



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

April 21, 2026

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

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 26-00338

RE: Set a hearing to consider recommendations regarding a County Service Area 12 (Mission Canyon Sewer District) Resolution Relative to Collection of Sewer Service Charges and Sewer Connection Charges on the Tax Roll, First District, as follows:
(Set a Hearing for June 9, 2026. Time Estimate: 15 minutes)

- a) Receive and file with the Clerk of the Board a report entitled County Service Area 12 Fixed Charges Fee Report for Fiscal Year 2026-2027;
- b) Approve the introduction (First Reading) of an Ordinance to set sewer connection charges and increase sewer service charges for County Service Area 12;
- c) Read title: “An Ordinance to Set Sewer Connection Charges and Sewer Service Charges for County Service Area 12 in the Mission Canyon Area,” and waive reading of the Ordinance in full; and
- d) Direct the Clerk to count and report the number of written protests:
 - i) If no majority protest, continue the item on the Administrative Agenda for June 23, 2026 to consider recommendations, as follows:
 - 1) Consider the adoption (Second Reading) of the Ordinance to set sewer connection charges and increase sewer service charges for County Service Area 12;
 - 2) Adopt a Resolution authorizing the collection of said charges on the tax roll; and
 - 3) Determine that the above actions are exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15273(a)(1), (2), (3), and (4) of the State CEQA Guidelines because they are for the establishment of service charges for services provided with County Service Area 12, that no expansion of services or facilities will result, that the fees will be used for meeting operating expenses and financial reserve needs and requirements, and approve the filing of a Notice of Exemption on that basis; or
 - ii) If a majority protest, take no action and provide direction to staff.



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A motion was made by Supervisor Lavagnino, seconded by Supervisor Capps, that this matter be set for a hearing, as follows: June 9, 2026 in Santa Barbara (EST. TIME 15 MINS.). The motion carried by the following vote:

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