

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
AND
CITY OF RIO DELL
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018-2019**

This Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”), entered into this 4 day of December, 2018, by and between the County of Humboldt, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereinafter referred to as “COUNTY,” and the City of Rio Dell, a municipal corporation, hereinafter referred to as “CITY,” is made upon the following considerations:

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 26227 provides that the board of supervisors of any county may appropriate and expend money from the county’s general fund to finance programs deemed to be necessary to meet the social needs of the population of the county, including, but not limited to, the areas of health, law enforcement and public safety; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY placed a one-half (.5) cent local sales and use tax measure, known as “Measure Z,” on the November 2014 ballot to maintain and improve essential services; and

WHEREAS, Measure Z was passed by the voters of Humboldt County on November 4, 2014 and became operative on April 1, 2015; and

WHEREAS, due to the passage of Measure Z, COUNTY has additional funding to maintain and improve essential services, including, without limitation: law enforcement services; emergency response services; illegal marijuana cultivation enforcement and prevention; child abuse enforcement and prevention; crime investigation and prosecution; substance abuse rehabilitation; mental health treatment; rural fire protection, road repairs; and other necessary services relating to the areas of health, law enforcement and public safety; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY created a nine (9) member Citizens Advisory Committee to review Measure Z funding applications and make recommendations to the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors; and

WHEREAS, on February 21, 2018, CITY submitted a Measure Z application to the Citizens’ Advisory Committee requesting an allocation in the amount of Thirty-Five Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars (\$35,126.00) for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses associated with assigning one (1) part-time clerical position to the Rio Dell Police Department to support various types of law enforcement, nuisance abatement and code enforcement activities, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A – Application for Measure Z Funding – and incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2018, the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors approved the Measure Z application submitted by CITY in the amount of Thirty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$32,000.00) through June 30, 2019; and

WHEREAS, COUNTY and CITY desire to enter into an agreement which sets forth each party’s rights and responsibilities regarding the expenditure of Measure Z funds allocated to CITY.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and of the mutual promises contained herein, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. COUNTY OBLIGATIONS:

COUNTY will provide CITY with an amount not to exceed Thirty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$32,000.00) for the purpose of paying the costs and expenses associated with assigning one (1) part-time clerical position to the Rio Dell Police Department.

2. CITY OBLIGATIONS:

- A. General Requirements. CITY will continue to fund one (1) part-time clerical support position within the Rio Dell Police Department to aide various types of law enforcement, nuisance abatement and code enforcement activities. The clerical position funded pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU shall include approximately twenty-four (24) hours of additional clerical support services per week that may be divided amongst different CITY personnel.
- B. Quarterly and Final Reports. CITY will provide quarterly and final reports to COUNTY as set forth in Exhibit B – Quarterly and Final Summary Reports – which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. Any and all quarterly and final reports required hereunder shall be prepared using COUNTY’s standard Measure Z report form, which is attached hereto as Exhibit C – Quarterly and Final Report Form – and incorporated herein by reference.
- C. Social Media. CITY will post summaries of the information contained in the quarterly and final reports submitted pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU on CITY-maintained social media accounts as set forth in Exhibit D – Social Media Reporting Requirements – which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. For purposes of this MOU, social media includes, but is not limited to, Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Snapchat.
- D. Recognition of Measure Z Funding. CITY shall cooperate with COUNTY efforts to recognize Measure Z funding. Such recognition may take the form of press releases, photos and adhesives to equipment.

3. TERM:

This MOU shall begin on July 1, 2018 shall remain in full force and effect until June 30, 2019, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

4. TERMINATION:

- A. Breach of Contract. If, in the opinion of COUNTY, CITY fails to adequately fulfill its obligations hereunder within the time limits specified herein, or otherwise fails to comply with the terms of this MOU, or violates any ordinance, regulation, or other law applicable to its performance herein, COUNTY may terminate this MOU immediately, upon notice.
- B. Without Cause. COUNTY may terminate this MOU without cause upon thirty (30) days advance written notice to CITY. Such notice shall state the effective date of the termination.
- C. Insufficient Funding. COUNTY’s obligations under this MOU are contingent upon the availability of local funding resulting from the sales and use tax established by Measure Z. In the event such funding is reduced or eliminated, COUNTY shall, at its sole discretion, determine whether this MOU shall be terminated. COUNTY shall provide CITY seven (7) days advance written notice of its intent to terminate this MOU due to insufficient funding.

D. Compensation Upon Termination. In the event this MOU is terminated, CITY shall be entitled to compensation for uncompensated costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU through and including the effective date of such termination. However, this provision shall not limit or reduce any damages owed to COUNTY due to a breach of this MOU by CITY.

5. COMPENSATION:

A. Maximum Amount Payable. The maximum amount payable by COUNTY for the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU is Thirty-Two Thousand Dollars (\$32,000.00). CITY agrees to perform all of its obligations hereunder for an amount not to exceed such maximum dollar amount. However, if the allocation of local funding resulting from the sales and use tax established by Measure Z is reduced or eliminated, COUNTY may, by amendment, reduce the maximum amount payable hereunder, or terminate this MOU as provided herein.

B. Schedule of Rates. CITY shall set forth the specific rates and costs applicable to this MOU using the COUNTY's standard Measure Z budget form, which is attached hereto as Exhibit E – Schedule of Rates – and incorporated herein by reference.

C. Additional Costs and Expenses. Any additional costs and expenses not otherwise provided for herein shall not be incurred by CITY, or compensated by COUNTY, without written authorization by COUNTY. All unauthorized costs and expenses incurred above the maximum payable amount set forth herein shall be the responsibility of CITY. CITY shall notify COUNTY, in writing, at least six (6) weeks prior to the date upon which CITY estimates that the maximum payable amount will be reached.

6. PAYMENT:

CITY shall submit to COUNTY quarterly invoices itemizing all costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU. Invoices shall be in the format set forth in Exhibit F – Measure Z Invoice Form – which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. CITY shall submit a final undisputed invoice for payment within thirty (30) days following the expiration or termination date of this MOU. Payment for the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU will be made within thirty (30) days after the receipt of approved invoices. All invoices submitted by CITY shall be sent to COUNTY at the following address:

COUNTY: Humboldt County Administrative Office
Attention: Elishia Hayes, Senior Administrative Analyst
825 Fifth Street, Room 112
Eureka, California 95501

7. NOTICES:

Any and all notices required to be given pursuant to the terms of this MOU shall be in writing and either served personally or sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the respective addresses set forth below. Notice shall be effective upon actual receipt or refusal as shown on the receipt obtained pursuant to the foregoing.

COUNTY: Humboldt County Administrative Office
Attention: Amy S. Nilsen, County Administrative Officer
825 Fifth Street, Room 112
Eureka, California 95501

CITY: City of Rio Dell
Attention: Kyle Knopp, City Manager
675 Wildwood Avenue
Rio Dell, California 95562

8. RECORD RETENTION AND INSPECTION:

- A. Maintenance and Preservation of Records. CITY agrees to timely prepare accurate and complete financial, performance and payroll records, documents and other evidence relating to the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU, and to maintain and preserve said records for at least three (3) years from the date of final payment hereunder, except that if any litigation, claim, negotiation, audit or other action is pending, the records shall be retained until completion and resolution of all issues arising therefrom. Such records shall be original entry books with a general ledger itemizing all debits and credits for the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU.
- B. Inspection of Records. Pursuant to California Government Code Section 8546.7, all records, documents, conditions and activities of CITY, and its subcontractors, related to the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU, shall be subject to the examination and audit of the California State Auditor and any other duly authorized agents of the State of California for a period of three (3) years after the date of final payment hereunder. CITY hereby agrees to make all such records available during normal business hours to inspection, audit and reproduction by COUNTY and any other duly authorized local, state and/or federal agencies. CITY further agrees to allow interviews of any of its employees who might reasonably have information related to such records by COUNTY and any other duly authorized local, state and/or federal agencies. All examinations and audits conducted hereunder shall be strictly confined to those matters connected with the performance of this MOU, including, but not limited to, the costs of administering this MOU.
- C. Audit Costs. In the event of an audit exception or exceptions related to the costs and expenses incurred pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU, the party responsible for not meeting the requirements set forth herein shall be responsible for the deficiency and for the cost of such audit. If the allowable expenditures cannot be determined because CITY's documentation is nonexistent or inadequate, according to generally accepted accounting practices, the questionable cost shall be disallowed by COUNTY.

9. MONITORING:

CITY agrees that COUNTY has the right to monitor all activities related to this MOU, including, without limitation, the right to review and monitor CITY's records, programs or procedures, at any time, as well as the overall operation of CITY's programs, in order to ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of this MOU. CITY will cooperate with a corrective action plan, if deficiencies in CITY's records, programs or procedures are identified by COUNTY. However, COUNTY is not responsible, and will not be held accountable, for overseeing or evaluating the adequacy of CITY's performance hereunder.

10. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION:

- A. Disclosure of Confidential Information. In the performance of this MOU, CITY may receive information that is confidential under local, state or federal law. CITY hereby agrees to protect all confidential information in conformance with any and all applicable local, state and federal laws, regulations, policies, procedures and standards, including, but not limited to: California Welfare and Institutions Code Sections 827, 5328, 10850 and 14100.2; California Health and Safety Code Sections 1280.15 and 1280.18; the California Information Practices Act of 1977; the California Confidentiality of Medical Information Act (“CMIA”); the United States Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (“HITECH Act”); the United States Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPAA”) and any current and future implementing regulations promulgated thereunder, including, without limitation, the Federal Privacy Regulations contained in Title 45 of the Code of Federal Regulations (“C.F.R.”) Parts 160 and 164, the Federal Security Standards contained in 45 C.F.R. Parts 160, 162 and 164 and the Federal Standards for Electronic Transactions contained in 45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 162, all as may be amended from time to time.
- B. Continuing Compliance with Confidentiality Laws. The parties acknowledge that local, state and federal laws, regulations, and standards pertaining to confidentiality, electronic data security and privacy are rapidly evolving and that amendment of this MOU may be required to ensure compliance with such developments. Each party agrees to promptly enter into negotiations concerning an amendment to this MOU embodying written assurances consistent with the standards and requirements of HIPAA, the HITECH Act, the CMIA and any other applicable local, state and federal laws, regulations or standards.

11. NON-DISCRIMINATION COMPLIANCE:

- A. Professional Services and Employment. In connection with the execution of this MOU, CITY, and its subcontractors, shall not unlawfully discriminate in the provision of professional services or against any employee or applicant for employment because of: race; religion or religious creed; color; age (over forty (40) years of age); sex, including, without limitation, gender identity and expression, pregnancy, childbirth and related medical conditions; sexual orientation, including, without limitation, heterosexuality, homosexuality and bisexuality; national origin; ancestry; marital status; medical condition, including, without limitation, cancer and genetic characteristics; mental or physical disability, including, without limitation, HIV status and AIDS; political affiliation; military service; denial of family care leave; or any other classifications protected by local, state or federal laws or regulations. Nothing herein shall be construed to require employment of unqualified persons.
- B. Compliance with Anti-Discrimination Laws. CITY further assures that it, and its subcontractors, will abide by the applicable provisions of: Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975; the Food Stamp Act of 1977; Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990; the California Fair Employment and Housing Act; California Civil Code Sections 51, et seq.; California Government Code Sections 4450, et seq.; California Welfare and Institutions Code Section 10000; Division 21 of the California Department of Social Services Manual of Policies and Procedures; United States Executive Order 11246, as amended and supplemented by United States Executive Order 11375 and 41 C.F.R. Part 60; and any other applicable local, state and/or federal laws and regulations, all as may be amended from time to time. The applicable regulations of the California Fair Employment and Housing Commission

implementing California Government Code Section 12990, set forth in Sections 8101, et seq. of Title 2 of the California Code of Regulations are incorporated into this MOU by reference and made a part hereof as if set forth in full.

12. NUCLEAR FREE HUMBOLDT COUNTY ORDINANCE COMPLIANCE:

By executing this MOU, CITY certifies that it is not a Nuclear Weapons Contractor, in that CITY is not knowingly or intentionally engaged in the research, development, production or testing of nuclear warheads, nuclear weapons systems or nuclear weapons components as defined by the Nuclear Free Humboldt County Ordinance. CITY agrees to notify COUNTY immediately if it becomes a Nuclear Weapons Contractor as defined above. COUNTY may immediately terminate this MOU if it determines that the foregoing certification is false or if CITY subsequently becomes a Nuclear Weapons Contractor.

13. INDEMNIFICATION:

A. Hold Harmless, Defense and Indemnification. CITY shall hold harmless, defend and indemnify COUNTY and its agents, officers, officials, employees and volunteers from and against any and all claims, demands, losses, damages, liabilities, expenses and costs of any kind or nature, including, without limitation, attorney's fees and other costs of litigation, arising out of, or in connection with, CITY's negligent performance of, or failure to comply with, any of the duties and/or obligations contained herein, except such loss or damage which was caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of COUNTY.

B. Effect of Insurance. Acceptance of the insurance required by this MOU, shall not relieve CITY from liability under this provision. This provision shall apply to all claims for damages related to the CITY's performance hereunder regardless of whether any insurance is applicable or not. The insurance policy limits set forth herein shall not act as a limitation upon the amount of indemnification or defense to be provided by CITY hereunder.

14. INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

This MOU shall not be executed by COUNTY, and CITY is not entitled to any rights hereunder, unless certificates of insurance, or other sufficient proof that the following provisions have been complied with, are filed with the Clerk of the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors.

A. General Insurance Requirements. Without limiting CITY's indemnification obligations provided for herein, CITY shall, and shall require that all subcontractors hereunder, take out and maintain, throughout the entire period of this MOU, and any extended term thereof, the following policies of insurance placed with insurers authorized to do business in the State of California and with a current A.M. Bests rating of no less than A: VII or its equivalent against personal injury, death and property damage which may arise from, or in connection with, the activities of CITY and its agents, officers, directors, employees, assignees or subcontractors:

1. Comprehensive or Commercial General Liability Insurance at least as broad as Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability Coverage (occurrence form CG 0001), in an amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) per occurrence for any one (1) incident, including, but not limited to, personal injury, death and property damage. If a general aggregate limit is used, such limit shall apply separately hereto or shall be twice the required occurrence limit.

2. Automobile/Motor Liability Insurance with a limit of liability of no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) combined single limit coverage. Such insurance shall include coverage of all owned, hired and non-owned vehicles, and be at least as broad as Insurance Service Office Form Code 1 (any auto).
 3. Workers' Compensation Insurance, as required by the Labor Code of the State of California, with statutory limits, and Employers Liability Insurance with a limit of no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per accident for bodily injury or disease. Said policy shall contain, or be endorsed to contain, a waiver of subrogation against COUNTY and its agents, officers, officials, employees and volunteers.
 4. Professional Liability Insurance – Error and Omission Coverage including coverage in an amount no less than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) for each occurrence (Four Million Dollars (\$4,000,000.00) general aggregate). Said insurance shall be maintained for the statutory period during which CITY may be exposed to liability. CITY shall require that such coverage be incorporated into its professional services agreements with any other entities.
- B. Special Insurance Requirements. Said policies shall, unless otherwise specified herein, be endorsed with the following provisions:
1. The Comprehensive or Commercial General Liability Policy shall provide that COUNTY, and its agents, officers, officials, employees and volunteers, are covered as additional insured for liability arising out of the operations performed by or on behalf of CITY. The coverage shall contain no special limitations on the scope of protection afforded to COUNTY or its agents, officers, officials, employees and volunteers. Said policy shall also contain a provision stating that such coverage:
 - a. Includes contractual liability.
 - b. Does not contain exclusions as to property damage caused by explosion or collapse of structures or underground damage, commonly referred to as "XCU Hazards."
 - c. Is the primary insurance with regard to COUNTY.
 - d. Does not contain a pro-rata, excess only and/or escape clause.
 - e. Contains a cross liability, severability of interest or separation of insureds clause.
 2. The above-referenced policies shall not be canceled, non-renewed or materially reduced in coverage without thirty (30) days prior written notice being provided to COUNTY in accordance with the notice provisions set forth herein. It is further understood that CITY shall not terminate such coverage until COUNTY receives adequate proof that equal or better insurance has been secured.
 3. The inclusion of more than one (1) insured shall not operate to impair the rights of one (1) insured against another insured, and the coverage afforded shall apply as though separate policies had been issued to each insured, but the inclusion of more than one (1) insured shall not operate to increase the limits of the insurer's liability.

4. For claims related to this MOU, CITY's insurance is the primary coverage to COUNTY, and any insurance or self-insurance programs maintained thereby are excess to CITY's insurance and will not be used to contribute therewith.
 5. Any failure to comply with the provisions of this MOU shall not affect the coverage provided to COUNTY or its agents, officers, officials, employees and volunteers.
 6. CITY shall furnish COUNTY with certificates and original endorsements effecting the required coverage prior to execution of this MOU. The endorsements shall be on forms approved by the Humboldt County Risk Manager or County Counsel. Any deductible or self-insured retention over One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) shall be disclosed to, and approved by, COUNTY. If CITY does not keep all required policies in full force and effect, COUNTY may, in addition to any other available remedies, take out the necessary insurance and deduct the cost of said insurance from the monies owed to CITY under this MOU.
 7. COUNTY is to be notified immediately if twenty-five percent (25%) or more of any required insurance aggregate limit is encumbered, and CITY shall be required to purchase additional coverage to meet the above-referenced aggregate limits.
- C. Insurance Notices. Any and all insurance notices required to be given pursuant to the terms of this MOU shall be sent to the addresses set forth below in accordance with the notice provisions described herein.

COUNTY: County of Humboldt
 Attention: Risk Management
 825 Fifth Street, Room 131
 Eureka, California 95501

CITY: City of Rio Dell
 Attention: Kyle Knopp, City Manager
 675 Wildwood Avenue
 Rio Dell, California 95562

15. RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES:

It is understood that this MOU is by and between two (2) independent entities and is not intended to, and shall not be construed to, create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture, or any other similar association. Both parties further agree that CITY shall not be entitled to any benefits to which COUNTY employees are entitled, including, but not limited to, overtime, retirement benefits, leave benefits or workers' compensation. CITY shall be solely responsible for the acts or omissions of its agents, officers, employees, assignees and subcontractors.

16. COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS AND LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS:

CITY agrees to comply with any and all local, state and federal laws, regulations and standards applicable to its performance hereunder. CITY further agrees to comply with any and all applicable local, state and federal licensure and certification requirements.

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17. PROVISIONS REQUIRED BY LAW:

This MOU is subject to any additional local, state and federal restrictions, limitations, or conditions that may affect the provisions, terms or funding of this MOU. This MOU shall be read and enforced as though all legally required provisions are included herein, and if for any reason any such provision is not included, or is not correctly stated, the parties agree to amend the pertinent section to make such insertion or correction.

18. REFERENCE TO LAWS AND RULES:

In the event any law, regulation or standard referred to herein is amended during the term of this MOU, the parties agree to comply with the amended provision as of the effective date thereof.

19. SEVERABILITY:

If any provision of this MOU, or any portion thereof, is found by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unenforceable or invalid for any reason, such provision shall be severable and shall not in any way impair the enforceability of any other provision of this MOU.

20. ASSIGNMENT:

Neither party shall delegate its duties nor assign its rights hereunder, either in whole or in part, without the other party's prior written consent. Any assignment by CITY in violation of this provision shall be void, and shall be cause for immediate termination of this MOU. This provision shall not be applicable to service agreements or other arrangements usually or customarily entered into by either party to obtain supplies, technical support or professional services.

21. AGREEMENT SHALL BIND SUCCESSORS:

All provisions of this MOU shall be fully binding upon, and inure to the benefit of, the parties and to each of their heirs, executors, administrators, successors and permitted assigns.

22. WAIVER OF DEFAULT:

The waiver by either party of any breach or violation of any requirement of this MOU shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any such breach in the future, or of the breach of any other requirement of this MOU. In no event shall any payment by COUNTY constitute a waiver of any breach of this MOU or any default which may then exist on the part of CITY. Nor shall such payment impair or prejudice any remedy available to COUNTY with respect to any breach or default. COUNTY shall have the right to demand repayment of, and CITY shall promptly refund, any funds disbursed to CITY, which COUNTY determines were not expended in accordance with the terms of this MOU.

23. STANDARD OF PRACTICE:

CITY warrants that it has the degree of learning and skill ordinarily possessed by reputable professionals practicing in similar localities in the same profession and under similar circumstances. CITY's duty is to exercise such care, skill and diligence as professionals engaged in the same profession ordinarily exercise under like circumstances.

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24. NON-LIABILITY OF COUNTY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES:

No official or employee of COUNTY shall be personally liable for any default or liability under this MOU.

25. AMENDMENT:

This MOU may be amended at any time during the term of this MOU upon the mutual consent of both parties. No addition to, or alteration of, the terms of this MOU shall be valid unless made in writing and signed by the parties hereto.

26. TITLE TO INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS:

It is understood that any and all documents, information, and reports concerning the subject matter of this MOU prepared and/or submitted by CITY shall become the property of COUNTY. However, CITY may retain copies of such documents and information for its records. In the event this MOU is terminated, for any reason whatsoever, CITY shall promptly turn over all such information, writings and documents to COUNTY without exception or reservation.

27. JURISDICTION AND VENUE:

This MOU shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California. Any dispute arising hereunder, or relating hereto, shall be litigated in the State of California and venue shall lie in the County of Humboldt unless transferred by court order pursuant to California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 394 or 395.

28. ADVERTISING AND MEDIA RELEASE:

All informational material related to this MOU shall receive approval from COUNTY prior to being used as advertising or released to the media, including, but not limited to, television, radio, newspapers and internet. COUNTY shall provide to CITY suggested language, and a Measure Z Logo, for all press releases. In addition, CITY shall inform COUNTY of all requests for interviews by media related to this MOU before such interviews take place; and COUNTY is entitled to have a representative present at such interviews. All notices required by this provision shall be given to the Humboldt County Administrative Officer.

29. SURVIVAL:

The duties and obligations of the parties set forth in Section 4(D) – Compensation Upon Termination, Section 8 – Record Retention and Inspection, Section 10 – Confidential Information and Section 13 – Indemnification shall survive the expiration or termination of this MOU.

30. FORCE MAJEURE:

Neither party hereto shall be liable or responsible for delays or failures in performance resulting from events beyond the reasonable control, and without the fault or negligence, of such party. Such events shall include, but not be limited to, acts of God, strikes, lockouts, riots, acts of war, epidemics, acts of government, fire, power failures, nuclear accidents, earthquakes, unusually severe weather, acts of terrorism or other disasters, whether or not similar to the foregoing.

31. CONFLICTING TERMS OR CONDITIONS:

In the event of any conflict in the terms or conditions set forth in any other agreements in place between the parties hereto and the terms and conditions set forth in this MOU, the terms and conditions set forth herein shall have priority.

32. INTERPRETATION:

This MOU, as well as its individual provisions, shall be deemed to have been prepared equally by both of the parties hereto, and shall not be construed or interpreted more favorably for one (1) party on the basis that the other party prepared it.

33. INDEPENDENT CONSTRUCTION:

The titles of the sections, subsections and paragraphs set forth in this MOU are inserted for convenience of reference only, and shall be disregarded in construing or interpreting any of the provisions of this MOU.

34. ENTIRE AGREEMENT:

This MOU contains all of the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereto and no other agreements, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this MOU shall be deemed to exist or to bind either of the parties hereto. In addition, this MOU shall supersede in their entirety any and all prior agreements, promises, representations, understandings and negotiations of the parties, whether oral or written, concerning the same subject matter. Any and all acts which may have already been consummated pursuant to the terms and conditions of this MOU are hereby ratified.


35. AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE:

Each person executing this MOU represents and warrants that he or she is duly authorized and has legal authority to execute and deliver this MOU. Each party represents and warrants to the other that the execution and delivery of this MOU and the performance of such party's obligations hereunder have been duly authorized.

[Signatures on Following Page]


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have entered into this MOU as of the first date written above.

CITY OF RIO DELL:

By: 
Name: Kyle Knopp
Title: City Manager


Date: 10/16/18

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT:

By: 
Ryan Sundberg
Chair, Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

Date: 12/4/18

INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION REQUIREMENTS APPROVED:

By: 
Risk Management

Date: 11/20/18

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

- Exhibit A – Application for Measure Z Funding
- Exhibit B – Quarterly and Final Summary Reports
- Exhibit C – Quarterly and Final Report Form
- Exhibit D – Social Media Reporting Requirements
- Exhibit E – Schedule of Rates
- Exhibit F – Measure Z Invoice Form



CITIZENS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON *MEASURE Z* EXPENDITURES

(Advisory Committee will make recommendations to the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors as to expenditure of funds derived from *Measure Z*.)

APPLICATION FOR FUNDING

RECEIVED
FEB 21 2018
CAO

Agency Name: **Rio Dell Police Department**

Mailing Address: **675 Wildwood Avenue**

Contact Person: **Jeff Conner**

Title: **Chief of Police**

Telephone: **(707)764-5642**

E-mail address: **connerj@cityofriodell.ca.gov**

1. AMOUNT OF MEASURE Z FUNDING REQUESTED FOR FY 2018-19: \$35,126
2. ENTITY TYPE -- Please check appropriate box.

- a. Humboldt County Department
- b. Contract Service Provider to Humboldt County
- c. Local Government Entity
- d. Private Service Provider
- e. Non-Profit Service Provider
- f. Other

3. Please provide brief description of proposal for which you are seeking funding.

The Rio Dell Police Department proposes the continued funding of a part-time clerical support position in the Police Department for 28 hours a week to provide support for law enforcement services. This item was funded by Measure Z during the 2016-17 & 2017-18 grant cycles. This grant allows our officers to spend more time responding to calls for service and be on active patrol, and is the only source of funding for clerical support. The position also allows for police department headquarters to remain open when officers are out on patrol. Currently, the Rio Dell Police Department is staffed by five (5) full-time sworn officers and one (1) part-time clerical assistant (funded through Measure Z). The position also enables a consistent flow of paperwork on nuisance and code enforcement issues, helping to clean up the community and prevent neighborly discord from becoming a larger issue for sworn law enforcement.

4. *Measure Z* funding is scheduled to "sunset" in 2020. How are you developing a plan for sustainability, including diversification of funding sources, in order for your proposal to carry on without reliance on future *Measure Z* funds?

The largest development proposals in the City's history have been approved by the Planning Commission, leading to over 50,000 square feet of new commercial and industrial development related to cannabis. The voters have approved a cannabis tax with the support of developers. As these projects move forward, they will generate significant tax revenue for Rio Dell to the degree that assistance from *Measure Z* will no longer be necessary. *Measure Z* funds represent an important bridge to helping public safety services survive until this new development creates additional tax revenues for the City.

5. If this request is for the continuation, or expansion, of an existing program/service, what is the current source of funding for that program/service?

Clerical support for the Police Department for fiscal year 2017-2018 has been provided through *Measure Z* funding. Without *Measure Z* the Police Department wouldn't have the supportive assistance necessary to provide the enhanced customer and administrative services that are currently offered, which allows officers to remain in the field.

6. If you are awarded *Measure Z* funds, how will you use them to leverage additional grants, contributions, or community support?

Community support comes from the community's reliance on our Police Department to quickly respond to public safety calls and concerns. The Police Records Specialist I is available to immediately respond and refer community members and victims of crime to services and can make direct contact with sworn personnel. Currently, when officers are not present at the Police Department headquarters, victims of crime must use a call box to summon assistance. *Measure Z* funds would help mitigate that experience, allowing community members to get immediate assistance and allow officers to be in the field more often where they are more effective in making the community safe.

7. Will this proposal require new or expanded activity on the part of another entity to be fully functional and effective? If so, please describe.

No, this proposal does not require any activity on the part of another entity. It is believed the additional support to our officers will ultimately lower levels of crime in the City and subsequently lower the level of activity required of allied agencies and partners.

8. Are there recurring expenses associated to this application, such as personnel costs? Please check yes or no and if so, please detail those expenses. Yes No

Yes, personnel costs are ongoing for the part-time clerical position.

ATTACHMENTS—Please include the following with your application

Proposal Narrative: Brief description of your request for *Measure Z* funds – Please explain how it is an essential service or for public safety. (one page maximum)

Prior Year Results: If your request is a continuation of a program funded with *Measure Z* in prior fiscal years, please provide the results of implementation. (one page maximum)

Program Budget

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above statements and all attachments are true and correct

DATE: FEBRUARY 20, 2018

SIGNATURE: _____

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'JL', written over a horizontal line.

SUBMIT THIS APPLICATION TO:

Humboldt County Citizens' Advisory Committee on *Measure Z* Expenditures
c/o County Administrative Office
825 Fifth Street, Room 112
Eureka, CA 95501-1153



*Rio Dell Police Department
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February 20, 2018

TO: Humboldt County Citizen's Advisory Committee on Measure Z Expenditures

FROM: Jeff Conner, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: **Proposal Narrative:** Measure Z and the City of Rio Dell's part-time clerical support position in the Police Department.

The City of Rio Dell respectfully submits this proposal narrative for your consideration for Measure Z funding. The proposal is connected to two very important objectives for the City of Rio Dell: Enhanced public safety services and economic development. We believe that public safety and economic development go hand in hand.

Public safety has been greatly enhanced with the addition of an administrative support staff person in the Police Department through Measure Z funding for FY 2016-2017. This additional staff person has enhanced our code enforcement efforts and made a significant positive impact at our front counter. This has allowed the department's sworn officers to be able to focus on the duties that their positions were intended for: public safety and lessening the deleterious effects of crime. An increase in public safety and a decrease in the crime rate will enhance our vision of building a safe, healthy, and economically viable City. We believe this also has a positive impact on the county as a whole given our position along the US 101 corridor as a "gateway" to northern Humboldt as people travel from the south.

The City needs your help in solidifying this vision of creating a safer community and building economic sustainability. These objectives are the sole purpose for the City's proposal, which follows:

\$35,126 for a part-time Police Records Specialist I that will free up the valuable time of the City's five sworn officers

The continuation of this position in our Police Department is in direct line with the overall goals for which Measure Z was enacted: "To provide the funds necessary for expanding patrols, maintaining emergency response times, and making sure calls about violent or property crimes are responded to promptly." Additionally, the proposal has an added value of economic sustainability that can serve as a means to continue this position when Measure Z sunsets in 2020.



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TO: Humboldt County Citizen's Advisory Committee on Measure Z Expenditures

FROM: Jeff Conner, Chief of Police

SUBJECT: **Prior Year Results:** Measure Z and the City of Rio Dell's part-time clerical support position in the Police Department.

Since the beginning of this funding cycle for Measure Z (July 1, 2017) until the present, the Rio Dell Police Department has had seventy-two (72) code enforcement cases. Nineteen of these cases were carry overs from the previous fiscal year. Forty-two (42) of those cases have been successfully closed, leaving us with thirty (30) open cases as of today's date. We continue to increase our code enforcement expectations focusing on junk vehicles, other forms of blight and illegal marijuana cultivation. The clerical support worker has been and will continue to be at the forefront of these enforcement actions.

More significantly officers in the field handled 2342 calls for service in the 2017 calendar year. This compares with 1824 calls in 2016 and 1800 calls in 2015. This increase in activity took place even though the Department was not at full staffing for most of the year. While there are multiple factors for this increase, one factor is the ability of sworn staff to spend more time on patrol rather than in the office handling administrative duties. Consequently, the officers can be more proactive than reactive.

While it is anecdotal rather than a statistical measurement, several citizens have commented on how pleased they were to see officers in the field as well as to have the Police Department open during business hours.

**Budget for Part-Time Police Records Technician
Rio Dell Police Department**

Invoice Date: 2/20/18

Invoice # MZ- _____

Invoice Period: _____

Descriptions	Amounts	Approved Budget	Remaining Balance
A. Personnel Costs			
Title: Police Records Technician Salary and Benefits Calculation: 1,456 hours at \$18.48 per hour plus \$3.43 additional payroll costs Performs a variety of general, clerical and customer service duties involved in the maintenance, processing, and distribution of police records; serves as a call-taker and/or assists in dispatching units. Duties Description:	31,900.96		(31,900.96)
Title: Salary and Benefits Calculation: Duties Description:			0
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Total Personnel:		31,900.96	0.00 (31,900.96)
B. Operational Costs (Rent, Utilities, Phones, etc.)			
Title: Operational Costs Description: Variable operational costs related to the addition of a part-time Police Records Technician	1,681.99		(1,681.99)
Title: Description:			
Title: Description:			
Title: Description:			
Total Operating Costs:		1681.99	0 (1,681.99)
C. Consumables/Supplies (Supplies and Consumables should be separate)			
Title: Description:			
Title: Description:			
Title: Description:			
Title: Description:			
Total Consumable/Supplies:		0	0 0

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Invoice Date: 2/20/18

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Descriptions	Amounts	Approved Budget	Remaining Balance
D. Transportation/Travel (Local and Out-of-County should be separate)			
Title: Out of County Travel for Training	1542.94		(1,542.94)
Description: Travel costs related to training for Police Records Technician			
Title:			
Description:			
Title:			
Description:			
Total Transportation/Travel Costs:		1542.94	0 (1,542.94)
E. Fixed Assets			
Title:			
Description:			
Title:			
Description:			
Total Other Costs:		0	0 0
Invoice Total:		35,125.89	

EXHIBIT B
QUARTERLY AND FINAL SUMMARY REPORT
City of Rio Dell
Fiscal Year 2018-2019

1. DUE DATES:

Quarterly reports are due one (1) month after the end of each quarter. Quarterly reports will be based on COUNTY fiscal year quarters. The table below shows each fiscal year quarter and the report due dates. CITY must submit a quarterly report for each quarter in which the contract is active. The Final Summary Report is due one (1) month after completion of the contract term.

Quarter	Dates Included	Date Report Due to County
1	July 1 through September 30	October 31
2	October 1 through December 31	January 31
3	January 1 through March 31	April 30
4	April 1 through June 30	July 31
Final Summary Report	Based on contract term	One (1) month after MOU expiration

2. SUBMISSION OF REPORTS:

All reports should be emailed to cao@co.humboldt.ca.us or sent by U.S. mail to the following address:

COUNTY: Humboldt County Administrative Office
Attention: Elishia Hayes, Senior Administrative Analyst
825 Fifth Street, Room 112
Eureka, California 95501

EXHIBIT C
QUARTERLY AND FINAL REPORT FORM
City of Rio Dell
Fiscal Year 2018-2019



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT – MEASURE Z
Report Form

Organization Name: _____ **Report Date:** _____

Contact Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Please attach a narrative report addressing the items outlined in section I below. Feel free to attach any other relevant materials or reports.

I. QUARTERLY NARRATIVE

A. Results/Outcomes

- 1. Please describe the Measure Z activities completed.
- 2. How many people have been served and how?
- 3. Who has benefited from the enhanced services?
- 4. What difference did Measure Z funding make in our community and for the population you are serving? Please quantify the short-term impact of your project for the current year. *If you have evaluation materials that document outcomes and impacts of your work, feel free to attach them in lieu of answering this or other questions.*
- 5. Please quantify the long-term impacts of your project. This would be for the entire time period that Measure Z has funded your project.
- 6. Describe any unanticipated impacts of receiving Measure Z funding, positive or negative, not already described above.

II. FINAL SUMMARY REPORT (please attach a maximum of 2 pages, exclusive of attachments)

A. Lessons Learned

- 1. Describe what you learned based on the results/outcomes you reported in Section A above and what, if any, changes you will make based on your results/outcomes.
- 2. What overall public safety improvements has your organization seen as a result of receiving Measure Z funding?