

County of Santa Barbara BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

September 10, 2024

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

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 24-00914

RE: Consider recommendations regarding Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Environmental Justice Community Change grant application, as follows:

a) Approve and authorize the Community Services Director to apply to the EPA Environmental Justice Community Change Grant Program to implement various activities under the Resilient Cuyama Valley initiative;

b) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute the Statutory Partner Agreement with Blue Sky Center; and

c) Determine that the above recommended actions are not a "Project" with the meaning of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) per CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5), since the recommended actions are organizational or administrative activities of government that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.

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

- a) Approved and authorized;
- b) Approved and authorized; Chair to execute; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

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