

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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Department Name: General Services

Department No.: 063

Agenda Date: August 26, 2025

Placement: Administrative Agenda

Estimated Time:

Continued Item: No

If Yes, date from:

Vote Required: Majority

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Director(s): Kirk Lagerquist, Director, General Servisional by:

Contact Info: Ted Teyber, Assistant Director, General Services Telephor

SUBJECT: Accept Offer of a Dedication of Road Right of Way to the Colorby 100 Santa Barbara

Providing Access to the Montessori Housing Development at 5050 Hollister Avenue

(2nd Supervisorial District)

County Counsel Concurrence

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

As to form: N/A

Other Concurrence: Planning & Development; County

Surveyor

As to form: Yes

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Recommended Actions:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- a) Adopt the resolution to accept the one-foot Dedication of Road Right of Way to provide access to a housing development at 5050 Hollister; and
- b) Consider the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the 2023-2031 Housing Element Update certified by the Board of Supervisors on May 3, 2024, and determine pursuant to 14 CCR 15162(a) that no subsequent EIR or Negative Declaration is required for this action because there were no substantial changes or new information that was not known at the time the previous EIR was adopted.

Summary Text:

This item is before the Board to accept a one-foot strip of Santa Lucia Avenue to provide legal access to 5050 Hollister Avenue (the "Site") via Santa Lucia Avenue in the unincorporated Goleta valley. The Site, commonly referred to as the Montessori site, was included in the County's 2023-2031 Housing Element Update and accordingly rezoned to permit housing. The recommended Road Right of Way will provide the Site with direct street access over Parcel C of Tract Map 10278 included with the Resolution (Attachment A), which satisfies requirements for issuance of the site development permit.

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Discussion:

The Montessori Site project developer is currently preparing their application materials for submission to County Planning and Development. The resolution accepting the Right of Way contemplates residential development of the site, consistent with the Board's recent rezoning of the site.

Background:

The proposed one-foot right of way was previously offered to the County, but was refused on August 3, 1964 by the Board of Supervisors. It is understood that the County's 1964 refusal of the now recommended road dedication was intended to limit development of the site. The recommended actions will now allow for the development of housing pursuant to Government Code Section 66477.2.

Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:

The owner and developer of the Site has paid for County staff-time to prepare this item.

Special Instructions:

After execution, please email a copy of the Chair executed resolution to tedteyber@countyofsb.org

Attachments:

Attachment A – Board Resolution Accepting Dedication of Road Right of Way