



# County of El Dorado

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## Legislation Text

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Sheriff recommending Chairman be authorized to sign Agreement 622-S0711 with the County of Sacramento in an amount not to exceed \$45,000 for the term July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008 for autopsy, support and morgue services on an as requested basis.

BUDGET SUMMARY:		
Total Estimated Cost		\$45,000
Funding		
Budgeted	\$45,000	
New Funding	\$	
Savings	\$	
Other	\$	
Total Funding Available	\$45,000	
Change To Net County Cost		\$0

**Fiscal Impact/Change to Net County Cost:** None. The Sheriff's FY07/08 operating budget contains funding for this agreement.

**Background:** Whenever the Coroner's Section of the Sheriff's Office deals with a homicide, a suspicious death or a death from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) an autopsy must be conducted by a certified forensic pathologist in order to have credible evidence for a court proceeding or to comply with State protocols. There are no certified forensic pathologists in El Dorado county and the Sheriff's Office has historically contracted with Sacramento County for these services.

**Reason for Recommendation:** The current contract expired on 06/30/2007.

**Action to be taken following Board approval:** The Chair will sign the agreement.

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**Concurrences:** Reviewed and approved by County Counsel and Risk Management