



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

January 14, 2025

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

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

File Reference No. 25-00042

RE: HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding an update on Cannabis Taxation, Compliance, and Enforcement for the first quarter of Fiscal Year (FY) 2024-2025, as follows: (EST. TIME: 20 MIN.)

- a) Receive and file an update on the status of cannabis tax collection, land use permitting, business licensing, and enforcement;
- b) Provide any other direction to staff regarding the County's cannabis program; and
- c) Find that the proposed actions are administrative activities of the County, which will not result in direct or indirect changes to the environment and therefore are not a "project" as defined for the purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) under State CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5).

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE

HEARING TIME: 10:13 AM - 11:22 AM (1 HR. 9 MIN.)

Received and filed staff presentation and conducted a public hearing.

Karin Hauenstein and Dennis Bozanish addressed the Board.

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

- a) Received and filed;
- b) Provided direction to staff to include the following information in all future reports: (1) Indoor and outdoor revenues broken out; (2) Include the Cannabis Tax Revenue Sources & Uses chart; and (3) Enforcement Report that discusses convictions and various enforcement actions in more detail; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

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