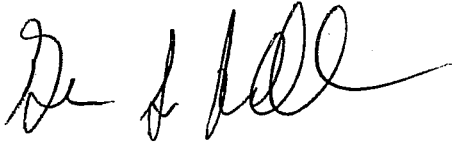




**COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors

FROM: Glenn Russell, Ph.D., 568-2085
Director, Planning and Development 

DATE: February 25, 2013

RE: Applicant and appellant request to continue the hearing for the Goolsby Appeal of the Verizon telecom project; 12APL-00000-00011

At the November 14, 2012 hearing, both the appellant's attorney and Verizon's representative requested a continuance of this item to March 5, 2013 to allow additional time to explore project alternatives. In February, Verizon agreed to extend the shot clock to March 21, 2013, and the County and Verizon have signed a tolling agreement that extends the County's processing timeline until March 21, 2013.

However, due to the absence of the First District Supervisor on the March 5, 2013 hearing, staff, with the concurrence of both the applicant and appellant, is requesting a continuance from the March 5, 2013 hearing to the March 12, 2013 hearing. Staff therefore recommends that your Board continue the hearing for 12APL-00000-00011 to March 12, 2013.