

## RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY

### COUNTY OF TULARE AGENDA ITEM

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** 

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AGENDA DATE:	April 2, 2013
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Public Hearing Required Scheduled Public Hearing w/Clerk Published Notice Required Advertised Published Notice Meet & Confer Required Electronic file(s) has been sent Budget Transfer (Aud 308) attached Personnel Resolution attached Agreements are attached and signature line Yes for Chairman is marked with tab(s)/flag(s)  CONTACT PERSON: Celeste Perez  Yes  Yes  Yes  Yes  Yes  Yes  Yes  Y	N/A			

SUBJECT:

Agreement with Hartland Christian Association for the Placement of a Private Utility in County Road Right of Way

#### REQUEST(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

- Approve an agreement with Hartland Christian Association, in connection with the application for encroachment permit, to place a private utility within County road right-of-way of M469 from Redbud Lane to Pine Lane southeast of the community of Badger; and
- 2. Authorize the Chairman to sign the Agreement.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Hartland Christian Association (HCA) operates a non-denominational Christian camp near the community of Badger.HCA has submitted an encroachment permit application to the Resource Management Agency requesting permission to install 400 lineal feet of 2-inch Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) private water service pipeline within the County road right-of-way of M469. The pipeline is to be used for domestic water service and fire suppression.

The County does not normally allow the placement of private utilities within the county roads right of way. The attached indemnification agreement will allow the HCA to place the pipeline in County right of way and to indemnify the County. The HCA has severely limited alternatives to place the pipeline outside of County road right of way due to topographical features. The agreement shall indemnify the County in connection with the proposed pipeline for damages or claims related to

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spills, leaks, environmental compliance and other associated issues as mentioned in the agreement. All work within the county right-of-way will be performed under an encroachment permit at no cost to the County.

CountyCounsel has approved the agreement as to form.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING:

There is no net cost to the County General Fund as a result of this action.HCA will be solely responsible for the cost of installation and maintenance of the water line

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

Strategic Initiative No. 3 Quality of Life includes the goals of promoting youth-oriented activities and providing greater recreational and cultural opportunities. This action will enable the HCA to provide additional activities to Christian youth by increasing water availability to camp units and providing fire suppression.

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE SIGN-OFF:**

Britt L. Fussel, P.E. Date
Assistant Director—Public Works
CountySurveyor

BLF:km

Cc: Auditor-Controller CountyCounsel

County Administrative Office (2)

Attachment(s) Attachment A – Vicinity Map

Attachment B - Agreement

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

IN THE MATTER OF AGREEMENT WI HARTLAND CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE PLACEMENT OF A PRIVAT UTILITY IN COUNTY ROAD RIGHT OF	Resolution No E ) Agreement No
UPON MOTION OF SUPERVISO	OR, SECONDED BY
SUPERVISOR, THE FO	OLLOWING WAS ADOPTED BY THE BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS, AT AN OFFICIA	AL MEETING HELD <u>APRIL 2, 2013,</u> 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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