



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

December 14, 2021

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

COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 21-01126

RE: Consider recommendations regarding the approval and execution of an Authorizing Resolution between Santa Barbara County and the State of California Housing and Community Development Department (HCD), to receive \$280,000.00 under HCD's Community Development Block Grant Mitigation Resilient Planning and Public Services (CDBG MIT-PPS) program to be managed and implemented by the Santa Barbara County Fire Department, as follows:

- a) Approve and authorize the Chair to execute an Authorizing Resolution formalizing acceptance of state CDBG MIT-PPS funding for the development of a Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP) for the Santa Barbara South Coast foothill communities; and
- b) Determine this action is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15378(b)(4), finding that the action is a creation of government funding mechanisms or other government fiscal activities which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result in a potentially significant impact on the environment.

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

- a) **Approved and authorized; Chair to execute; and**

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- b) **Approved.**

The motion carried by the following vote:

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