



TOWN OF FAIRFAX

STAFF REPORT

August 5, 2020

TO: Mayor and Town Council

FROM: Garrett Toy, Town Manager

SUBJECT: Approve response to the Civil Grand Jury Report entitled: "*Cyberattacks: A Growing Threat to Marin Government*"

RECOMMENDATION

Approve the attached response to the 2019-2020 Marin Civil Grand Jury Report entitled *Cyberattacks: A Growing Threat to Marin Government*.

DISCUSSION

The Marin County Civil Grand Jury issued *Cyberattacks: A Growing Threat to Marin Government* on May 11, 2020. The report focuses on the lack of coordination among Marin cities and towns around network security, cybersecurity practices, and security training. The Town is required by to respond to this report on or before August 10, 2020. Penal Code section 933(c).

Specifically, the Town of Fairfax is required to respond to eight findings (F3, F4, F5, F6, F7, F8, F9 and F10) and six recommendations (R4, R5, R6, R7, R8, and R9).

The attached proposed responses show that the Town disagrees in whole or in part with some of the findings and agrees to implement some of the recommendations R4, R5, R6, and R9 during Fiscal Year 2020-2021. The Town has indicated that it has already implemented recommendations R7 and R8. Town staff did coordinate its responses with the other Marin communities.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/a

ATTACHMENTS

- A. Proposed Response to Grand Jury Report
- B. Grand Jury Report *Cyberattacks: A Growing Threat to Marin Government* dated May 11, 2020