RESOLUTION NO. 2012-352

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AUTHORIZING THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY, OR DESIGNEE, TO EXECUTE
JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT WITH THE VICTIM COMPENSATION AND
GOVERNMENT CLAIMS BOARD

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Clara Board of Supervisors has designated the Office of the District Attorney as the implementing agency to provide major and comprehensive victim and witness services in Santa Clara County through the Victim Witness Assistance Center; and,

WHEREAS, the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board (VCGCB) has allocated Joint Powers monies to the County of Santa Clara for the purpose of verification of victim claims; and

WHEREAS, the VCGCB has allocated $3,232,326 for the period of July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015 to the County of Santa Clara for verification of victim claims; and,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara delegates authority to the District Attorney, or designee, to negotiate, execute, amend, terminate, and take any and all necessary or advisable actions relating to the standard agreement with VCGCB to provide revenue to the County in support of compensation to crime victims in an amount not to exceed $3,232,326 for period July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2015, following approval by County Counsel as to form and legality, and approval by the Office of the County Executive. Delegation of authority shall expire on December 31, 2012.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors understands that any liability arising out of the performance of this Agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the recipient and understands that the State of California and the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board disclaim responsibility for any such liability; and

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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that grant funds received must not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by the Board of Supervisors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, on JUN 05 2012 by the following vote:

AYES: CORDESE, SHIRAKAWA, WASSERMAN, YEAGER

NOES: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

ABSENT: KNISS

George Shirakawa, President
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

LYNN REGADANZ
Interim Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
Dated: JUN 05 2012

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Robert M. Coelho
Lead Deputy County Counsel
Dated: 7/23/12