



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

March 8, 2022

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

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

File Reference No. 22-00191

RE: Consider recommendations regarding a response to the 2021 Grand Jury Report entitled “Suicide in Santa Barbara County Main Jail: A Challenge for Law Enforcement and Health Professionals”, as follows:

- a) Consider and adopt the responses as the Board of Supervisors’ response to the 2021 Grand Jury report entitled “Suicide in Santa Barbara County Main Jail: A Challenge for Law Enforcement and Health Professionals”;
- b) Authorize the Chair to sign the letter and forward the letter and responses to the Presiding Judge of Santa Barbara County Superior Court; and
- c) Determine pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines 15378(b)(5) that the above actions are not a project subject to CEQA review, because they are government administrative activities that do not result in direct or indirect physical changes to the environment.

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

- a) **Considered and adopted;**
- b) **Authorized; Chair to execute; and**
- c) **Approved.**

The motion carried by the following vote:

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