



# Sheriff's Department

## COUNTY OF TULARE

### AGENDA ITEM

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**AGENDA DATE:** June 23, 2009-Revision 2

Public Hearing Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Published Notice Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Advertised Published Notice	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Meet & Confer Required	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Electronic file(s) has been sent	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>
Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Personnel Resolution attached	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Resolution, Ordinance or Agreements are attached and signature line for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

CONTACT PERSON: Michael Bowen PHONE: 733-6229, Ext. 6531

**SUBJECT:** Authorization to conduct even exchange of weapons with L.C. Action Police Supply

**REQUEST(S):**

That the Board of Supervisors:

Authorize the Purchasing Agent to conduct an even exchange of police service weapons and accessories with L.C. Action Police Supply.

**SUMMARY:**

The Tulare County Sheriff's Department periodically needs to replace worn-out or damaged weapons for deputies. This is routinely handled for small quantities of weapons through purchase orders with L.C. Action Police Supply, the Department's long-time supplier of weapons and weapon accessories.

The Department requests authorization from the Board for the Purchasing Agent to exchange weapons formerly used by the Department for new weapons. L.C. Action Police Supply will be used for the exchange. L.C. Police Action will provide new weapons to the Sheriff's Department of equal value. The new weapons will be distributed, as needed, to Sheriff's deputies.

The Department's last weapons exchange was authorized by your Board on November 23, 1994, under Board Resolution 94-1419. That exchange was also with L.C. Action Police Supply.

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**FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:**

The Sheriff's Department will turn in 223 used guns (trade-in value of \$18,635) to L.C. Action Police Supply. In exchange, the Department estimates it will receive 10 new service pistols and other equipment, such as leather gun belts and ammunition magazines. The precise number of items received in exchange will depend on item pricing on the date of the exchange. The transaction will be completed on an "even exchange basis," where amount of firearms and related equipment purchased will be of equal value to the amount paid for guns turned in by Sheriff's Department.

The proposed even exchange between the County and L.C. Action Police Supply will be conducted at no net County cost.

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

The Tulare County Strategic Business Plan includes a Security and Safety Initiative. The proposed exchange with L.C. Action Police Supply will contribute to public safety by updating weapons used by the Sheriff's Department in protecting residents of the County against crime.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

N/A.

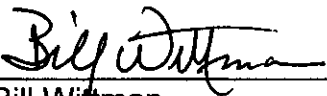
**INVOLVEMENT OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS OR AGENCIES:**

The Sheriff's Department has consulted County Counsel on this weapons exchange issue.

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**ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

  
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Bill Wittman  
Sheriff-Coroner

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

Attachment: Letter from L.C. Action Police Supply

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

**IN THE MATTER OF** Authorization to )  
conduct an even exchange of weapons ) **RESOLUTION NO.** \_\_\_\_\_  
with L.C. Action Police Supply ) **AGREEMENT NO.** \_\_\_\_\_

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: JEAN M. ROUSSEAU  
COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER/  
CLERK, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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

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Authorized the Purchasing Agent to conduct an even exchange of police service  
weapons with L.C. Action Police Supply.



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Tulare County Sheriff's Office  
Email: RPolak@co.tulare.ca.us**

**February 10, 2009**

**Re: LC Action purchase of surplus & trade-in weapons**

**Sgt Polak,**

**Regarding the trade-in guns quoted and attached under separate cover, LC Action will take these weapons in even exchange for the full and equal dollar amount of new duty weapons and police equipment.**

**Best regards,**

**Kip Miller  
Sales Manager**