

RESOLUTION NO. .

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION: A) WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS FOR DNA TESTING REAGENTS; AND B) AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASING AGENT TO RENEW A REAGENT PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH LIFE TECHNOLOGIES FOR DNA TEST KITS AND REAGENTS THAT WILL RESULT IN A VENDOR AGREEMENT FOR A THREE-YEAR TERM EFFECTIVE FROM THE DATE THE REAGENT PURCHASE AGREEMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED BY BOTH PARTIES, FOR A MAXIMUM OBLIGATION OF \$600,000 DOLLARS; AND C) AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASING AGENT TO ADD NEW REAGENTS AND TEST SUPPLIES TO THE REAGENT PURCHASE AGREEMENT AS NECESSARY

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

WHEREAS, Ordinance Code Section 2.83.050 authorizes the Board of Supervisors to waive any of the provisions of the competitive bidding process in any situation where the Board of Supervisors determines that the best interests of the County could be served without the necessity of competitive bidding; and

WHEREAS, this Board has been asked to waive the competitive bidding process for test kits and reagents that will result in a vendor agreement with a sole source vendor; and

WHEREAS, this Board has been presented with this request to authorize the Purchasing Agent to enter into a Reagent Purchase agreement with Life Technologies for test kits and reagents that will result in a vendor agreement for a three-year term effective from the date the Reagent Purchase agreement has been executed by both parties, for a maximum obligation of \$600,000; and

WHEREAS, this Board has been presented with this request to authorize the Purchasing Agent to add new reagents and test supplies to the Reagent Purchase agreement as necessary; and

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the competitive bidding process is waived.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President of the Board hereby authorizes the Purchasing Agent to enter into a Reagent Purchase Agreement with Life Technologies for sole source test kits and reagents that will result in a vendor agreement for a three year term effective from the date the Reagent Purchase agreement has been executed by both parties, for an amount not to exceed of \$600,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Purchasing Agent to add new reagents and test supplies to the Reagent Purchase as necessary so long as the addition of new sole source reagents and test supplies does not increase the maximum amount authorized by this agreement.

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