

Attachment A
PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
RECOMMENDED BUDGET FOR THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, June 14, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. in the Board of Supervisors' Hearing Room, Fourth Floor, County Administration Building, 105 East Anapamu Street, Santa Barbara, California; the Board of Supervisors (acting concurrently as the Board of Directors for the Santa Barbara County Fire Protection District, Santa Barbara County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, Laguna County Sanitation District, Santa Barbara County Water Agency and other special districts under the supervision and control of the Board of Supervisors) will meet for the purpose of conducting Public Hearings on:

- The Fiscal Year 2022-23 Recommended Budget for the County of Santa Barbara. The Recommended Budget for the County of Santa Barbara includes the County's General Operational Budget as well as budgets of special districts governed by the Board of Supervisors; and
- The Fiscal Year 2022-23 Recommended Budget for the County of Santa Barbara acting as Successor Agency to the former County of Santa Barbara Redevelopment Agency.

The hearings are scheduled for June 14 and, if necessary, June 15, 2022, including the Board of Supervisors' final deliberations. Should additional deliberations be needed, the Board may choose to extend the hearings through June 24, 2022. The budget hearing schedule will be available for public review on the County's website at <http://countyofsb.org> on May 27, 2022; however, individual times on that schedule are subject to change.

Any member of the public may submit written comments and speak at the hearing and be heard regarding any item in the Recommended Budgets or for the inclusion of additional items. All proposals for revisions shall be submitted in writing to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors before the close of the public hearing. The Board will receive staff's recommended final budget changes which will be available for public review before the Board takes final action on them.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing special assistance to participate in these hearings may contact the Clerk of the Board at (805) 568-2240. Notification of at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the Clerk to make reasonable arrangements.

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors currently provides in-person participation as well as virtual participation until further notice.

The following alternative methods of participation are available to the public:

1. You may observe the live stream of the Board meetings in the following ways:

- Televised in English and Spanish (SAP channel via Comcast and Cox) on local cable channel 20;
- Online at: <http://www.countyofsb.org/ceo/csbtv/livestream.sbc>; and
- YouTube at: <https://www.youtube.com/user/CSBTV20> (Closed Captioning Available on YouTube)

2. If you wish to provide public comment, the following methods are available:

- **Distribution to the Board of Supervisors** - Submit your comment via email prior to 5:00 PM on the day prior to the Board meeting. Please submit your comment to the Clerk of the Board at: sbcob@countyofsb.org. Your comment will be distributed to the Board and posted online.
- **Attend the Meeting In-Person** - Individuals are allowed to attend and provide comments at the Board meeting in-person. Please note, we are following all local and State guidelines and are no longer requiring face coverings indoors. Please be advised that the Public Health Department is still strongly encouraging County staff and members of the public to mask and socially distance themselves in public areas.
- **Attend the Meeting by Zoom Webinar** - Individuals wishing to provide public comment during the Board meeting can do so via Zoom webinar by clicking the link available on page two (2) of the Agenda they wish to speak on, to register in advance.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing important information about joining the webinar.

Please DO NOT call or join until the item you want to speak on is being discussed.

1. Once the Chair has announced the item you want to comment on, please join the meeting.
2. You will be placed on mute until it is your turn to speak. You will be able to hear the Board meeting live after calling in and will need to turn off or mute your TV or the web stream to avoid sound interference.
3. The Clerk will call you by name. When removed from mute, you will hear a notification that your line has been unmuted. **If you are using a touchtone phone, you may need to press *6.**
4. Each person may address the Board for up to three minutes at the discretion of the Chair.
5. When your time is up or you have concluded your comments, please hang up or log out.

If you have any questions or if you are participating in the hearing telephonically or electronically and need a disability-related modification or accommodation or have any issues attempting to access the hearing telephonically or electronically, please contact the Clerk of the Board's Office at (805) 568-2240.

The Fiscal Year 2022-23 Recommended Budgets for the County of Santa Barbara and the County of Santa Barbara as Successor Agency to the former County of Santa Barbara Redevelopment Agency will be posted on the County's website at <http://www.countyofsb.org> by Friday, May 27, 2022 and will be available in hard copy for public review beginning on May 27, 2022, at the Clerk of the Board office (105 East Anapamu Street, Room 407, Santa Barbara, California) between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays. A copy may also be available at the County's Fifth District office at 511 East Lakeside Parkway, Santa Maria.

Questions may be directed to the County Executive Office at (805) 568-3400.

Witness my hand and seal this _____ day of _____ 2022.

Jacquelyne Alexander
CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

By _____
Deputy Clerk