SANTA BARBARA COUNTY AGENDA BOARD LETTER



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Department: Public Works
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TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Phillip M. Demery, Director #3010

Public Works Department

STAFF

CONTACT: Scott D. McGolpin, Deputy Director #3064

Transportation Division

SUBJECT: Proposed (2-way) Stop Controls on Various Locations in the Vandenberg Village Area;

Third Supervisorial District.

C.A. Recommendation:

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Supervisors adopt a resolution establishing (2-way) Stop Controls in the Vandenberg Village Area (See listing of roads below).

ALIGNMENT WITH BOARD STRATEGIC PLAN

The recommendation is primarily aligned with Goal #2: Ensure the public health and safety and provide essential infrastructure and Goal #5: Maintain and enhance the quality of life for all residents.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION

A request was received to install stop signs on Auriga Avenue at Vanguard Drive. An investigation was performed at this intersection to see if stop signs are warranted. The results of this investigation determined that sight distance is restricted on the northeast corner of this intersection. It was also determined that several other intersections (Auriga Avenue at Arcturas Avenue, Falcon Dr. at Vanguard Dr., Falcon Dr. at Rigel Rd. and Titan Avenue at Vanguard Dr.) encountered the same types of sight distance restrictions. Based on our investigation, it was determined that 2-way stops at these locations would be appropriate. The Public Works, Traffic Section has prepared the attached resolution to establish a 2-way stop control at the following locations:

- Auriga Avenue at its intersection with Arcturas Avenue.
- Auriga Avenue at its intersection with Vanguard Drive.
- Falcon Drive at its intersection with Vanguard Drive
- Falcon Drive at its intersection with Rigel Road
- Titan Avenue at its intersection with Vanguard Drive

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MANDATES AND SERVICE LEVELS

No mandates or service levels are affected by this action.

FISCAL AND FACILTIES IMPACTS

Approximately \$1,000 will be required and is available in Department No. 054/02/04, Account #7121 for signs and pavement markings.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please provide one copy of the minute order/executed document for pick up to the attention of Kathleen Dowd, Public Works Traffic Section.

CONCURRENCE

County Counsel

Attachments: #1 Vicinity Map

#2 Resolution

c: PW Accounting

File: C1500 & C1800

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