



REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

ITEM NO. 8a.

DATE OF MEETING: November 7, 2011

REQUESTED BY: Carolyn Moser, Health Director, Pender County Health Department

SHORT TITLE: Resolution to Approve Purchase Order for Dental Hygienist Contract for FY 11-12: \$21,200

BACKGROUND: The Board of Health has approved a contract with Jennifer Messer, RDH to work in the dental clinic as a Dental Hygienist for two days a week until the end of FY 11-12. Funding for this position was approved in the FY 11-12 budget, and no additional funding is needed. The dental clinic will be open an additional 2 days weekly, allowing a total of 4 days a week. This hygienist will increase access to oral health services and decrease waiting times for appointments. Increased hours of operation will increase revenues through the clinic.

SPECIFIC ACTION REQUESTED: To consider a resolution authorizing a purchase order for the dental hygienist contract with Jennifer Messer, RDH in the amount of \$21,200 for FY 11-12.

