

May 18, 2015

Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors 105 East Anapamu Street Santa Barbara, California 93101

Dear Board Members:

Re: Zone change for the Buellton Library

At the Solvang City Council Meeting of May 11, 2015 Council discussed an agenda item for the possibility of moving the Buellton Library from Zone 2 to Zone 1. After much discussion and with input from the public, a motion was made and seconded in which council approved only conditional support of the move.

In concept the Council believes it would be ideal to have all the libraries in the Santa Ynez Valley in the same zone, however the conditional support is based on the unknown facts of how the change will affect the Solvang Library's per capita allocation, as well as the final budget for for the Solvang Library. The draft budget presented by Santa Barbara Library staff was presented as a very preliminary budget.

Council would be able to give a more educated opinion once all the information becomes available.

Sincerely,

Brad Vidro City Manager