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**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
825 FIFTH STREET
EUREKA, CA 95501
SUPERVISORS' CHAMBER, FIRST FLOOR**

ACTION SUMMARY

Friday, September 18, 2020

10:00 AM

Special Meeting

In accordance with Executive Order N-29-20 the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors meetings will be held virtually until further notice.

Email Public Comment:

To submit public comment to the Board please email cob@co.humboldt.ca.us, provide your name and the agenda item number(s) on which you wish to comment. All public comment submitted after the agenda has been published will be included with the administrative record after the fact.

Zoom Public Comment:

When the Board of Supervisors announce the agenda item that you wish to comment on, call the conference line and turn off your TV or live stream. Please call 669-900-9128, enter Meeting ID 973 1821 8271 and press star () 9 on your phone, this will raise your hand. You'll continue to hear the Board meeting on the call.*

When it is time for public comment on the item you wish to speak on, the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors staff will unmute your phone. You'll hear a prompt that will indicate your phone is unmuted. Staff will then ask you to state your name and begin your comment. You will have 3 minutes to comment.

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A. SALUTE TO THE FLAG

B. CONSENT CALENDAR

Public Works

1. Humboldt County Correctional Facility and Courthouse Battery Energy Storage Project

Recommendation: That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Waive the requirements of the Humboldt County Nuclear-Free Ordinance with regard to the attached energy products purchase, operation and maintenance, non-disclosure and release of information agreements with Tesla, Inc.;
2. Approve, and authorize the Chair of the Board to execute, the attached energy products purchase, operation and maintenance, non-disclosure and release of information, agreements with Tesla, Inc., proposed system information attestations and reservation request forms regarding the Humboldt County Correctional Facility and Courthouse Battery Energy Storage Project;
3. Authorize the Public Works Director to execute any and all subsequent amendments to the attached energy products purchase, operation and maintenance, non-disclosure and release of information agreements with Tesla Inc., and any additional attestations, reservation requests, certifications, no-cost technical agreements and other documents that are required to implement the Humboldt County Correctional Facility and Courthouse Battery Energy Storage Project, after review and approval by County Counsel, Risk Management and the County Administrative Office;
4. Direct the Clerk of the Board to return two (2) fully executed original copies of the attached energy products purchase, operation and maintenance, non-disclosure and release of information agreements with Tesla, Inc., proposed system information attestations and reservation request forms to the Department of Public Works for further processing; and
5. Direct Department of Public Works staff to file the attached Notice of Exemption, which states that the Humboldt County Correctional Facility and Courthouse Battery Energy Storage Project is exempt from environmental review, with the Humboldt County Clerk in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act.

A motion was made by Supervisor Bass, seconded by Supervisor Wilson, that the recommendations be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Rex Bohn, Estelle Fennell, Virginia Bass, Mike Wilson, and Steve Madrone

C. CLOSED SESSION

- 1. Conference with Labor Negotiator - Pursuant to Government Code section 54957.6 it is the intention of the Board of Supervisors to meet in closed session to review the County's position and instruct its designated labor negotiators. Labor negotiators: Kelly Barns, Elishia Hayes and Jack Hughes. Employee Organizations (represented and unrepresented): American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME local 1684), Humboldt County Attorneys Association, Humboldt Deputy Sheriffs Organization (Law Enforcement Non-Management Unit), Humboldt Deputy Sheriffs Organization (Law Enforcement Management Unit), Elected and Appointed Department Heads, and Management and Confidential employees.

The Board of Supervisors met in conference with Labor Negotiator - Pursuant to Government Code section 54957.6 the Board of Supervisors met in closed session to review the County's position and instruct its designated labor negotiators. Labor negotiators: Kelly Barns, Elishia Hayes and Jack Hughes. Employee Organizations (represented and unrepresented): American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME local 1684), Humboldt County Attorneys Association, Humboldt Deputy Sheriffs Organization (Law Enforcement Non-Management Unit), Humboldt Deputy Sheriffs Organization (Law Enforcement Management Unit), Elected and Appointed Department Heads, and Management and Confidential employees. There was no action to report.

D. ADJOURNMENT

I, RYAN SHARP, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of Humboldt, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true, and correct original record of the above entitled meeting of the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors held in Eureka, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Board of Supervisors.

*RYAN SHARP
Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt, State of California*

[Handwritten Signature]

SEPTEMBER 18, 2020




MINUTES
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2020
Special Meeting

The Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt met in special session on the above date within the Humboldt County Courthouse, Eureka, California. The minutes of this meeting were approved on Tuesday, September 29, 2020 with the vote as shown below.

AYES: Supervisors: Fennell, Bohn, Madrone, Wilson, Bass
NAYS: Supervisors: --
ABSENT: Supervisors: --
ABSTAIN: Supervisors: --



RYAN SHARP
Deputy Clerk of the Board



ESTELLE FENNELL
Chair of the Board