

CITY OF PALM DESERT STAFF REPORT

MEETING DATE: March 28, 2024

PREPARED BY: Richard D. Cannone, AICP, Development Services Director

REQUEST: STUDY SESSION: UPDATE ON ANIMAL SERVICES CONTRACT WITH RIVERSIDE COUNTY ANIMAL SERVICES

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file an update on Animal Services Contract with Riverside County Animal Services.

BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS:

The purpose of this study session is to provide an overview of costs and services for the current Animal Services Contract (FY 21/22 – FY 23/24) as well as the following:

- Significant changes and cost increases from 2015 – 2023
- Trends
- Staffing Level & Cost Comparisons with Coachella Valley Municipalities
- Staff Observations & Considerations
- Recommendations

Legal Review:

This report has been reviewed by the City Attorney's office.

ATTACHMENT:

1. Presentation