

**EL DORADO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**  
**SHERIFF JEFF LEIKAUF**

**MEMORANDUM**



TO: Board of Supervisors

CC: Tiffany Schmid, Interim Chief Administrative Officer  
Sue Hennike, Deputy Chief Administrative Officer

FROM: Monica Ferguson, Agency Chief Fiscal Officer  
Bryan Golmitz, Undersheriff

SUBJECT: Retroactive Agreement for Services #7596, Abe Arens –  
Legistar Item 23-0815; May 9, 2023

DATE: April 21, 2023

The purpose of this memorandum is to provide an explanation for the retroactive nature of agreement #7596 with Abe Arens Environmental Inc.

In August 2022, the Sheriff's Office need to have materials that have been contaminated with hazardous battery acid removed in an environmentally friendly manner. At the time, the Sheriff's Office did not have a contract in place and per County policy services related to removal of hazardous materials require a contract regardless of the monetary value of the agreement. Therefore, this agreement is retro-active to include the dates of those services provided and will be ongoing for a term of 5 years.

Since that time, conversations have been ongoing with Abe Arens Environmental to determine appropriate costs for other items that need to be removed during the length of the agreement. This includes materials house in the Brian Ishmael Shooting Range, the Property/Evidence Unit, and Sheriff's Office Communication Unit. Each group has specific materials that will need to be disposed causing those conversations between EDSO and Abe Arens to be extended over the last few months, hence they delay in bringing the agreement to the Board.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bryan Golmitz".

Undersheriff Bryan Golmitz