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

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVE AN

AGREEMENT WITH THE CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND

AGRICULTURE CERTIFIED FARMERS

MARKET INSPECTIONS

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Resolution No. 2018-0485

Agreement No. 28681

UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISOR <u>ENNIS</u>, SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR <u>CROCKER</u>, THE FOLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIAL MEETING HELD <u>JUNE 26</u>, 2018, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: SUPERVISORS CROCKER, VANDER POEL, SHUKLIAN, WORTHLEY,

AND ENNIS

NOES: NONE ABSTAIN: NONE ABSENT: NONE



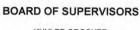
ATTEST: MICHAEL C. SPATA

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/ CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY

1. Approved an Agreement with the California Department of Food and Agriculture in the amount up to \$10,464 for Certified Farmers Market Inspections from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

2. Authorized the Chairman of the Board to sign the agreement.





Agricultural Commission/Sealer COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

KUYLER CROCKER
District One

PETE VANDER POEL
District Two

AMY SHUKLIAN
District Three

J. STEVEN WORTHLEY
District Four

MIKE ENNIS

AGENDA DATE: June 26, 2018

Public Hearing Required	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Published Notice Required	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
County Counsel Sign-Off	Yes	⊠ N/A □
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	⊠ N/A □
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	□ N/A ⊠
Agreements are attached and signature	e line	for Chairman is marked with
tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	
CONTACT PERSON: David Case PHONE: 559-684-3363		

SUBJECT:

Approve an Agreement with the California Department of Food and Agriculture for Certified Farmer's Market Inspections

REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve an Agreement with the California Department of Food and Agriculture in the amount up to \$10,464 for Certified Farmers Market Inspections from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.
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SUMMARY:

This agreement is intended to subvent costs incurred by the County for conducting inspections of Certified Farmers Markets and Certified Producers in coordination with the California Department of Food and Agriculture and other California counties. The inspections will verify what is being sold by a Certified Producer at a Certified Farmer's Market with what is being produced by the certified producer and what is listed on their Certified Producer's Certificate. Most investigations that are conducted by Tulare County are initiated by the counties where the most of the markets are located such as the San Francisco and Los Angeles areas. The Tulare County Agricultural Commissioner's Office is notified of the inspecting counties suspicions and we investigate accordingly helping to either prove or disprove those suspicions.

The agreement has been approved to form by County Counsel. The following terms deviate substantively from the standard County boilerplate:

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Agriculture for Certified Farmer's Market Inspections

DATE: June 26, 2018

1. Neither party to the agreement will indemnify the other.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There will be no additional net county cost in performing this service. The County will receive up to \$10,464 for FY 18/19 if this agreement is approved.

LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:

Tulare County's five year strategic plan includes the Economic Well Being Initiative to promote economic development opportunities, effective growth management and a quality standard of living. Approval of this Agreement with the California Department of Food and Agriculture would help protect the county's agriculture-based economy. The inspections would help ensure that certified producers are growing the commodities they list on their certified producer's certificate.

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

David Case

Deputy Agricultural Commissioner/ Sealer of Weights and Measures

cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) California Department of Food and Agriculture Agreement 18-0054-000-SA