

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2004-1

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## COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICT NO. 2004-1

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## Introduction

This Mello-Roos Community Facilities District Administration Report presents the findings of the research and financial analysis performed by David Taussig & Associates, Inc. to determine the special tax requirement for Community Facilities District No. 2004-1 (Providence Landing) ("CFD No. 2004-1") of the County of Santa Barbara ("the County") for fiscal year 2011-2012.

CFD No. 2004-1 is a legally constituted governmental entity established under the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, (the "Act") as amended. The Act provides an alternative method for the financing of certain public facilities and services. Specifically, CFD No. 2004-1 is authorized to levy an annual special tax to finance public park maintenance and operation. A map showing the property in CFD No. 2004-1 is included in Exhibit A.

The authorized services are funded through the annual levy and collection of special taxes from all property subject to the tax within the community facilities district. In calculating the special tax liability for fiscal year 2011-2012, this report examines the financial obligations of the current fiscal year and analyzes the level of development within CFD No. 2004-1.

This report is organized into the following sections:

#### **Section I**

Section I provides an update of the development status of property within CFD No. 2004-1.

#### **Section II**

Section II analyzes the fiscal year 2010-2011 special tax levy.

#### **Section III**

Section III determines the financial obligations of CFD No. 2004-1 for fiscal year 2011-2012.

#### **Section IV**

Section IV reviews the methodology used to apportion the special tax requirement to Homeowner Property and Residential Property. A table of the 2011-2012 special taxes for each classification of property is included.

## I. Special Tax Classifications and Development Update

### **Special Tax Classifications**

The methodology employed to calculate and apportion the special tax is contained in a document entitled the Rate and Method of Apportionment. The Rate and Method of Apportionment defines two categories of taxable property, namely "Homeowner Property" and "Residential Property."

Homeowner Property is defined as parcels, not including Public Property and Property Owner Association Property, which has been sold and transferred title to a homeowner. Specifically, Homeowner Property for which escrow closed as of May 1 of the previous Fiscal Year will be classified as Homeowner Property in the following fiscal year. Residential Property is defined as all residentially zoned parcels not including Homeowner Property, Public Property, and Property Owner Association Property. Specifically, for each fiscal year after the opening and conveyance of the Providence Landing Park to the County, all residentially zoned parcels in CFD No. 2004-1 will be classified as Residential Property.

## **Development Update**

The table below indicates the cumulative Homeowner Property and Residential Property within CFD No. 2004-1. According to our research of title records, 199 lots had closed escrow within CFD No. 2004-1 prior to May 1, 2011. According to the County of Santa Barbara, the Providence Landing Park was conveyed to the County on August 25, 2009. Therefore, all of the remaining 67 residential lots will be classified as Residential Property for fiscal year 2011-2012.

## Community Facilities District No. 2004-1 Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Homeowner Property and Residential Property

Land Use	Number of lots
Homeowner Property	199 lots
Residential Property	67 lots

## II. Fiscal Year 2010-2011 Special Tax Levy

The aggregate special tax levy for fiscal year 2010-2011 equaled \$121,632. As of May 19, 2011, \$119,952 in special taxes had been collected by the County. A total of \$1,680 in special taxes are delinquent, resulting in a delinquency rate of approximately 1.38 percent.

## III. Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Special Tax Requirement

Pursuant to the Rate and Method of Apportionment, the fiscal year 2011-2012 total Special Tax Requirement is levied to pay for the operation and maintenance of parks, reserves, and administrative expenses eligible to be funded by CFD No. 2004-1.

For fiscal year 2011-2012, the special tax requirement is equal to \$133,728.00 and is calculated as follows:

## Community Facilities District No. 2004-1 Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Special Tax Requirement

CFD Administrative Expenses	\$10,000.00
Reserves/Maintenance of Public Park [1]	\$168,750.00
Less: Expected Developer Contribution [2]	(\$45,022.00)

#### FISCAL YEAR 2011-2012 SPECIAL TAX REQUIREMENT

\$133,728.00

<sup>[1]</sup> Reduced annual maintenance amount to fund operations and maintenance of the park as determined by the County of Santa Barbara. [2] Per the County, the Developer will make up the difference between the total cost and amount collected from homeowners. Costs allocated to homeowners based on expected number of units at buildout.

## IV. Method of Apportionment

### **Maximum Annual Special Taxes**

The amount of special taxes that CFD No. 2004-1 may levy is strictly limited by the maximum special taxes set forth in the Rate and Method of Apportionment. The Maximum Special Taxes for each classification of property are specified in Section C of the Rate and Method of Apportionment. The initial Maximum Special Tax will escalate each Fiscal Year by the greater of the change in the Los Angeles Urban Consumer Price Index ("CPI") during the twelve months prior to December of the previous fiscal year or 2%, commencing July 1, 2006 and continuing every July 1 thereafter. For fiscal year 2011-2012, the annual increase in the CPI was 1.34%.

The maximum annual Special Tax for Homeowner Property and Residential Property is specified in Section C.1 of the Rate and Method of Apportionment.

### **Apportionment of Annual Special Taxes**

The annual special tax that is apportioned to each parcel is determined through the application of Section D of the Rate and Method of Apportionment

The first step states that the Maximum Special Tax shall be levied against each Assessor's Parcel of Homeowner Property at up to 100% of the applicable Maximum Special Tax until the amount of the Special Taxes equals the Special Tax Requirement.

If the special taxes raised pursuant to the first step are less than the special tax requirement, then the second step will be applied as well. The second step states that the special tax shall be levied on Residential Property at up to 100% of the applicable maximum rate.

Application of the maximum special taxes under the first step generates special tax revenues of \$308,532 from Homeowner Property, which is more than sufficient to meet the fiscal year 2011-2012 Special Tax Requirement as outlined in Section III. Therefore, the fiscal year 2011-2012 special tax for Homeowner Property is equal to \$672.00 per unit, which is approximately 43 percent of the maximum special tax. The fiscal year 2011-2012 maximum and actual special taxes are shown for each classification of property in the following table.

## Community Facilities District No. 2004-1 Fiscal Year 2011-2012 Annual Special Taxes For Homeowner Property and Residential Property

Description	FY 2011-2012 Maximum Special Tax	FY 2011-2012 Actual Special Tax
Homeowner Property [1]	\$1,550.41 per lot	\$672.00 per lot
Residential Property [1]	\$1,550.41 per lot	\$0.00 per lot

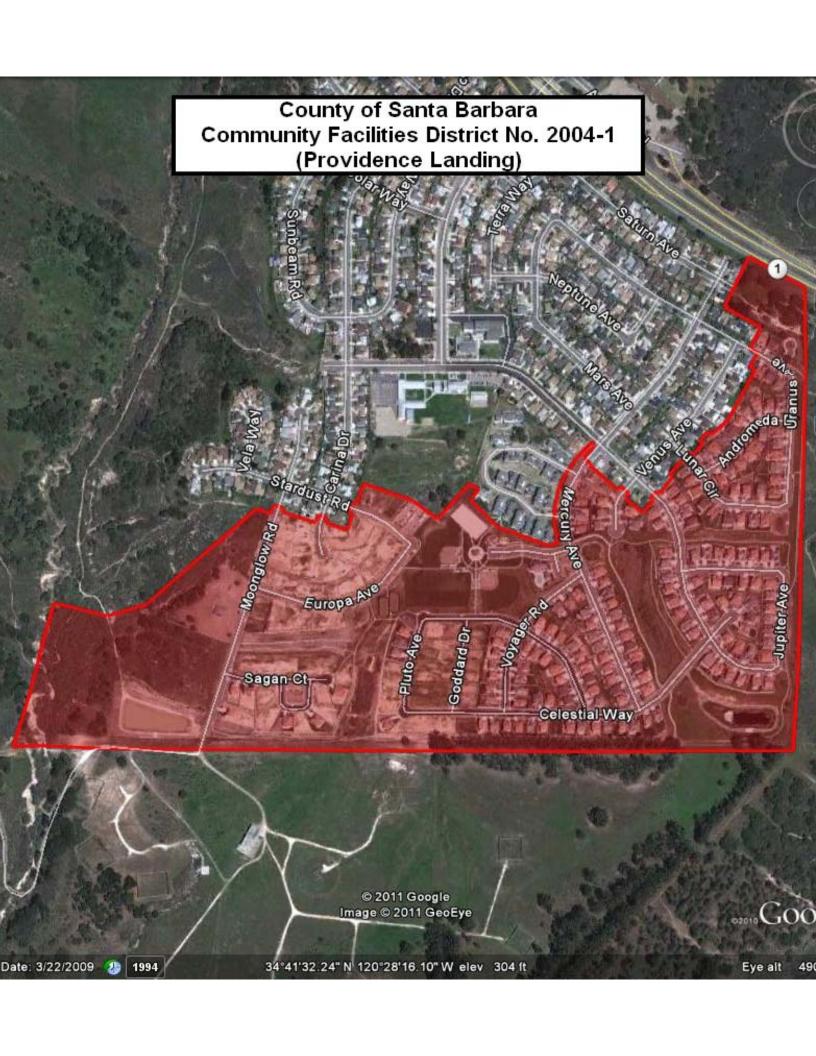
<sup>[1]</sup> Pursuant to Section D of the Rate and Method of Apportionment, Homeowner Property will be levied up to its Maximum Special Tax before Residential Property is taxed.

A list of the actual special tax levied against each parcel in CFD No. 2004-1 is included in Exhibit A

## **EXHIBIT A**

CFD No. 2004-1 of County of Santa Barbara

Boundary Map



## **EXHIBIT B**

CFD No. 2004-1 of County of Santa Barbara

Special Tax Levy Fiscal Year 2011-2012

Exhibit B

	FY 2011-2012
APN	SPECIAL TAX
<u> </u>	<u> </u>
097-077-08	\$672.00
098-001-01	\$672.00
098-001-02	\$672.00
098-001-03	\$672.00
098-001-04	\$672.00
098-001-05	\$672.00
098-001-06	\$672.00
098-001-07	\$672.00
098-001-08	\$672.00
098-001-09	\$672.00
098-001-10	\$672.00
098-001-11	\$672.00
098-001-12	\$672.00
098-001-14	\$672.00
098-001-15	\$672.00
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098-002-02	\$672.00
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098-002-04	\$672.00
098-002-05	\$672.00
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098-002-13	\$672.00
098-002-14	\$672.00
098-002-15	\$672.00
098-002-16	\$672.00
098-002-17	\$672.00
098-002-18	\$672.00
098-002-19	\$672.00
098-002-20	\$672.00
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	FY 2011-2012
<u>APN</u>	SPECIAL TAX
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098-002-21	\$672.00
098-002-22	\$672.00
098-002-23	\$672.00
098-002-24	\$672.00
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098-004-18	\$672.00 \$672.00
098-004-19	\$672.00 \$672.00
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098-004-21	
098-004-22	\$672.00 \$672.00
098-004-23	\$672.00

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	FY 2011-2012
<u>APN</u>	SPECIAL TAX
098-004-24	\$672.00
098-004-25	\$672.00
098-010-09	\$672.00
098-010-10	\$672.00
098-010-12	\$672.00
098-010-13	\$672.00
098-010-14	\$672.00
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098-011-46	\$672.00
098-011-47	\$672.00
098-011-48	\$672.00
098-011-49	\$672.00
098-011-50	\$672.00

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	FY 2011-2012
<u>APN</u>	SPECIAL TAX
098-011-51	\$672.00
098-011-52	\$672.00
098-011-53	\$672.00
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098-013-19	\$672.00
098-013-20	\$672.00
098-013-21	\$672.00
098-013-22	\$672.00
098-013-23	\$672.00
098-013-24	\$672.00

#### Exhibit B

<u>APN</u>	FY 2011-2012 SPECIAL TAX
098-013-25	\$672.00
098-013-26	\$672.00
098-013-27	\$672.00
Total Number of Parcels Taxed	199
Total FY 2011-2012 Special Tax	\$133,728.00