



COUNCIL DECISION REQUEST

SUBJECT: Termination of Contract with Curtis, Goodwin, Sullivan, Udall & Schwab, P.L.C.

MEETING DATE: April 16, 2015

SUBMITTED BY: Hector M. Figueroa,
Town Attorney

SUBMITTAL TO AGENDA
APPROVED BY TOWN MANAGER

AMOUNT BUDGETED: N/A

EXPENDITURE REQUIRED: N/A



EXHIBITS (If Applicable, To Be Attached):

POSSIBLE MOTION

I move to terminate the Town's December 19, 2014 Agreement for Town Attorney Services with the law firm of Curtis, Goodwin, Sullivan, Udall & Schwab, P.L.C.

SUMMARY OF THE BASIS FOR POSSIBLE MOTION: After an unsuccessful Town Attorney recruitment process in the fall of 2014, the Town entered into an Agreement with the law firm of Curtis, Goodwin, Sullivan, Udall & Schwab, P.L.C. ("CGSUS"), to provide legal services to the Town in the absence of an in-house Town Attorney. The Town now has a new in-house attorney and no longer requires the services of CGSUS. The agreement with CGSUS stipulates that "Firm shall serve at the pleasure of the Town and this Agreement is terminable, any time, by the Town Council without cause." Therefore, a vote of the Council is required to terminate the Agreement with CGSUS.

PROS: The Town will eliminate expenditures on outside counsel for routine legal services.

CONS: N/A

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FUNDING:

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