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TO: All Suppliers and Potential Suppliers

FROM: Julie Miller Interim County Chief Procurement Officer

SUBJECT: GIFT ACCEPTANCE POLICY

Greg Bergman, CPA Administrative Services Director

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The County of Ventura regards each supplier as a business partner, and as such, feels it is important to maintain an atmosphere of honesty and integrity in all of our dealings. Therefore, your assistance in adhering to this policy is requested.

In general, County employees are prohibited from, directly or indirectly, soliciting or accepting any rebate, kickback, gift, gratuity, or favor for personal gain from any individual, corporation, or group.

Procurement staff (or other individuals involved in the procurement process) shall not solicit any form of gratuities. Unsolicited consumables up to \$50 may be accepted and shared with employees.

Feel free to contact me at (805) 654-3756 with any questions or comments.