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DATE: April 16, 2024 (Item No. {{item.number}})

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jeffrey Rosen, District Attorney

SUBJECT: Sponsorship of Silicon Valley Pride 2024

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Approve County sponsorship of the Gay Pride Celebration Committee of San Jose in the amount of \$650 from the Office of the District Attorney Fiscal Year 2024-2025 budget to support the Silicon Valley Pride 2024 Parade and Festival. (LA-1)

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Approval of this action will have no impact on the General Fund, as the expenditure will be made from the Asset Forfeiture Proceeds Fund (Fund 336). Sufficient funds are available to cover this expense.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION AND BACKGROUND

The Silicon Valley (SV) Pride Parade and Festival is an annual, local celebration of the LGBTQ+ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer/questioning, plus other diverse gender identities and sexual orientations) community. It is the largest Pride event in the South Bay and is coordinated by the Gay Pride Celebration Committee of San José, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, also known as SV Pride, which is wholly staffed by volunteers.

The Office of the District Attorney's sponsorship will allow it to have a vendor exhibit space at the Festival on Sunday, August 25, 2024.

The recommended action is in accordance with Board Policy 3.68, County Donations and Sponsorships Using County Assets.

CHILD IMPACT

The recommended action will have no/neutral impact on children and youth.

SENIOR IMPACT

The recommended action will have no/neutral impact on seniors.

SUSTAINABILITY IMPLICATIONS

The recommended action will have no/neutral sustainability implications.

CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION

The Office of the District Attorney will be unable to sponsor a vendor exhibit space at the 2024 Silicon Valley Pride Parade and Festival.