

ATTACHMENT-3: NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: Nereyda (Rey) Montaña, Planning & Development

The project or activity identified below is determined to be exempt from further environmental review requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) of 1970, as defined in the State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA.

APN: 105-121-006 **Case No.:** 17PCN-00000-00005

Location: 165 S. Broadway Street, Suite 101, Orcutt

Project Title: Public Convenience Determination, Vino et Amicis Wine Bar

Project Applicant: Kurt Hixenbaugh

Project Description:

Request for a determination of public convenience or necessity for the “On-Sale Beer & Wine ” alcohol license requested by Kurt Hixenbaugh for Vino et Amicis Wine Bar.

Name of Public Agency: Santa Barbara County

Name of Person or Agency Requesting Determination: Kurt Hixenbaugh

Exempt Status: (Check one)

- Ministerial
- Statutory Exemption
- Categorical Exemption
- Not a Project
- Declared Emergency

Cite specific CEQA and/or CEQA Guideline Section: 15378(b)(5)

Reasons to support exemption findings:

CEQA Guideline Section 15378(b)(5) states that a project does not include “*organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment.*” The proposed activity is the Board of Supervisors’ determination regarding whether or not public convenience or necessity would be served by the ABC’s issuance of a Type 42 on-sale license. The Board of Supervisors’ determination is an administrative activity that will not result in direct or indirect changes in the environment.

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Phone #: (805) 934-6587 Department/Division Representative: 

Date: 1.22.2018

Acceptance Date: _____

distribution: Hearing Support Staff

Date Filed by County Clerk: _____.