



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

December 14, 2021

Present: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 21-01132

RE: Consider recommendations regarding a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Onsite Wastewater Treatment System (OWTS) Permitting Oversight within the City of Santa Barbara, as follows:

a) Approve and authorize the Environmental Health Services Director to enter into a MOU with the City of Santa Barbara to oversee OWTS permitting within the incorporated City of Santa Barbara; and

b) Determine that the recommended action is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) review per CEQA Guideline sections 15307 and 15308 because it consists of an action taken by a regulatory agency for the protection of natural resources and the environment where the regulatory process involves procedures for protection of the environment and direct staff to file a Notice of Exemption on that basis.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hartmann, seconded by Supervisor Hart, that this matter be acted on as follows:

a) **Approved and authorized; and**

b) **Approved.**

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Hart, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino