

May 11, 2010

Board of Directors Marin County Open Space District Marin County Civic Center San Rafael, California 94903

## SUBJECT: REQUEST TO AUTHORIZE PRESIDENT TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE MARIN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FOR THE SERVICES OF 1.0 FTE DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR FY 10-11

Dear Board Members:

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

1. Authorize the President to execute a new agreement with the Marin County Sheriff's Office in the amount of \$154,130 for the services of 1.0 FTE Deputy Sheriff for FY 10-11.

**SUMMARY:** The Marin County Sheriffs Department has provided the services of a Deputy Sheriff to the Marin County Open Space District for the past 20 years. The addition of a deputy to the District's field staff enhances stewardship of open space by expanding the District's capacity to patrol its lands, educate visitors about the proper use of open space, conduct search and rescue, and provide other vital assistance to staff and visitors alike.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Sufficient funds are available in the FY 10-11 budget, Fund 20600, Fund Center 6300011470, GL 5210110, to cover the cost of the work.

<b>REVIEWED BY:</b>	[ ] Auditor-Controller	[ X ] N/A
	[ X ] County Counsel	[ ] N/A
	[ ] Human Resources	[ X ] N/A

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Respectfully submitted,

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