EXHIBIT D
COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATION MASTER CONTRACT

AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

The County contracts with various organizations to carry out programs mandated by the Federal and State governments or sponsored by the Board of Supervisors. Under the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and Board policy, the County has the responsibility to determine whether those organizations receiving funds through the County have spent them in accordance with the provisions of the contract, applicable laws and regulations.

The County discharges this responsibility by reviewing audit reports submitted by contractors and through other monitoring procedures.

I. AUDIT REQUIREMENTS

A. Funds from Federal Sources: non-federal entities which are determined to be subrecipients by the supervising department according to §___210 of OMB Circular A-133 and which expend annual Federal awards of:

1. $500,000 or more must have a single audit in accordance with §___500 of OMB Circular A-133. When an auditee expends Federal awards under only one Federal program (excluding R&D) and the Federal program's laws, regulations, or grant agreements do not require a financial statement audit of the auditee, the auditee may elect to have a program-specific audit conducted in accordance with §___235 of OMB Circular A-133.

2. Less than $500,000 are exempt from the single audit requirement except that the County may require a limited-scope audit in accordance with §___230 (b)(2) of OMB Circular A-133.

B. Funds from All Sources: non-federal entities which receive annual funds through the County from all sources of:

1. $100,000 or more must have a financial audit in accordance with the U.S. Comptroller General’s Government Auditing Standards covering all County programs.

2. Less than $100,000 are exempt from these audit requirements except as otherwise noted in the contract.
3. If a non-federal entity is required to have or chooses to do a single audit, then it is not required to have a financial audit in the same year. However, if a non-federal entity is required to have a financial audit, it may be required to also have a limited-scope audit in the same year.

C. General Requirements for All Audits:

1. All audits must be conducted in accordance with Government Auditing Standards prescribed by the U.S. Comptroller General.

2. All audits must be conducted annually, except where specifically allowed otherwise by laws, regulations or County policies.

3. Audit reports must identify each County program covered in the audit by contract number, contract amount and contract period. An exhibit number must be included when applicable.

4. If a funding source has more stringent and specific audit requirements, they must prevail over those described here.

II. AUDIT REPORTS

At least two copies of the audit reports package, including all attachments and any management letter with its corresponding response, shall be sent to the County supervising department within six months after the end of the contract period or other time frame specified by the department. The County supervising department is responsible for forwarding a copy to the County Auditor within one week of receipt.

III. AUDIT RESOLUTION

Within 30 days of issuance of the audit report, the entity must submit to its County supervising department a plan of corrective action to address the findings contained therein. Questioned costs and disallowed costs must be resolved according to procedures established by the County in the Contract Administration Manual. The County supervising department will follow-up on the implementation of the corrective action plan as it pertains to County programs.

IV. ADDITIONAL AUDIT WORK

The County, the state or Federal agencies may conduct additional audits or reviews to carry out their regulatory responsibilities. To the extent possible, these audits and reviews will rely on the audit work already performed under these audit requirements.