



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

March 10, 2026

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

CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

File Reference No. 26-00193

RE: HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding an Extra-Help Services and Retirement Waiver for Anne Ortiz in the Child Support Services (CSS) Department, 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 Anne Ortiz is necessary to fill a critical need in the CSS Department before 180 days have passed from her date of retirement;
- b) Approve and authorize the CSS Director to appoint retired employee Anne Ortiz as an Extra-Help employee to assist in necessary financial special projects on a part-time basis, not to exceed 960 hours of annual service, with an effective start date of March 2, 2026; 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: POLICY

HEARING TIME: 10:35 AM - 10:39 AM (4 MIN.)

Received and filed staff presentation and conducted a public hearing.

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

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

The motion carried by the following vote:

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