



**Probation Department
COUNTY OF TULARE
AGENDA ITEM**

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AGENDA DATE: March 13, 2018- **REVISED**

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT PERSON: Steven Horton PHONE: (599) 713-2761

SUBJECT: Approve a Memorandum of Understanding with the Laura and John Arnold Foundation.

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve a Memorandum of Understanding with the Laura and John Arnold Foundation to implement the Public Safety Assessment™ court-based pretrial risk assessment tool.
2. Authorize the Chairman to sign three (3) copies of the Memorandum of Understanding

SUMMARY:

The Laura and John Arnold Foundation ("Foundation") is a tax-exempt private foundation dedicated to producing substantial, widespread, lasting reforms that will transform the criminal justice system. This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") concerns the collaboration between the Foundation and the County on a project to implement the Public Safety Assessment™ court-based pretrial risk assessment tool developed by the Foundation.

The Foundation and the County share the goals of increasing public safety, reducing crime, and improving the cost-effectiveness and fairness of the criminal justice system. The County and the Foundation intend to collaborate on the implementation of the Public Safety Assessment™ tool, as well as the collection and evaluation of related data, in order to enhance the administration of criminal justice in the County and nationally. In furtherance of this goal, the Foundation is granting the County, a nonexclusive, non-transferable right and license to install, implement, and use the Tool free of charge in the County, provided that the County

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abide by all the terms and conditions of this MOU.

It is the intent of the County to administer the Public Safety Assessment™ tool to defendants pending court proceedings and develop and an implementation plan.

County Counsel has approved the MOU as to form. The noted following terms deviate from the standard County boilerplate:

1. Term is evergreen, but allows for either party to terminate immediately with written notice, with or without cause.
2. County must indemnify Foundation.
3. The Foundation is not liable for the County's use of the free tool.
4. Both parties are prohibited from assigning without written permission from the other party.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There is no net County cost to the General Fund. The Foundation is granting the County a nonexclusive, non-transferable right and license to install, implement, and use the Public Safety Assessment™ tool free of charge in the County, provided that the County abide by all the terms and conditions of the MOU.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

The County's five-year strategic business plan includes the Safety and Security initiative that provides for the safety and security of the public. The Foundation and the County share the goals of increasing public safety, reducing crime, and improving the cost-effectiveness and fairness of the criminal justice system. This collaboration between the County and the Laura and John Arnold Foundation on the implementation of the Public Safety Assessment™ tool, as well as the collection and evaluation of related data, intends to enhance the administration of criminal justice in the County.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Michelle Bonwell
Chief Probation Officer

Cc: Auditor-Controller
County Counsel
County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s) Laura and John Arnold Foundation MOU

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF TULARE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE LAURA AND JOHN ARNOLD FOUNDATION.)))))	Resolution No. _____ Agreement No. _____
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UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR _____, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR _____, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD _____
_____, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

ATTEST:	MICHAEL C. SPATA COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
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BY: _____
Deputy Clerk

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