



# County of Santa Barbara

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

### Minute Order

August 27, 2024

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

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 24-00869

**RE:** HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding the 2030 Climate Action Plan Adoption, as follows: (EST. TIME: 1 HR. 30 MIN.)

- a) Adopt the 2030 Climate Action Plan by adopting a Resolution;
- b) Adopt a Resolution directing staff to (1) identify viable measures and a goal to reduce emissions from oil and gas extraction and processing, (2) return to the Board within six months for consideration of such measures and goals;
- c) Receive and file the Implementation Cost Analysis Report;
- d) Make the required findings for certification of the 2030 Climate Action Plan Final Environmental Impact Report (Case No. 23EIR-00002), pursuant to the State Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA);
- e) Make the required findings for approval of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan Energy Element amendment, Case 23GPA-00004, including CEQA findings;
- f) Find the proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendment, Case No. 23GPA-0004, is exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3);
- g) Adopt a Resolution approving Case No. 23GPA-00004, amending Policy 8.3 and Research Action 8.3.1 of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan Energy Element;
- h) Adopt a Resolution approving proposed amendments to Chapter 11, Greenhouse Gas Emissions, of the Environmental Thresholds and Guidelines Manual, to include new non-stationary source greenhouse gas emissions thresholds of significance, and the 2030 Climate Action Plan Consistency Checklist, in compliance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15064.4; and
- i) Determine that the amendment to the Environmental Thresholds and Guidelines Manual is not a project pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Sections 15060(c)(3), 15378 (b)(5), and 15064.7.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: POLICY

*HEARING TIME: 11:40 AM - 1:50 PM (2 HR. 10 MIN.)*



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Received and filed staff presentation and conducted a public hearing.

Sharon Broberg, Vivienne Chankai, Ben Schwartz, Haley Weinstein, Haley Ehlers, Molly Troup, Andy Caldwell, Ramon Elias, Maureen Ellenberger, Ken Hough, Tracy Beard, Katie Davis, Farah Stack, Claire Wineman, Jonathan Ullman, Karin Hauenstein, Ben Oakley, Riley Pa, and Mike Stoker addressed the Board.

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

a) Adopted;

RESOLUTION NO. 24-188

b) Adopted;

RESOLUTION NO. 24-189

c) Received and filed;

d) through f) Approved;

g) Adopted;

RESOLUTION NO. 24-190

h) Adopted; and

RESOLUTION NO. 24-191

i) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

**Ayes:** 3 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, and Supervisor Hartmann

**Noes:** 2 - Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino