



City of Colusa California

STAFF REPORT

DATE: February 7, 2023

TO: Mayor Ponciano and Members of the City Council

FROM: Joshua Fitch, Police Chief, via Jesse Cain, City Manager

AGENDA ITEM:

Approve contract modification for Animal Control services with the County of Colusa.

Recommendation: Council to approve contract modification for Animal Control services with County of Colusa for Calendar Years 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026.

BACKGROUND ANALYSIS:

Animal Control Services for the Police Department are provided via contract with County of Colusa (Sheriff's Department). A modification of the contract is sought by the County, extending the contract through Calendar Years 2023, 2024, 2025, and 2026 with a 5% annual increase in each of the four years. Additionally, rabies tests for dogs, cats and other animals 0-80 lbs. will increase from \$100 to \$115. Tests for dogs, cats, and other animals over 80 lbs. will increase from \$100 to \$134. Rabies testing for bats will increase from \$50 to \$57. These tests occur on an as needed, case by case basis. This contract has not been modified or increased since 2015.

BUDGET IMPACT:

The modified contract increase amount is in line with operational cost increases. For the current fiscal year, the increase of \$1,467.00 will be added into the Mid-Year Budget. Future budget increases; 2024- \$1,540.55, 2025- \$1,617.58, 2026- \$1,698.46.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the Animal Control Services Agreement

ATTACHMENT:

Third Modification of Animal Control Services Agreement.