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Agenda: May 5, 1998

Board of Supervisors  
County of Santa Cruz  
701 Ocean Street  
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SUBJECT:, On-Line Environmental Impact Reports

Members of the Board:

On May 6, 1997, your Board considered a report submitted by the Planning Department and Information Services regarding placement of Environmental Impact Reports (EIRs) on the internet. At that time, your Board directed the Planning Department to report back on this agenda on various issues related to this topic. The Planning Department was originally charged with including a request for estimates from consultants submitting proposals to prepare EIRs regarding the costs associated with developing these documents in an internet-ready form. Only two EIRs have been prepared over the past year and the Planning Department is in the process of polling EIR consultants in order to provide a more representative sampling of these costs. This information will be available for consideration by your Board on June 9, 1998.

It is therefore RECOMMENDED that your Board defer consideration of this item until June 9, 1998.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Alvin D. James.

ALVIN D. JAMES  
Planning Director

RECOMMENDED:

Handwritten signature of Susan A. Mauriello.

SUSAN A. MAURIELLO  
County Administrative Officer