



County Executive Office
Memorandum

July 13, 2006

To: Bill Campbell, Chairman
From: Thomas G. Mauk, County Executive Officer
Subject: Exception to the Rule 21

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The County Executive Office is requesting a supplemental for the July 18, 2006 Board Hearing Meeting.

Agency: Health Care Agency
Subject: Appointment of County Health Officer
District: All

Reason for supplemental: To allow adequate time for processing.

Concur:

Bill Campbell, Chairman
Orange County Board of Supervisors

cc: Rob Richardson
Assistant to the County Executive Officer



SUPPLEMENTAL ASR

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MEETING DATE: 07/18/06
LEGAL ENTITY TAKING ACTION: Board of Supervisors
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DISTRICT(S): All Districts
SUBMITTING AGENCY/DEPARTMENT: Health Care Agency (Approved)
DEPARTMENT CONTACT PERSON(S): Lisa Bauer, (714) 834-2869

SUBJECT: Appointment of County Health Officer

CEO CONCUR 	COUNTY COUNSEL REVIEW N/A	CLERK OF THE BOARD Consent Calendar 3 Votes Board Majority
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Budgeted: N/A **Current Year Cost:** N/A **Annual Cost:** N/A
Staffing Impact: No **# of Positions:** **Sole Source:** N/A
Current Fiscal Year Revenue: N/A
Funding Source: N/A

Prior Board Action: N/A

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S)

Appoint Eric G. Handler, M.D. as the Director of Public Health/County Health Officer (Class Code 4579E3) effective August 1, 2006 at an annual salary of \$180,000.

SUMMARY:

Appoint Eric G. Handler, M.D., as the Director of Public Health/County Health Officer for the County of Orange effective August 1, 2006.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Health Care Agency has conducted a national recruitment for the Director of Public Health/County Health Officer and is now recommending the appointment of Eric G. Handler, M.D. A comprehensive recruitment and selection process were held, which involved the assistance of representatives of the medical community and public health professions.

Pursuant to Government Code 24000(s), a Health Officer appointment and compensation requires the Board of Supervisors approval. Accordingly, the Director of the Health Care Agency, with CEO approval, is making a recommendation to your Honorable Board for appointment and salary.

Dr. Handler comes with excellent background and references for this position. He is a Board Certified Specialist in Pediatrics with executive management experience as the Chief Medical Officer for Florida Department of Children and Families and, most recently, as Chief Medical Officer, Boston Regional

Office: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. He has a balanced career in clinical, academic and administrative roles and has demonstrated a strong understanding of current public health issues.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

STAFFING IMPACT:

N/A