

**CITY OF TEMECULA
AGENDA REPORT**

TO: City Manager/City Council

FROM: Luke Watson, Deputy City Manager

DATE: July 11, 2023

SUBJECT: Approve Memorandum of Understanding Between the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health and the City of Temecula for Vector Control Services and Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems

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RECOMMENDATION: That the City Council approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health and the City of Temecula for Vector Control Services and Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems.

BACKGROUND: The City of Temecula and the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health have maintained a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Vector Control Services and Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems (OWTS) since the City's incorporation. Examples of these services include mosquito monitoring, education, prevention, and control, as well as plan check and inspections for properties that have septic systems. Riverside County Department of Environmental Health has extensive experience, staffing, and infrastructure to provide these services.

To maintain these services, the City of Temecula and Riverside County Department of Environmental Health have maintained multiple agreements over the course of the City's history. The proposed MOU consolidates all services into one agreement to efficiently ensure that services are delivered to the City of Temecula. The term of the MOU is for ten (10) years; however, the City of Temecula and County of Riverside may opt of the agreement with thirty (30) days advance notice if service changes were ever deemed necessary.

FISCAL IMPACT: Vector Control Services cost approximately \$30,000 per fiscal year, which has been budgeted in account 001.162.611.5250 (Other Outside Services). Other service payments are made directly by applicants to the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health.

ATTACHMENTS: Memorandum of Understanding