

Attachment A

Board of Supervisors Resolution – Environmental Review Initiation

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF INITIATING THE DRAFT)
LOS ALAMOS COMMUNITY PLAN, FORM-BASED)
CODE, AND DESIGN GUIDELINES AS PROPOSED) RESOLUTION NO. 08-
AMENDMENTS TO APPLICABLE PORTIONS OF)
THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE)
PLAN AND LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE)

WITH REFERENCE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- A. On December 20, 1980, by Resolution No. 80-566, the Board of Supervisors adopted the Land Use Element of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan; and
- B. On December 3, 1991, by Resolution 91-696, the Board of Supervisors adopted the Circulation Element of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan; and
- C. On February 8, 1994, by Resolution 94-96, the Board of Supervisors adopted the Los Alamos Community Plan to amend the Comprehensive Plan with policies, standards, and implementation measures applicable within the Los Alamos Community Plan Area; and
- D. In August 2006, the Board of Supervisors established the Los Alamos Planning Advisory Committee (LAPAC) to assist staff and the public with the Los Alamos Community Plan update; and
- E. On October 17, 2006, by Ordinance No. 4265, the County Board of Supervisors adopted Section 35-1, the Santa Barbara County Land Use and Development Code, of Chapter 35, Zoning, of the Santa Barbara County Code, to implement the Comprehensive Plan; and
- F. Between October 2006 and June 2008, over 30 LAPAC public meetings were held to prepare the Draft Los Alamos Community Plan update and Design Guidelines; and
- G. On June 16, 2008, by Resolution No. LAPAC 2008-01, the LAPAC recommended that the County Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors take the necessary actions to initiate environmental review for the Draft Los Alamos Community Plan, Design Guidelines and associated Land Use and Development Code amendments; and
- H. On July 9, 2008, by Resolution No. 08-04, the County Planning Commission recommended that the Board of Supervisors initiate environmental review for the Draft Los Alamos Community Plan, Design Guidelines, and Land Use and Development Code amendments as proposed amendments to applicable portions of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan and Land Use and Development Code; and

I. Public officials and agencies, civic organizations, and citizens have been consulted on and have advised the Board of Supervisors on the proposed amendments in a duly noticed public hearing; and

J. It is now deemed in the interest of orderly development of the County and important to the preservation of health, safety, and general welfare of the residents of said County that the Board of Supervisors initiate, for purposes of environmental review, specific amendments to applicable portions of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan and Land Use and Development Code, as set forth in the Draft Los Alamos Community Plan project description dated June 2008.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED as follows:

1. The above recitations are true and correct.
2. The proposed map designation and text amendments to the Land Use Element and Circulation Element are hereby initiated as such amendments are set forth in the Draft Los Alamos Canyon Community Plan dated June 2008.
3. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 35.104.030 of the Land Use and Development Code, the proposed rezones set forth in the Draft Los Alamos Community Plan dated June 2008, and Attachment I of the September 9, 2008 Board of Supervisors staff report, are hereby initiated as amendments to the Land Use and Development Code.
4. The Draft Los Alamos Community Plan, Design Guidelines, and Land Use and Development Code amendments are adequate to begin environmental review.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 23rd day of September, 2008, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

SALUD CARBAJAL
Chair, Board of Supervisors
County of Santa Barbara

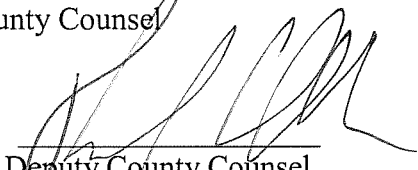
ATTEST:

MICHAEL F. BROWN
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy Clerk-Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DENNIS MARSHALL
County Counsel

By: 
Deputy County Counsel