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COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

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October 27, 1999

Agenda: November 9, 1999

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
County of Santa Cruz
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**ADOPT A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING AND APPROPRIATING UNANTICIPATED
REVENUE TO FUND THE PURCHASE OF DUTY HANDGUNS AND HOLSTERS**

Dear Members of the Board:

During the 1999/2000 fiscal year budget process your Board approved the purchase of new handguns for the Sheriff's Office. Federal Asset Forfeiture Funds were designated to finance the project. The plan included the trade-in of our used handguns to off-set costs.

Since June 30, 1999, I have had reservations about trading in our firearms to the manufacturer. We have explored promises from the manufacturer that our trade-ins would only be resold to law enforcement and found, however, that there really is no guarantee as to who our old guns might later be sold. Even though this practice is quite legal, it provides another method for distributing firearms into our communities and potentially onto our streets.

In this endeavor I am not alone. On August 19, 1999, Governor Gray Davis signed an executive order prohibiting state agencies from selling or trading-in old or damaged weapons. In part, Governor Davis said, "This Executive Order will help ensure that firearms owned by the State of California are exactly where they belong: either in the hands of well trained public officers or at the bottom of the trash bin, destroyed into unrecoverable pieces."

I now intend to have our used GLOCK 9mm pistols destroyed rather than trading them in when we buy new GLOCK 40 caliber pistols for our personnel. It is the right thing to do. The trade-in value of the GLOCK 9mm pistols is \$71,717. I will finance the entire purchase of the GLOCK 40 caliber pistols along with the necessary ammunition and leather gear with Federal Asset Forfeiture Funds. The total cost for pistols, holsters, magazine pouches and ammunition is \$105,238.

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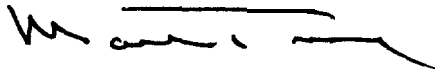
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In the FY 1999/2000 budget, \$24,941 of Federal Asset Forfeiture Funds was approved by your Board for this purchase. In order to finance this purchase without the trade-in allowance, it will be necessary to utilize funds in the amount of \$80,297 from the Federal Forfeiture Trust.

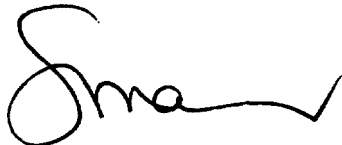
It is, therefore, RECOMMENDED that your Board adopt the attached resolution accepting and appropriating unanticipated revenue in the amount of \$80,297 from the sheriffs Federal Forfeiture Trust to finance the purchase of GLOCK 40 caliber pistols and holsters, as police safety equipment for Sheriffs law enforcement personnel.

Sincerely,



MARK TRACY
Sheriff-Coroner

RECOMMENDED:



SUSAN A. MAURIELLO
County Administrative Officer

Attachment

cc: Sheriff-Coroner

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Resolution No. _____

On the motion of Supervisor _____
duly seconded by Supervisor _____
the following resolution is adopted:

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING UNANTICIPATED REVENUE

Whereas, the County of Santa Cruz is a recipient of funds from Federal Asset Forfeiture Trust for Sheriff's Firearms Upgrade program; and

WHEREAS, the County is recipient of funds in the amount of \$ 80,297.00 which are either in excess of those anticipated or are not **specifically** set forth in the current fiscal year budget of the County; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code Section 29130(c) / 29064(b), such funds may be made available for specific appropriation by four-fifths vote of the Board of Supervisors;

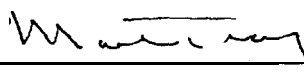
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Santa Cruz County Auditor-Controller accept funds in the amount of \$ 80,297.00 into Department Sheriff Coroner

<u>T/C</u>	<u>Index Number</u>	<u>Revenue Subobject Number</u>	<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>
001	661100	0414	Drug Forfeitures	\$80,297.00

and that such funds be and are hereby appropriated as **follows**:

<u>TIC</u>	<u>Index Number</u>	<u>Expenditure Subobject Number</u>	<u>PRJ/UCD</u>	<u>Account Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>
021	661100	3215		Police Safety Equipment	\$80,297.00

DEPARTMENT HEAD I hereby certify that the fiscal provisions have been researched and that the Revenue(s) (has been) (will be) **recieved** within the current fiscal year.

By 
Department Head

Date 10-26-99

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

9.3 / Recommended to Board

/ Not recommended to Board

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz, State of California, this _____ day of _____, 19____ by the following-
vote (requires four-fifths vote for approval):

AYES: SUPERVISORS

NOES: SUPERVISORS

ABSENT: SUPERVISORS

Chairperson of the Board

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Henry A. Oberhelman III
County Counsel 12/16/97

APPROVED AS TO ACCOUNTING DETAIL:

Donald J. Silva 10/26/99
Auditor-Controller

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