



# County of Santa Barbara BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

## Minute Order

November 18, 2025

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

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

File Reference No. 25-01006

**RE:** Consider recommendations regarding the appointment of the Fire Chief, as follows:

a) Approve the appointment of Garrett Huff as the County of Santa Barbara Fire Chief, beginning December 8, 2025, at a bi-weekly base salary of \$11,639.44 and with benefits consistent with those received by other appointed Santa Barbara County Department Heads under Resolution No. 25-218; and

b) Determine that the recommended actions are not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(2) because the recommended actions involve continuing administrative or maintenance activity.

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

**a) and b) Approved.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** 5 - Supervisor Lee, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino