



## COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE: 12/13/2022

**SUBJECT: RATIFICATION AND APPROVAL OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES  
AGREEMENT BETWEEN TARRANT COUNTY AND J. SCOTT  
DENTON, M.D. FOR MEDICAL EXAMINER CONSULTING  
SERVICES**

### **COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED**

It is requested that the Commissioners Court ratify and approve a Professional Agreement between Tarrant County and J. Scott Denton, M.D. for Medical Examiner Consulting Services.

### **BACKGROUND**

Under the direction of the Medical Examiner, J.Scott Denton, M.D. will provide consulting services including review of selected cases under the jurisdiction of the Tarrant County Medical Examiner. Dr. Denton shall be allowed to consult with other designated entities or professionals in order to more fully review selected cases.

The term of the contract will begin upon execution and conclude on February 28, 2023. The County will pay \$5,000.00 per case and may not exceed \$10,000.00. Dr. Denton will invoice Tarrant County monthly for payment.

The Criminal District Attorney's Office has reviewed the agreement as to form.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

The fiscal impact shall not exceed \$10,000.00. Funds are available in account 10000-2023/1140100000/569011.

SUBMITTED BY:	Administrator's Office	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Tracye Sisco Chandler Merritt
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