DATE: March 7, 2011

TO: Procurement Credit Card Cardholders and Approvers

FROM: Rosa Ceniceros, Procurement Services Manager

SUBJECT: PROCUREMENT CREDIT CARD RESTRICTED USES

During recent monthly reviews of the Procurement Credit Card Statements, the number of non-conforming purchases has increased to a level where we believe it is necessary to remind all Cardholders and Approvers regarding the following restricted items and use policies:

- Printers and Scanners these are contract items; use contract vendor
- Services (labor of any kind) not allowed due to 1099 reporting requirements
  Training considered a service
- Rentals of any kind (including tables, chairs, tents, equipment)
- Office Supplies/Toner Cartridges these are contract items; use contract vendor; exceptions allowed under certain conditions (contact Procurement Services regarding any vendor issues)
- Splitting of Purchases

Page 3 of the Policies and Procedures Manual is included for quick reference.

Expenditures in the following categories, while not currently restricted, must be within the limits set by the County Administrative Policy.	
Food for Events Include event name/type and number of attendees	Chapter VII, Section C, Policy #1, Item #19
Retirement Gifts Include name of person(s) and number of years of County service	Chapter VII, Section C, Policy #1, Item #31

Lastly, remember that both the Cardholder and Approver must sign the statement.

Thank you for your cooperation. Questions can be directed to Tanya Hawk at 654-3751.

Attachment