



SAN MATEO COUNTY COUNTY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Date: February 17, 2003

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors
From: Mary McMillan, Deputy County Manager
Subject: Agreement with Michael Corbett

Recommendation

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the President of the Board of Supervisors to sign an agreement with Michael Corbett for state government liaison services.

Background/Discussion

In 1997, after completing a competitive response to a request for proposal (RFP) for state government liaison services, the Board awarded a contract in the amount of \$6,700 per month to Michael Y. Corbett. The Board has extended that contract twice, increasing the compensation to \$6,700 per month. Michael Corbett has successfully managed numerous pieces of special legislation for the County, as well as represented our interest in negotiating funding formulas.

The current agreement with Michael Corbett expired on January 1, 2003.

The County Manager's Office is requesting your Board extend Michael Corbett's contract for a two year-term to coincide with the 2003-04 State Legislative Session. The compensation would be \$7,177 per month, not to exceed a total of \$176,248 inclusive of all expenses, which represents a 2 percent.

As required by the terms of the contract, Mr. Corbett's client list is attached.

Vision Alignment

The agreement with Michael Y. Corbett keeps Shared Vision 2010 commitment of a responsive, effective and collaborative government and goals #20 that government decisions are based on careful consideration of future impact, rather than temporary relief; and # 22 that county and local government effectively communicate, collaborate and develop strategic approaches to issues affecting the entire county.

Fiscal Impact

The Net County Cost is \$176,248 for the two-year term of this contract. This includes the monthly rate of \$7,177 and an annual \$2,000 amount for reasonable expenses.