County of Santa Barbara



Legislation Text

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HEARING - Consider recommendations regarding an Urgency Ordinance for temporary Water Well Permitting related to the drought emergency and Governor's Executive Order (4/5 Vote Required) (EST. TIME: 1 HR.)

- a) Pursuant to California Government Code sections 25123(d) and 25131 and the California Executive Order N -7-22, adopt an Urgency Ordinance to amend Chapter 34A of County Code in order to implement changes to the process for water well permitting in accordance with California Executive Order N-7-22 until the County's Proclamation of Local Emergency Caused by Drought Conditions is terminated and the Executive Order, as may be superseded, is rescinded;
- b) Read the title and waive further reading of Urgency Ordinance; and
- c) Determine that adoption of the Urgency Ordinance is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15269(c), 15061(b)(3), 15307, and 15378(b)(5); and direct staff to file a Notice of Exemption on that basis.

COUNTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION: POLICY