



# County of San Mateo

## Inter-Departmental Correspondence

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**Department:** PARKS

**File #:** 16-652

Board Meeting Date: 10/17/2017

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**Special Notice / Hearing:** None  
**Vote Required:** Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

**From:** Sarah Birkeland, Acting Parks Director

**Subject:** Amend current agreement with Go Native, Inc. for on-call professional vegetation management services, including integrated pest management services.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Adopt a resolution authorizing an amendment to the current agreement with Go Native, Inc., for on-call professional vegetation management services, increasing the amount of the agreement by an additional \$250,000 to an aggregate amount not to exceed \$550,000.

**BACKGROUND:**

The San Mateo County Parks Department entered into Agreement No. 39000-16-R074330I with Go Native, Inc., to provide on-call professional vegetation management services, including pest management services. The initial agreement was for \$300,000 with a three year term expiring on January 31, 2019. Through this Agreement the Natural Resource Management Unit of the Parks Department issued 16 task orders for various vegetation management and integrated pest management services throughout the Parks system including: jubata grass control and restoration, fumaria control, noxious weed control, slender false brome mapping and treatment, and Monterey pine control and reduction. The initial funding of \$300,000 will be exhausted by the end of November 2017.

**DISCUSSION:**

Due to the ongoing vegetation management needs, the Parks Department is requesting an amendment to increase the amount of the current agreement by an additional \$250,000. The additional \$250,000 will be used for Stewardship Corps site preparation, Devil's Slide Trail jubata grass treatment, Pillar Point Bluff jubata grass treatment, San Bruno Mountain fennel control on Terrabay Parcels, emergency follow-up work on San Bruno Mountain, fuel reduction, and eucalyptus thinning projects.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the resolution and amendment as to form.

Approval of this resolution contributes to the Shared Vision 2025 outcome to Conserve and Protect

Natural Resources as the work performed under this amendment will support the Stewardship Corps site preparation, jubata grass treatment, weed control, fuel reduction and eucalyptus thinning projects.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

The additional \$250,000 will be funded through existing **Measure K** appropriations in the FY 2017-18 and FY 2018-19 budgets as well as dedicated funds from the San Bruno Mountain Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) Trust Fund. There is no additional impact on Net County Cost.