

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors 105 E. Anapamu Street, Suite 407

Santa Barbara, CA 93101

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Department Name: Public Works

Department No.: 054

For Agenda Of: May 3, 2016 Placement: Departmental **Estimated Time:** 20 minutes

Auditor-Controller Concurrence

Continued Item: No

If Yes, date from: Vote Required:

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Department Director Scott D. McGolpin, Public Works Director, 568-3010

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SUBJECT: Report on Public Safety Enhancement on Railroad Tracks by California Operation

Lifesaver; All Supervisorial Districts

County Counsel Concurrence

As to form: Yes As to form: No

Other Concurrence:

As to form: N/A

Recommended Actions:

- a) Receive and file a presentation on Public Safety Enhancement on Railroad Tracks by California Operation Lifesaver; All Districts (20 minutes);
- b) Determine that the proposed actions are administrative and other fiscal activities that do not involve commitment to any specific project, and are therefore not a project as defined by California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15378 (post); and
- c) Approve and direct staff to file the attached Notice of Exemption.

Summary Text:

At the request of Supervisor Carbajal and Supervisor Wolf, California Operation Lifesaver (a 501(c)(3) nonprofit public safety organization) will provide a presentation to your Board containing an overview of efforts taken to reduce the number of deaths and injuries at highway-rail grade crossing intersections and trespassing at railroad rights-of-way.

Attachments:

Attachment A: Notice of Exemption

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