocation in the Mojave River

RECOMMENDATION(S)

Acting as the governing body of County Service Area 64 (Spring Valley Lake), approve **Utility Agreement No. 23-201** (2030.06) with the Town of Apple Valley to compensate County Service Area 64 for costs associated with inspections and support services performed during the relocation of the County Service Area 64 water main located in the Mojave River to accommodate the Town of Apple Valley's Bear Valley Road Bridge Expansion Project. (Presenter: Brendon Biggs, Director, 387-7906)

COUNTY AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Operate in a Fiscally-Responsible and Business-Like Manner.

Pursue County Goals and Objectives by Working with Other Agencies and Stakeholders.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

This item will not result in the use of Discretionary General Funding (Net County Cost). The agreement will require the Town of Apple Valley (Town) to compensate County Service Area 64 (Spring Valley Lake) (CSA 64) for all labor and equipment costs associated with inspections and support services performed by the Department of Public Works – Special Districts, Water and Sanitation Division during the relocation of the CSA 64 water main, which is anticipated to be approximately \$40,000. Sufficient appropriation is included in the CSA 64 2022-23 budget.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Town proposes to widen, rehabilitate, and seismically retrofit the Bear Valley Road Bridge over the Mojave River and improve approach roadways from Mojave Fish Hatchery Road to Jess Ranch Parkway in the Town. CSA 64 owns and maintains the existing water main that runs through the Mojave River under the Bear Valley Road Bridge. Expansion of the bridge requires moving the pillars, which obstruct the bridge expansion, and therefore relocation of the water main is necessary.

Approval of this item will authorize a utility agreement requiring the Town to compensate CSA 64 for costs associated with the relocation of the CSA 64 water main. CSA 64 will have access to all phases of the relocation work that the Town will perform for the purpose of inspections, evaluations, and final disposition. The utility agreement was taken to the Town board and approved on February 28, 2023.

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PROCUREMENT

Not applicable.

REVIEW BY OTHERS

This item has been reviewed by County Counsel (Aaron Gest, Deputy County Counsel, 387-5455) on January 31, 2023; Finance (Tom Forster, Administrative Analyst, 387-4635) on February 3, 2023; and County Finance and Administration (Paloma Hernandez-Barker, Deputy Executive Officer, 387-5423) on February 11, 2023.

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Record of Action of the Board of Supervisors Board Governed County Service Areas

APPROVED (CONSENT CALENDAR)

Moved: Joe Baca, Jr. Seconded: Curt Hagman Ayes: Col. Paul Cook (Ret.), Jesse Armendarez, Dawn Rowe, Curt Hagman, Joe Baca, Jr.

Lynna Monell, CLERK OF THE BOARD

DATED: March 14, 2023

BOARD GOVERNED

cc: BGCSA - Samaras w/agree

Conractor - C/O BGCSA w/agree

File - w/agree

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