

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Santa Barbara County Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

FROM: Community Services Department

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(s): N/A

Case No.: N/A

Location: Santa Barbary County

Project Title: 2013-2015 Subrecipient Agreement with Good Samaritan Shelter for Supportive Housing Program Grant

Project Description: Authorized by the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act, the Supportive Housing Program, part of the Continuum of Care (CoC) Homeless Assistance Programs, is designed to promote the development of supportive housing and supportive services to assist homeless individuals and families in their transition from homelessness and enable them to live as independently as possible. The County of Santa Barbara submitted a consolidated application to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for homeless assistance funding through the CoC Homeless Assistance Programs. The consolidated application included a new project application for Lompoc Transformative Housing to be administered by Good Samaritan Shelter which was recently selected by HUD for final funding. The Subreceptient Agreement will provide Good Samaritan Shelter funds for project administration and service delivery of transitional housing to homeless families in compliance with federal and local requirements for the period of 10-1-13 to 9-30-15.

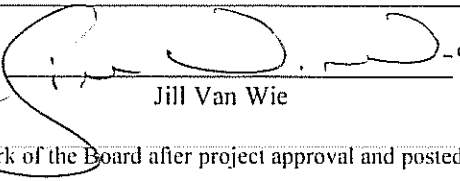
Exempt Status:

☒ No Possibility of Significant Effect [§15061(b,3)]

Cite specific CEQA Guideline Section: 15061(b)(3); the activities are covered by the general rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment, and where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activities in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activities are not subject to CEQA.

Reasons to support exemption findings (attach additional material, if necessary):

Approval of an agreement for pass-through funding for homeless transitional housing assistance does not result in a direct physical impact to the environment.

Department/Division Representative 

Jill Van Wie

Date: November 5, 2013

Note: A copy must be filed with the County Clerk of the Board after project approval and posted by the Clerk of the Board for a period of 30 days.

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