

County of Santa Cruz

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October 13, 1998

Agenda:

October 20, 1998

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS County of Santa Cruz 70 1 Ocean Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

WELFARE FRAUD SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS UNIT

Dear Members of the Board:

During budget hearings in June 1998, the Human Resources Agency (HRA) provided your Board with a report on the impact of welfare reform on fraud investigations and a recommendation that the Special Investigations Unit (SIU) be retained within the agency. At that time, your Board directed HRA to report back on the organizational placement of SIU and the impact of welfare reform on fraud investigations. The purpose of this letter is to request a one week extension of this report-back.

IT IS THEREFORE RECOMMENDED that your Board defer the report-back on the organizational placement of SIU and the impact of welfare reform on fraud investigations to your October 27, 1998 meeting.

Very truly yours,

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Cecilia Espinola Administrator

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RECOMMENDED: 2. Maurillo a

Susan A. Mauriello County Administrative Officer