

CITY OF SANTA ROSA  
CITY COUNCIL

TO: MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL  
FROM: KEITH HINTON, TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION MANAGER-  
POLICE  
SUBJECT: APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE  
THE AMENDED AND RESTATED JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT  
FOR THE SONOMA COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY CONSORTIUM  
DATED MARCH 1, 2020

AGENDA ACTION: RESOLUTION

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RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended by the Police Department that the Council, by resolution, approve the Amended and Restated Joint Powers Agreement for the Sonoma County Public Safety Consortium dated March 1, 2020 and authorize the Mayor to execute the Agreement.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Sonoma County Public Safety Consortium (SCPSC) is a Joint Powers Authority entity separate and apart from its Members which include: City of Cotati, City of Petaluma, City of Rohnert Park, City of Santa Rosa, City of Sonoma, Town of Windsor, County of Sonoma, Sonoma County Junior College District, and Redwood Empire Dispatch and Communications Authority, a joint powers authority agency (REDCOM). The SCPSC provides its members integrated public safety communications and data management systems. The amendment will continue to this mission as well as new related technologies and services.

BACKGROUND

The original Joint Powers Agreement establishing a separate Public Agency to Operate and Maintain a Public Safety Communication System in Sonoma County was entered into on July 1, 2008 by its members which include: City of Cotati, City of Petaluma, City of Rohnert Park, City of Santa Rosa, City of Sonoma, Town of Windsor, County of Sonoma, Sonoma County Junior College District, and Redwood Empire Dispatch and Communications Authority, a joint powers authority agency (REDCOM). Through this original agreement the Sonoma County Public Safety Consortium (SCPSC) was created. Since its inception, SCPSC has continued to operate, maintain and improve its public safety communication and data management systems.

PRIOR CITY COUNCIL REVIEW

None

### ANALYSIS

The Sonoma County Public Safety Consortium allows the Santa Rosa Police Department to maintain an up to date Computer Aided Dispatch, Records Management System and Mobile Data Computing technology which is critical to the operation of the department.

### FISCAL IMPACT

The annual expenses will be built into the Police Operating Budget request each year.

### ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

This action is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) because it is not a project which has a potential for resulting in either a direct physical change in the environment, or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment, pursuant to CEQA Guideline section 15378.

### BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Not applicable

### NOTIFICATION

Not applicable.

### ATTACHMENTS

- Resolution / Exhibit A- Amended and Restated Joint Powers Agreement

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