

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

A RESOLUTION TO RATIFY AN ORDINANCE OF THE MONTECITO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WHICH ADOPTED BY REFERENCE AND AMENDED THE 2013 CALIFORNIA FIRE CODE AND APPENDIX CHAPTERS AND APPENDIX STANDARDS PRESCRIBING REGULATIONS GOVERNING CONDITIONS HAZARDOUS TO LIFE AND PROPERTY FROM FIRE, HAZARDOUS MATERIALS OR EXPLOSION; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS FOR HAZARDOUS USES OR OPERATIONS; ESTABLISHING A BUREAU OF FIRE PREVENTION AND PROVIDING OFFICERS THEREFOR AND DEFINING THEIR POWERS AND DUTIES WITHIN THE DISTRICT; AMENDING SECTION R313 OF THE CALIFORNIA RESIDENTIAL CODE; AMENDING SECTION 1505 OF THE 2013 CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE; AND REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2010-1.

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

**RECITALS**

- a. On January 22, 2014, the Montecito Fire Protection District adopted Ordinance No. 2013-01. Ordinance No. 2013-01 adopted building standards relating to fire and panic safety that are more stringent than those building standards contained in the 2013 California Fire Code, California Residential Code and 2013 California Building Code. A copy of Ordinance No. 2013-01 is attached to this resolution and incorporated by reference.
- b. The Montecito Fire Protection District adopted findings in Section 12 of Ordinance No. 2013-01, which provide that the adoption of the Ordinance is

reasonably necessary because of local climatic, geological or topographical conditions. The findings were adopted in accordance with Health & Safety Code Section 13869.7.

- c. In accordance with Health and Safety Code Section 13869.7(c) the Board of Supervisors may ratify, modify or deny Montecito Fire Protection District's Ordinance No. 2013-01.
- d. Upon ratification of Ordinance No. 2013-01, the County shall submit a copy of this resolution and Ordinance No. 2013-01 with the findings set forth in Section 12, to the California Department of Housing and Community Development.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors resolves as follows:

The Montecito Fire Protection District's Ordinance No. 2013-01 is ratified.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSENT:  
ABSTAIN:

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Chair, Board of Supervisors  
County of Santa Barbara

ATTEST:  
MONA MIYASATO  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

Approved as to Form:  
MICHAEL C. GHIZZONI  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

By 