



Legislation Text

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Consider recommendations regarding the Santa Maria Senior Apartments reservation of HOME and or In-Lieu funds, Fifth District, as follows:

- a) Approve a preliminary reservation of County funds for the Santa Maria Senior Apartments project that will: be in an amount not to exceed \$580,000.00; consist of HOME funds and/or In-Lieu Funds in specific amounts to be determined by the Board at a later date; and be released if People's Self Help Housing Corporation does not receive notification of an award of state low-income housing tax credits for the project by October 31, 2016;
- b) Authorize the Director of the Community Services Department to sign a letter to the project applicant indicating the approved reservation; and
- c) Determine that the approval of the reservation is not the approval of a project that is subject to environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15378 (b)(4), finding that the actions are not a project as they are the creation of government funding mechanisms or other government fiscal activities which do not involve any commitment to any specific project which may result in a potentially significant impact on the environment, and direct staff to file a Notice of Exemption.