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MEMORANDUM

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Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, Hon. ASLA, Executive Officer

February 1, 2017

The Governing Board

SUBJECT: Agenda Item VIII: Consideration of resolution authorizing entering into an agreement with the City of Palos Verdes Estates for Ranger Patrol Services.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing entering into an agreement with the City of Palos Verdes Estates for Ranger Patrol Services.

<u>Background</u>: From time to time MRCA provides Ranger Patrol Services to other government agencies. The City of Palos Verdes Estates Police Department has approached staff about initiating a contract to patrol the Lunada Bay area bluff tops and coastline, and Malaga Cove Dunes. MRCA submitted a proposal to the Police Department and are negotiating final terms. The initial contract is for a four-month term, after which both parties will evaluate the feasibility of continuing.

<u>Consideration</u>: The four-month services contract is for \$50,000. Additional services for up to 12 months total may be added at the same hourly rate.

<u>Fiscal Impact</u>: Services will be provided with existing staff. The subject contract was not anticipated in the fiscal year 16/17 budget. Authorizing the contract will reduce expenses that would otherwise be paid from general funds.