

**ORDINANCES OF CROCKETT-CARQUINEZ FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
(ORDINANCE NO. 2024-15) AND CONTRA COSTA COUNTY FIRE PROTECTION
DISTRICT (ORDINANCE NO. 2024-16) IMPLEMENTING THE INFORMAL BIDDING
PROCEDURES OF THE UNIFORM PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION COST ACCOUNTING
ACT**

The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, as and constituting the Board of Directors of the Crockett-Carquinez Fire Protection District and the Contra Costa County Fire Protection District, ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. SUMMARY. This ordinance is adopted pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22034 for the purposes of implementing the informal bidding procedures of the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act. This ordinance amends Sections III(a) and V of Crockett-Carquinez Fire Protection District Ordinance No. 2004-17 and Contra Costa County Fire Protection District Ordinance No. 2004-18 by increasing the monetary limit for informal bidding and informal contracts, as authorized by Public Contract Code Section 22032(b).

SECTION 2. Section III of Ordinance Nos. 2004-17 and 2004-18 is amended to read:

SECTION III. NOTICE INVITING FORMAL BIDS. (a) For public projects with an estimated cost equal to or less than the maximum amount specified in Public Contract Code Section 22032(b) or any successor statute, as may be amended, the department may use informal bidding by mailing a notice inviting informal bids to all contractors for the category of the work being bid, as shown on the list maintained under County Ordinance Code Section 1108-3.206, or to all construction trade journals specified in Public Contract Code Section 22036, or to both all contractors on the list for the category of work being bid and all construction trade journals specified in Public Contract Code Section 22036. Notice may be sent to additional contractors or construction trade journals at the discretion of the department. If there is no list of qualified contractors maintained by the department for the particular category of work to be performed, the notice inviting informal bids need only be sent to the construction trade journals specified by the Commission.

SECTION 3. Section V of Ordinance Nos. 2004-17 and 2004-18 is amended to read:

Section V. AWARD OF INFORMAL CONTRACTS. Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 22034, the authority to award informal contracts for those public projects up to the maximum amount specified in Public Contract Code 22032(b) or any successor statute, as may be amended, is delegated to the Fire Chief, the Public Works Director, and the County Administrator to be exercised in accordance with all applicable laws and county policies.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after passage, and, within 15 days of passage, this ordinance shall be published once, with the names of the Supervisors voting for and against it, in the East Bay Times, a newspaper of general circulation published in this County.

PASSED and ADOPTED on _____ by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Board Chair

ATTEST:

MONICA NINO, Clerk of the Board
of Supervisors and County Administrator

By _____
Deputy