

1 EXHIBIT A

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3 SECTION 12(h) To provide in the purchase of goods, services and supplies  
4 ~~property~~ by the County, that price and quality being equal, preference shall be given  
5 to Fresno County goods, services and suppliers subject to state and federal law  
6 ~~products or vendors~~.

7 SECTION 14. The elective County officers other than the members of the Board of  
8 Supervisors shall be:

9 Auditor

10 Assessor

11 County Clerk

12 Coroner

13 District Attorney

14 ~~Public Administrator~~

15 Recorder

16 Sheriff

17 Superintendent of Schools

18 Tax Collector

19 Treasurer

20 The Tax Collector shall be ex-officio license collector of the County.

21 Any two or more of the above listed elective offices may by Ordinance be consolidated  
22 and any elective office or consolidated elective office may be consolidated with any  
23 appointive office in which latter event the consolidated office shall be elective. Nothing  
24 herein contained shall be deemed to authorize any consolidation of offices which  
25 would result in a holder of a consolidated office performing functions for which he does  
26 not have the qualifications prescribed by State law or this Charter. Any office or offices  
27 having been once consolidated may likewise by ordinance be separated.

28 SECTION 16. The appointive County officers shall be:

Members of the Civil Service Commission

Members of the Planning Commission

- 1 Agricultural Commissioner
- 2 Probation Officer
- 3 County Health Officer
- 4 Director of Weights and Measures
- 5 Director of Public Works
- 6 County Administrative Officer
- 7 County Counsel

7 **Public Administrator**

8 Such other officers as now are or which may be hereafter authorized by the general  
9 law of the State of California or this Charter and established in pursuance thereof.  
10 The Board of Supervisors shall appoint, suspend or remove, subject to the provisions  
11 of this Charter the following officers, boards and commissions: County Administrative  
12 Officer, County Counsel, members of the Civil Service Commission, members of the  
13 Planning Commission, Boards and Commissions not otherwise provided for by this  
14 Charter. The County Administrative Officer shall appoint, suspend or remove, with  
15 prior approval of the Board of Supervisors, and subject to Civil Service procedures  
16 where applicable, all other appointive County officers, except as provided in this  
17 Charter. All appointive officers shall have the qualifications and exercise the powers  
18 and privileges and perform the duties and functions which now are or which may be  
19 hereafter prescribed for their respective offices by the Constitution and laws of the  
20 State of California, this Charter, and the ordinances and resolutions of the Board of  
21 Supervisors. The Director of Public Works shall be a registered civil engineer of the  
22 State of California and shall be ex-officio ~~County Surveyor and~~ Road Commissioner,  
23 and as such shall have the powers and privileges and perform the functions and duties  
24 which now are or which may be hereafter prescribed for such office by the Constitution  
25 and laws of the State of California, this Charter, and the ordinances and resolutions of  
26 the Board of Supervisors. **The Director of Public Works shall appoint a County**  
27 **Surveyor qualified under the laws of the State of California, who shall be**  
28 **subordinate to and directly responsible to the Director and who shall have the**  
**powers and privileges and perform the function and duties which now are or**  
**may be hereafter prescribed for such office by the Constitution and laws of the**  
**State of California, this Charter and the ordinances and resolutions of the Board**  
**of Supervisors. If the Director of Public Works is qualified under the laws of the**

1 State of California to serve as County Surveyor, the Director may be appointed  
2 as County Surveyor pursuant to this section.

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4 ~~SECTION 32. The office of Constable in each judicial district is hereby~~  
5 ~~consolidated with that of sheriff and the sheriff shall perform all functions~~  
6 ~~otherwise imposed by law upon constables. All constables and deputy~~  
7 ~~constables in office with probationary or permanent status upon the operative~~  
8 ~~date of such consolidation shall become deputies of the sheriff of rank and step~~  
9 ~~as may be determined by the Civil Service Commission in accordance with their~~  
10 ~~previous experience and responsibility as peace officers, taking into~~  
11 ~~consideration an evaluation thereof by the sheriff. This section as amended~~  
12 ~~pursuant to the November, 1972, election, shall become operative beginning~~  
13 ~~with the first county pay period following the first Monday after January 1, 1973,~~  
14 ~~or at the beginning of the first county pay period thereafter when legally~~  
15 ~~permissible.~~