



**Health & Human Services  
Agency  
COUNTY OF TULARE  
AGENDA ITEM**

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

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**AGENDA DATE:** August 13, 2019

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: Dr. Karen Haught, MD MPH    PHONE: 559-624-8000		

**SUBJECT:** Terminate Agreement No. 28000 and approve an agreement with the California Department of Public Health

**REQUEST(S):**  
That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve the termination of Agreement No. 28000;
2. Approve an agreement with the California Department of Public Health, for the California Reportable Disease Information Exchange System (CalREDIE), effective from August 13, 2019 through August 12, 2022; and
3. Authorize the Tulare County Health & Human Services Agency Director or designee to sign three (3) copies of the agreement on behalf of the Participant and enter into the agreement.

**SUMMARY:**  
The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) informed Tulare County Communicable Disease program of changes to the CalREDIE System Data Use and Disclosure Agreement (DUDA). CDPH is requesting that a new agreement be approved to update definitions and correct errors in the previous agreement. Due to this directive, the Tulare County Health & Human Services Agency's Public Health Communicable Disease program is requesting that Tulare County Agreement No.28000 be terminated, and for the updated version to be approved.

CalREDIE is a system of applications that encompasses web-based disease reporting and surveillance. The purpose of this application is to improve the efficiency of surveillance activities and the early detection of public health events



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through the collection of more complete and timely surveillance information on a statewide basis. CalREDIE is a secure, web-based electronic solution for health care providers to report cases of conditions of public health interest; and for laboratories to report notifiable conditions to local health departments (LHD) and the CDPH as well as for LHDs to report conditions to CDPH. CalREDIE is an integral part of the overall California public health emergency preparedness and response strategy where completion and implementation of CalREDIE allows for 24/7/365 reporting and receipt of notifiable conditions. LHDs and CDPH will have access to disease and laboratory reports in near real-time for disease surveillance, public health investigation, and case management activities.

This agreement covers CalREDIE Data in any medium (paper, electronic, oral) in which the CalREDIE Data exists. By entering into this agreement, CDPH and the Tulare County Communicable Disease program desire to protect the privacy, and provide for the security, of all CalREDIE Data in compliance with all applicable state and federal laws. Permission to receive, use, and disclose CalREDIE Data requires execution of this agreement that describes the terms, conditions, and limitations for the use and disclosure of the CalREDIE Data.

The following terms deviate substantively from standard County boilerplate: 1.) If state or federal law requires individuals to be notified in the event of a data breach, the County will be solely responsible for the costs related to either (1) notifying the individuals affected by the breach; or (2) cooperating with the California Department of Public Health (CPDH) if the CDPH is notifying these individuals. The CDPH has the sole discretion to decide between options (1) and (2) here; 2) The CDPH makes no warranties or representations regarding the County's use of the CalREDIE system, including whether the County's data will be secure on the system; 3) Both parties can terminate the Agreement without cause after providing thirty (30) days' notice to the other party; 4) Both parties are required to defend and indemnify each other; 5) The County is prohibited from assigning this Agreement, but this prohibition does not extend to the CDPH; 6) The County signs the Agreement first.

**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

This agreement provides services to Tulare County for the CalREDIE system, provided by the California Department of Public Health. The total amount payable under this agreement is zero (\$0) dollars for three years. There is no net County cost to the General Fund.

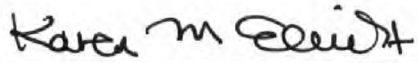
**LINKAGE TO THE COUNTY OF TULARE STRATEGIC BUSINESS PLAN:**

This agreement increases our ability to meet the County's five-year strategic plan, specifically the Quality of Life Initiative that encourages innovative provision of the quality supportive services for at-risk adults, youth and children in state and federally mandated programs. This program assists those in our communities by providing essential data to serve the infected population.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**



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Karen M. Elliott  
Director of Public Health

cc: County Administrative Office

Attachment(s) Agreement

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

IN THE MATTER OF TERMINATE )  
AGREEMENT NO. 28000 AND ) Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_  
APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ) Agreement No. \_\_\_\_\_  
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC )  
HEALTH )

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: JASON T. BRITT  
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/  
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

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1. Approved the termination Agreement No. 28000;
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