

AGENDA: AUGUST 4, 1998

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS,

COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ

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SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
701 Ocean Street
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ENGINEERING CONSULTING SERVICES ON THE AMESTI
ROAD DEWATERING PROJECT - DELAY LETTER

Members of the Board:

On June 2, 1998, your Board authorized Public Works to request proposals from several qualified firms for the subject engineering project. At that time Public Works indicated that we would return to your Board on this date to request authorization to contract with one of these firms for the dewatering stabilization of the Amesti Road area near Crow Road.

In order to allow the consultants additional time necessary to complete their proposals, we are now requesting a delay in our return before your Board on the subject project. This will allow Public Works more time to complete its review of the proposals and conduct the ensuing contract cost negotiations.

It is therefore recommended that the Board of Supervisors take the following action:

1. Authorize a delay in Public Works' return to the Board on the request to hire an engineering consultant for the Amesti Road Dewatering Project.
2. Direct Public Works to return to the Board for contract approval on or before August 25, 1998.

Yours truly,

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Director of Public Works

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, RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:

County Administrative Officer

copy to: Public Works
Browns Valley Road Association