

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

MONTECITO PLANNING COMMISSION

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TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

MONTECITO PLANNING COMMISSION HEARING OF FEBRUARY 21, 2018

RE: Long Range Planning Division Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Work Program

Hearing on the request of the Planning and Development Department Long Range Planning Division staff for the Montecito Planning Commission to receive a report on the Long Range Planning Division's Fiscal Year 2018-2019 Work Program, and direct staff to forward any comments to the Board of Supervisors.

Dear Honorable Members of the Board of Supervisors:

At the Montecito Planning Commission hearing of February 21, 2018, Commissioner Newman moved, seconded by Commissioner Senauer and carried by a vote of 3 to 0 (Keller absent) to recommend that the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Receive a report on the FY 2018-2019 Work Program; and
- 2. Direct staff to forward a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors to:
 - (a) Determine that the Board of Supervisor's action is not a "project" that is subject to environmental review pursuant to the State CEQA Guidelines [§ 15378(b)(5)]; and
 - (b) Allocate the funding and staff resources to:
 - (1) Continue to provide required services, conduct operations, and work on projects with remaining work from the FY 2017-2018 Work Program; and
 - (2) Initiate the staff-recommended new mandated and non-mandated projects set forth in Table 3 of the staff report prepared for the February 21, 2018, Montecito Planning Commission hearing, which would be supported by general fund contributions for the FY 2018-2019 Work Program, yet subject to the following, additional recommendation: commence with the review and the development of new requirements for resiliency for

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Santa Barbara County. Resiliency should be considered: as broadly as possible to include the infrastructure of Santa Barbara County, as well as structural development (e.g., single-family and multi-family dwellings); and in terms of withstanding climate-based events (e.g., flood, fire, and debris flow).

Sincerely,

Secretary to the Montecito Planning Commission

cc: Case File

Planning Commission File Dianne M. Black, Assistant Director Deputy County Counsel Dan Klemann, Deputy Director

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