



## REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

ITEM NO. 14,

**DATE OF MEETING:** July 11, 2011

**REQUESTED BY:** Amber Parker, Director, Pender County Health Department

**SHORT TITLE:** Resolution to Approve Purchase Orders for Health Department Specialized Laboratory Testing For Fiscal Year 2011-2012: \$48,800

**BACKGROUND:** Specialized laboratory human tissue analyses, e.g., organ or disease panels, hematology, alkaline, Phosphates, BUN, Creatinine, Hemoglobin A1C, etc., cannot be processed in-house and are no longer provided by the North Carolina Laboratory. The North Carolina State Laboratory provides certain lab analyses at a reduced rate while Pender County Health Department contracts with LABCORP to provide patient required lab analyses.

**SPECIFIC ACTION REQUESTED:** The board is requested to authorize purchase orders for specialized laboratory testing in the amount of \$48,800 for Fiscal Year 2011-2012.

**COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION**

Respectfully recommend approval.

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**RESOLUTION**

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** by the Pender County Board of Commissioners that

A purchase order is authorized to the North Carolina State Laboratory in the amount of \$12,000 and LABCORP in the amount of \$36,800 for specialized laboratory testing for the fiscal year of 2011-2012. The County Manager is authorized to execute any/all agreements necessary to implement the resolution.

900077	404500	Contract Services (NC State Laboratory)	12,000
900077	404500	Contract Services (LABCORP)	36,800
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$ 48,800</b>

**AMENDMENTS:**

MOVED \_\_\_\_\_ SECONDED \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DENIED \_\_\_\_\_ UNANIMOUS

YEA VOTES: Brown \_\_\_ Tate \_\_\_ Rivenbark \_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_ Williams \_\_\_

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George R. Brown, Chairman      07/11/2011  
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