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February 10, 2005

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Thomas L. Garthwaite, M.D.
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SUBJECT: **NOTICE OF COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT NO. U52/CCU900455-24 FOR TUBERCULOSIS ELIMINATION AND LABORATORY SERVICES**

This is to advise you that the Department of Health Services (DHS or Department) is exercising its delegated authority approved by your Board on November 12, 2002 to accept subsequent funding from the Federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) through Calendar Year 2005 for the provision of Tuberculosis Elimination and Laboratory services, contingent upon review and approval by County Counsel and notification of the Board offices.

The Department received a Notice of Cooperative Agreement (NCA) for the budget period beginning January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005 in the amount of \$2,641,554 in Financial Assistance (FA) and \$148,398 in Direct Assistance. This award reflects FA for a six month budget period for personnel and operating expenditures. As of this date, the CDC is operating under a continuing budget resolution, which does not provide full program funding at this time. A revised NCA reflecting the additional six-month funding will be issued in the near future.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved NCA No. U52/CCU900455-24 as to form.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Chief Administrative Officer
County Counsel
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