



# Resource Management Agency COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

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AGENDA DATE: February 27, 2007

SUBJECT:

Separation of Non-Core Natural Gas Services account into two (2)

accounts at the Bob Wiley Detention Center.

#### REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- Approve and authorize the Chairman to sign an Agreement with Southern California Gas Company for the period April 1, 2007 to May 1, 2007, that will continue on a month-to-month basis, to provide natural gas transportation services for Non-Core Account No.155-117-5700 serving the Co-Generation equipment at Bob Wiley Detention Center and
- 2. Approve and authorize the Chairman to sign an Agreement with Southern California Gas Company for the period April 1, 2007 to April 1, 2012 (5 years with no termination), that will continue on a month-to-month basis, to provide natural gas and transportation services for Core Account No.157-217-5700 serving the boiler at Bob Wiley Detention Center.

#### **SUMMARY:**

The County has a Non-Core Natural Gas Service account with Southern California Gas Company at Bob Wiley Detention Center that includes the Co-Generation equipment and the boiler. These two separate services were combined at some point in the past.

The Co-Generation equipment account is required to be a Non-Core (interruptible) account because of its gas usage. The boiler can be a Core (continuous) account

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because its gas usage is less.

By separating the current Southern California Gas Company Non-Core service into two accounts, one a Non-Core account serving the Co-Generation equipment and one a Core account serving the boiler, the County will be protected from potential future curtailment of Non-Core services at the facility. Because the Non-Core account is classified as interruptible and the Core account has firm continuous service the County will be protected in the event a curtailment is necessary.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There is no additional cost to the County for this action. According to Southern California Gas Company the County could potentially see a decrease in expenditures for the Core account by approximately \$2,500 annually.

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

Quality of Life

#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

The Board could choose to not sign the agreements. This is not recommended because it could result in Natural Gas Service being interrupted at a 24-hour detention facility.

#### **INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:**

County Counsel

ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:

Hal Cypert

Assistant RMA Director, Support Services

cc: Auditor/Controller

County Counsel

County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s)

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

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UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISO	OR, SECONDED BY
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN O	OFFICIAL MEETING HELD February 27, 2007,
BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:	
AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	C. BRIAN HADDIX COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BY:	Deputy Clerk
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### **Strategic Alignment:**

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$\boxtimes$		Is this project in alignment with the County of Tulare Strategic Plan?	
		Is this project consistent with the currently approved Department Business Automation Plan?	

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