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AGENDA - Final

Tuesday, March 8, 2022

9:00 AM

Regular Meeting - Hybrid

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- A. ROLL CALL
- B. SALUTE TO THE FLAG
- C. MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA
- D. CONSENT CALENDAR

Board of Supervisors

 Certificates of Recognition for Soroptimist International of Humboldt Bay (Supervisor Virginia Bass)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Ratify the authorization for the Chair to sign the certificates of recognition.

Attachments: Staff Report

Humboldt Bay Soroptimist Winners.pdf

 The Greater Eureka Chamber of Commerce 2021 Business Award Winners (Supervisor Virginia Bass)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Ratify the Chairs signature

Attachments: Staff Report

Greater Eureka Chamber Awards.pdf

3. Letter of Support for SB 1074 (McGuire) Cannabis: Excise Tax: Cultivation Tax. (Supervisor Michelle Bushnell)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Chair to sign the letter of Support

Letter of Support for SB 1074 (McGuire) Cannabis Letter of Support.pdf

SB1074.pdf

SB 1074 Support Letter.pdf

Clerk of the Board

4. Board of Supervisors Teleconferencing Meetings and AB 361: Continuation of Emergency

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Find that the Board has reconsidered the circumstances of the state of emergency that continues to exist, that state or local officials continue to recommend measures for social distancing and the current Covid-19 emergency related to in-person meetings continues to present an imminent risk to health and safety of attendees.

2. Authorize the Chair to sign the resolution re-authorizing remote teleconference

meetings for the period of March 8, 2022 through April 5, 2022.

Attachments: Staff Report

AB 361 Resolution.docx

AB 361 Reauthorizing Resolution.pdf

Resolution 22-29.pdf

5. Appoint Tammy Brown to Fill the Vacancy on the Headwaters Fund Board (HFB)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Appoint Tammy Brown to fill the vacant seat on the Headwaters Fund Board.

Attachments: Staff Report

HFB Roster 030822.doc

6. Notice of At-Large Vacancy on the North Coast Railroad Authority Board

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive and file the report

Attachments: Staff Report

NCRAMarks030822.pdf

County Administrative Office

7. Project Trellis Actions Concerning Board Liaison, Emergency Grants and Equity Grant Funding

Recommendation: That t

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Receive and approve the revised Bylaws and adopt the attached resolution amending Resolution 21-05 adding a Board liaison to the Project Trellis Committee;
- 2. Approve the slate of emergency micro-grant awards and authorize the County Administrative Officer, or designee, to sign the emergency micro-grant agreements when completed, after review and approval by County Counsel and Risk Management; and
- 3. Adopt the attached resolution authorizing the State of California Cannabis Equity Act Grant Funding and authorize the County Administrative Officer to execute the grant agreement and any subsequent amendments with the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development for cannabis equity grant funding.

Attachments:

Staff Report

Revised Project Trellis Committee Bylaws.pdf

Revised Project Trellis Committee Bylaws_Redline.pdf

Resolution 22- to Amend Resolution 22-05.pdf

Resolution 22- to Amend Resolution 22-05 Redline.pdf

Resolution 19-45.pdf

Resolution 20-33.pdf

Resolution 21-06.pdf

Resolution 21-05.pdf

Emergency micro-grant Funding Slate.pdf

Resolution 22- Cannabis Equity Grant funds.pdf

Resolution No. 22-35.pdf

8. Adoption of an Ordinance of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt Amending Sections 712-2(b) and 712-3 of Chapter 2, Division 1 of Title VII to the Humboldt County Code Relating to the Transient Occupancy Tax and Placement of the Ordinance on June 7, 2022, Ballot.

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Adopt Ordinance No. _____, Amending Sections 712-2(b) and 712-3 of Chapter 2, Division 1 of Title VII to the Humboldt County Code Relating to the Transient Occupancy Tax (Attachment 2); and
- 2. Approve the attached resolution and ballot statement (Attachment 4) to Amend the Transient Occupancy Tax (TOT) to be placed before the voters of Humboldt County on June 7, 2022.

Attachment 1 - Board Report from March 1, 2022.pdf

Attachment 2 - TOT Amendment Ordinance.docx

Attachment 3 - post adoption summary.pdf
Attachment 4 - TOT Ballot Resolution.docx

Ordinance No. 2690.pdf

9. Appointment of Interim Human Resources Director

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Accept the resignation of Darlene Rhodes, Interim Human Resources Director,

effective Friday, Feb. 25, 2022; and

2. Appoint Zachary O'Hanen to the position of Interim Human Resources Director, effective Mar. 6, 2022, and continuing until the appointment of a

permanent Human Resources Director is made.

Attachments: Staff Report

Department of Health and Human Services: Public Health

10. Work Order Agreement with Heluna Health Regarding the Provision of COVID-19 Surveillance Testing Services and Supplemental Budget (4/5 Vote Required)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve, and authorize the Department of Health and Human Services - Public

Health Director, or a designee thereof, to execute, the attached work order agreement with Heluna Health regarding the provision of COVID-19 surveillance

testing services for the period of August 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022;

2. Authorize the Department of Health and Human Services - Public Health

Director, or a designee thereof, to execute any and all subsequent amendments to, and any other documents directly associated with, the attached work order agreement with Heluna Health, after review and approval by County Counsel,

Risk Management and the County Administrative Office;

3. Direct the Clerk of the Board to return one (1) fully executed copy of the attached work order agreement with Heluna Health to the Department of Health

and Human Services - Contract Unit for further processing; and

4. Approve the attached supplemental budget in the amount of \$250,000 for

Department of Health and Human Services - Public Health Emergency

Preparedness budget unit 1175-455 (4/5 vote required).

Attachments: Staff Report

Work Order Agreement With Heluna Health

Supplemental Budget

Human Resources

11. Adoption of Amended and Retitled Job Classification of Behavioral Health Medical Director (M&C)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt the amended and retitled job classification of Behavioral Health Medical Director (Attachment 2) (class 0902, unit 008, replacing Mental Health Medical Director) into the salary range and classification plan effective immediately; and 2. Adopt Resolution No.______ (Attachment 1) approving 1) the amendment of the January 1, 2022 - December 31, 2024 Compensation Plans for Management & Confidential Employees 2) a Comprehensive Compensation Schedule and

Classification Summary effective March 20, 2022 (Attachment 3).

Attachments: Staff Report

Resolution.docx

Behavioral Health Medical Director Classification Specification.docx

2022-03-20 Comprehensive Compensation Schedule and Classification Summary.pc

Resolution 22-30.pdf

Public Works

12. Consultant Services Agreement with Mark Thomas and Company, Inc. Regarding the Provision of On-Call Engineering and/or Environmental Services

Recommendation:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Approve the selection of Mark Thomas and Company, Inc. as the consulting firm to provide on-call engineering and/or environmental services;
- 2. Approve and authorize the Chair of the Board to execute, the attached consultant services agreement with Mark Thomas and Company, Inc. regarding the provision of on-call engineering and/or environmental services;
- 3. Authorize the Public Works Director, or a designee thereof, to execute any and all future task orders issued pursuant to the terms and conditions of the attached consultant services agreement with Mark Thomas and Company, Inc., after review and approval by County Counsel and Risk Management; and
- 4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to return one (1) fully executed original copy of the attached consultant services agreement with Mark Thomas and Company, Inc. to the Department of Public Works for further processing.

Final Ranking Letter DPW2021-001 On-call Engr & Envr 2021-11-23.pdf

FY 21-22 Mark Thomas and Company On-Call Engineering and Environmental Ser

COI 2022 Mark Thomas Gen Auto WC.pdf

COI 2022 Mark Thomas Pro.pdf

Agreement for Consultant Services - Mark Thompson0001.pdf

13. California Climate Investments Fire Prevention Grants Program Project Opportunities

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt the attached resolution authorizing the Humboldt County Department of Public Works Director, or a designee thereof, to apply for, and, if awarded, accept and administer, competitive grant funding made available through the California Climate Investments Fire Prevention Grants Program in order to fund implementation of actions identified in the Humboldt County Community Wildfire

Protection Plan:

- 2. Adopt the attached resolution authorizing the Humboldt County Department of Public Works Director, or a designee thereof, to accept and administer noncompetitive grant funding made available through the California Climate Investments Fire Prevention Grants Program in order to support wildfire mitigation in the greater Willow Creek area of Humboldt County; and
- 3. Direct the Clerk of the Board to provide one (1) fully executed certified copy of each attached resolution to the Humboldt County Department of Public Works for submission to the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.

Attachments: Staff Report

Attachment 1-Resolution Re California Climate Investment Fire Prevention Grant I
Attachment 2-Resolution Re California Climate Investment Fire Prevention Grant I

Attachment 3-Support Letter from CAL FIRE for Direct Funding Award.pdf

Resolution No. 22-28.pdf Resolution No. 22-27.pdf

Sheriff

14. Resolution Recognizing, Endorsing and Accepting Support and Delegation of Authority for the Sheriff, Undersheriff and Deputy Director to accept gifts and donations from the Northern California Coalition to Safeguard Communities (4/5 Vote Required)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt Resolution No. _____ recognizing, endorsing, and accepting the technical and financial support provided to Humboldt County by the Northern California Coalition to Safeguard Communities (Coalition) in an effort to address criminal

activities associated with the illegal cultivation of cannabis by drug trafficking

organizations (Attachment 1) (4/5 Vote Required); and

2. Authorize the Sheriff, Undersheriff, and Deputy Director of Sheriff's

Administration to accept or reject any single gift, bequest or donation made to or in favor of the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office from the Coalition of any value with the combined total of all donations not to exceed \$600,000 over the next 4

years.

Attachments: Staff Report

Resolution

Policy for Accepting Gifts on the Part of the County

Resolution No. 22-32.pdf

Treasurer/Tax Collector

15. Resolution to Auction Tax-Defaulted Properties

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve Resolution # , approving the sale of properties which are

tax-defaulted and subject to sale (Attachment 1); and

2. Approve the Treasurer-Tax Collector to re-offer, within 90 days of the original sale date, any unsold parcels in accordance with Revenue and Taxation Code,

section 3698.5; and

3. Direct the Clerk of the Board to provide the Treasurer-Tax Collector with one

certified copy of the Resolution by March 15, 2022.

Attachments: Staff Report

Resolution for 2021.2022 Auction

Auction Properties 2021 2022 Authorization and Report For Sale

Resolution 22-33.pdf

E. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

DHHS: Public Health

1. Update on Local Conditions Surrounding COVID-19

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Receive a report from Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) -

Public Health regarding the current status of novel coronavirus (COVID-19) in

Humboldt County.

Attachments: Staff Report

F. ITEMS PULLED FROM CONSENT

G. MATTERS INITIATED BY BOARD MEMBERS

H. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

County Administrative Office

1. Mid-Year Budget Review for Fiscal Year 2021-22 and Budget Outlook for FY 2022-23

Recommendation: T

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Receive and file a review of the current fiscal year (FY) 2021-22 and projected FY 2022-23 budget year;
- 2. Direct the County Administrative Officer (CAO) to prepare the FY 2022-23 budget based on the following parameters:
- a. Set departmental allocations from the General Fund at FY 2021-22 level with a department adjustment for projected salary & benefit increases (average of all departments is 16%);
- b. Limit requests for additional General Fund appropriations to one-time urgent requests only;
- c. Set the annual departmental contribution to Public Agency Retirement Services (PARS) to 2% of salaries and direct staff to return with an update on the status of the county's pension funding policy, including Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB); and
- d. Provide direction to staff on actions to close the FY 2022-23 projected General Fund budget deficit.
- 3. Provide additional direction to staff as appropriate.

Attachments:

Staff Report

Attachment 1: Budget Calendar 22-23 With Measure Z.docx

2. Vaccination and Testing Policy and Authorization to Enter into An Agreement for Contact Tracing and Other Services

Recommendation:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Adopt a Vaccination and Testing Policy (Attachment 1) that will be a substantially similar version containing minor edits approved by the County Administrative Officer (CAO) and County Counsel following final meet and confers with applicable employee bargaining groups, and return a final version to the Clerk of the Board to file;
- 2. Approve delaying implementation and authorize the Employee Policy Group, consisting of the CAO, Sheriff, County Counsel and Human Resources, to determine if and when the policy should be implemented and expire, with a

requirement that bargaining groups are engaged as required per the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act prior to implementation, and the Board is notified of

any changes;

3. Authorize the County Administrative Officer (CAO) to execute a cooperative purchasing agreement with Maximus not to exceed \$260,388 for contact tracing and other services to implement the Board's direction, after approval from Risk

Management and County Counsel.

Attachments: Staff Report

Attachment 1 - Vaccination and Testing Policy Final.pdf

Attachment 2 - Draft Schedule of Rates.pdf

3. Resolution Suspending a Portion of Cultivation Year 2021 Due in Tax Year 2022 Cannabis Excise Tax and Deferring Certain Dates and Penalties

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

> 1. Adopt the resolution and direct the Treasurer-Tax Collector for cultivation year 2021, collected in tax year 2022, to bill and collect the Cannabis Excise Tax at a rate of 15% of the currently authorized rates, with the remaining 85% of the tax suspended for the 2022 billing cycle; and

> 2. As set forth in the resolution, direct the Treasurer-Tax Collector to not assess fees for late payment of the October 2021 excise tax installment (cultivation year 2020 2nd installment collected in tax year 2021), so long as all taxes are paid by

Sept. 15, 2022.

Attachments: Staff Report

Att. 1 Resolution Measure S Reduction.docx

Resolution 22-34.pdf

Sheriff

4. Compensation Range Increase for Humboldt County Sheriff's Office Supervising Correctional Deputies (4/5 Vote Required)

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

> 1. Approve an increase of the compensation range for Class 0420 Supervising Correctional Deputy by 12% or 24 salary ranges effective the first full pay period in April 2022 (4/5 Vote Required) This action is not recommended by the County

Administrative Office: and

2. Instruct Human Resources and Payroll to make the approved changes to the class and compensation tables effective the first full pay period in April 2022.

Attachments: Staff Report

I. PUBLIC HEARINGS

Planning and Building Department

1. North McKay Ranch Subdivision Project

General Plan Amendment, Zone Reclassification, Tentative Subdivision Map, Planned Unit Development, Development Agreement, and Special Permit

APNs: 017-032-003, 017-071-004, 017-071-009, 017-072-002, 017-072-003, 017-073-007,

017-073-009 and 303-012-020 Record No.: PLN-9902-GPA

Recommendation:

That the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Introduce by title Ordinance No. ___ (Attachment 2b-i) Amending Section 311-7 of the Humboldt County Code by Rezoning Property in the Cutten Area (PLN-9902-GPA (Fairhaven Cottages, LLC)), amending the zoning map and changing 2.2 acres from R-1 Single Family Residential Zoning with overlays for Planned Development, Recreation and Greenway and Open Space with overlays for Planned Development, Recreation and Greenway and Open Space to Neighborhood Commercial (C-1) and changing 18.5 acres from R-1 Single Family Residential Zoning with overlays for Planned Development, Recreation and Greenway and Open Space to with overlays for Planned Development, Recreation and Greenway and Open Space to Apartment-Professional (R-4); and 2. Introduce by title Ordinance No. ___ (Attachment 3) Approving the Development Agreement between Kramer Properties Inc. and the County of Humboldt for the North McKay Ranch Subdivision Project, and waive the first reading; and
- 3. Set Ordinance No. ____ (Attachment 3) Approving the Development Agreement between Kramer Properties Inc. and the County of Humboldt for the North McKay Ranch Subdivision Project for adoption on March 15, 2022, or at least 1 week away from the date of the Board of Supervisors meeting at which the Ordinance is first introduced; and
- 4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to publish the pre-adoption summary of the Ordinance (Attachment 3C), and to post a certified copy of the full text of the proposed Ordinance in the office of the Clerk of the Board, both publication and posting to be done at least 5 days prior to the Board meeting at which the Ordinance will be adopted. [Government Code Section 25124 (b)(1)]; and
- 5. Direct the Clerk of the Board, within 15 days after adoption of the Ordinance, to publish a post-adoption summary of the ordinance (Attachment 3D) with the names of the Supervisors voting for and against the Ordinance, and to post in the office of the Clerk of the Board a certified copy of the full text of the adopted Ordinance and amendments along with the names of those Supervisors voting for and against the Ordinance. [Government Code Section 25124 (b)(1)]; and
- 6. Open the public hearing and receive the staff report, testimony by the applicant and public; and
- 7. Close the public hearing; and

8. Adopt the Resolution 22 (Attachment 1) Adopting Findings for
Certification of the Final Environmental Impact Report, Certifying the Final
Environmental Impact Report, Adopting the Statement of Overriding
Considerations, and Adopting the Mitigation and Monitoring and Reporting
Program for the project, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act;
and
9. Adopt the Resolution 22 (Attachment 2a) adopting findings in support of
the General Plan Amendment and approving the General Plan Amendment to
change 18.5 acres of land designated as Residential low Density to residential
Medium Density and 2.2 acres of land designated as Residential Low Density to
Commercial General; and
10. Adopt the Resolution 22 (Attachment 2b) adopting findings in support
of the Zone Reclassification; and
11. Adopt Ordinance No (Attachment 2b-i) redesignating zone districts
within the project boundary; and
12. Adopt the Resolution 22 (Attachment 2) adopting findings in support of
the Tentative Subdivision Map, Planned Unit Development and Special Permit and
approving the Tentative Subdivision Map, Planned Unit Development and Special
Permit; and
13. Direct the Clerk of the Board, within 15 days after adoption of the Ordinance
redesignating zone districts within the project boundary (Attachment 2b-i), to
publish a post-adoption summary of the ordinance (Attachment 2b-ii) with the
names of the Supervisors voting for and against the Ordinance, and to post in the
office of the Clerk of the Board a certified copy of the full text of the adopted
Ordinance and amendments along with the names of those Supervisors voting for
and against the Ordinance.

Attachment 1A - Draft EIR north mckay ranch subdivision project.pdf

Attachment 1 - McKay CEQA BOS Reso findings (1)[54].docx

Attachment 1B McKay Ranch Partial Recirc DEIR OCR.pdf

Attachment 1C N McKay Ranch Subdivision FEIR.pdf

Attachment 1D FEIR.Errata 1.docx

Attachment 1E MMRP.docx

Attachment 2a McKay GPA BOS Resolution.docx

Attachment 2 - McKay Entitlement BOS Resolution (1).docx

Attachment 2b McKay Rezone BOS Resolution (1).docx

Attachment 2b-i - Ordinance, Zone District Reclassification.docx

Attachment 2b-ii Post Adoption of Ordinance.docx

Attachment 3 - DA Ordinance (2).docx

Attachment 3B McKay DA Exhibits.pdf

Attachment 3A McKay DA 2-25-22.docx

Attachment 3c DA Pre-Adoption summary.docx

Attachment 3D DA Post-Adoption Summary.docx

Attachment 4 PC - Mckay Staff Report 1.6.22.pdf

Attachment 4a - PC Supplemental #1 9902 McKay 1.06.22.pdf

Attachment 4b - PC 1.06.22 Public comments on McKay.pdf

Attachment 5 - McKay DA PC Staff Report 02.03.22

Attachment 6 - PC Resolutions.pdf

Attachment 7 - Public Comments post PC 2.03.22 meeting.pdf

J. DISCUSSION ITEMS

K. MATTERS SET FOR TIME CERTAIN

L. PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS - 1:30 PM

M. CLOSED SESSION

1. Conference with Legal Counsel - Pursuant to Government Code section 54954.5 and 54957 to consider Public Employee Appointment for the position of the Agricultural Commissioner

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