



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

February 7, 2023

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

COUNTY COUNSEL

File Reference No. 23-00107

RE: HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding an Extra Help Service and Retirement Waiver for the Office of County Counsel, as follows: (EST. TIME: 5 MIN.)

- a) In accordance with California Government Code Section 7522.56(f)(1), certify that the appointment of retired County employee Maria Salido Novatt is necessary to fill a critical need in the Office of County Counsel before 180 days have passed from her date of retirement;
- b) Approve and authorize the Office of County Counsel to appoint retired employee Maria Salido Novatt as an Extra Help employee to provide assistance with specialized legal services on a part time basis, not to exceed 960 hours of annual service, with an effective start date of February 6, 2023; and
- c) Determine that the above actions are organizational and administrative activities of government that are not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15378(b)(5) of the CEQA Guidelines.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE

HEARING TIME: 1:41 PM - 1:42 PM (1 MIN.)

Received and filed staff presentation and conducted a public hearing.

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

- a) Certified;
- b) Approved and authorized; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

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