



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

August 19, 2025

Present: 4 - Supervisor Lee, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, and Supervisor Lavagnino
Absent: 1 - Supervisor Nelson

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICE

File Reference No. 25-00724

RE: HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding a response to the 2024-2025 Grand Jury Report on Cannabis Taxation and Expenditures, as follows: (EST. TIME: 25 MIN.)

- a) Consider and adopt the responses as the Board of Supervisors' response to the 2024-2025 Grand Jury report entitled "Cannabis Taxation and Expenditure";
- b) Authorize the Chair to sign the letter and forward the letter and responses to the Presiding Judge of Santa Barbara Superior Court; and
- c) Determine pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines 15378(b)(5) that the above actions are not a project subject to CEQA review, because they are government administrative activities that do not result in direct or indirect physical changes to the environment.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE

HEARING TIME: 11:18 AM - 11:31 AM (13 MIN.)

Received and filed staff presentation and conducted a public hearing.

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

- a) Considered and adopted;
- b) Authorized; Chair to execute; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 4 - Supervisor Lee, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, and Supervisor Lavagnino

Absent: 1 - Supervisor Nelson