



**SAN BENITO COUNTY
AGENDA ITEM
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Item Number: 3.3

MEETING DATE: 08/09/2022

DEPARTMENT: AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

AGENDA ITEM PREPARER: Angie Pate

DEPT HEAD/DIRECTOR: Ken Griffin

SUBJECT:

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER - K. OVERSTREET

Approve State contract, 22-0294-029-SF, for Asian Citrus Psyllid (ACP) for trapping activities, from October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023, total contract value is \$66,099.00.
SBC FILE NUMBER: 1.1

AGENDA SECTION:

CONSENT AGENDA

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:

Since October 1, 2014, the County has provided pest detection trapping activities for Asian citrus psyllid under contract with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA). In April 2015, single Asian citrus psyllid was first detected in San Benito County. Response to this initial find triggered a survey covering 8 square miles surrounding the find. 353 yellow sticky traps were deployed throughout this area. Five additional finds in 2016 expanded the survey area and increased the total number of traps to 573. Because no more Asian Citrus psyllid have been detected in our County since those 2016, our trapping survey has been reduced to detection levels which equates to approximately 165 traps. This contract supports the continuation of the trapping activities that help reduce the threat of ACP becoming established in San Benito County. Work will be performed by current regular and seasonal staff. The funding is sufficient to cover our costs of the program and has been included in the Agricultural Commissioner's budget.

RESOLUTION OR ORDINANCE NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:

No

CONTRACT NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:

Yes

CONTRACT AND RFP HISTORY:

December 15, 2021 Approval of Contract 21-0516-023-SF, \$66,097.00

December 15, 2020 Approval of Contract 20-0709-009-SF, \$81,665.00

April 21, 2020 Approval of Contract 19-0737-022-SF, \$109,550.00

March 19, 2019 Approval of Contract 18-0293-011-SF, \$111,448.00

February 20, 2018 Approval of Contract 17-0428-006-SF, \$111,448.00

LAST CONTRACT AMOUNT OR N/A:

\$66,097.00

STATE IF THIS IS A NEW CONTRACT/ HOW MANY PAST AMENDED CONTRACTS/ OR N/A:

New

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 1. Operational Development & Excellence

No

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 2. Planning And Sustainable Growth

Yes

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 3. Technology

No

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 4. Community Engagement

Yes

STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 5. Health & Safe Community

Yes

BUDGETED:

Yes

BUDGET ADJUSTMENT NEEDED:

No

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Non-general Fund

UNFUNDED MANDATE:

No

SBC BUDGET LINE ITEM NUMBER:

101.60.1250.1000.550.515 State Aid Asian Citrus Psyllid

CURRENT FY COST:

\$56,464.00 (Revenue)

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

1. Approve Contract #22-0294-029-SF between the California Department of Food & Agriculture and the County of San Benito for Asian citrus psyllid trapping activities from October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023. Total contract value is \$66,099.00.
2. Authorize the Agricultural Commissioner - Sealer of Weights and Measures to sign the contract.

ATTACHMENTS:

[ACP Agreement](#)