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TO: Board of Supervisors

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RE: Animal Control HVAC, Dehumidification

Facilities Management is requesting an additional \$5,000 of unbudgeted funds for the FY26 Animal Control operating budget. This request is to install permanent dehumidification on two of the six air handlers.

This facility has a indoor humidity problem when the outside air is excessively humid over long periods of time. This caused some interior damage in the summer of 2025. To remedy these problems Facilities Management is requesting funds in FY-27 to add full building dehumidification. However, with spring approaching we are requesting to start this project before the next fiscal year begins. The two units we are proposing to do now are areas of highest historical humidity, due to the nature of the HVAC design.

If the \$5000 is approved for this year, the ask for this project in FY-27 can be reduced by \$5000.

The request of the Board of Supervisors is for an additional **\$5000** for the Animal Control budget for permanent dehumidification.