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December 9, 1999

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
701 Ocean Street
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SUBJECT: FAIRWAY DRIVE ROAD BUMPS

Members of the Board:

In response to your Board's directions on December 7, 1999, the Department of Public Works has delayed the construction of the subject road bumps until your Board can consider the matter at today's meeting. We have reviewed the petition of affirmation from the proponents of the traffic calming plan and have confirmed that they represent a *majority* of the affected properties (50.5%). This includes the three new residences constructed *after* the map of the affected area and petition had been prepared and circulated. Moreover, an overwhelming majority of those properties immediately adjacent to Fairway Drive in the area where the speeding problem now exists and the bumps are to be placed, support the plan circulated with the petition.


In light of the discussion at the Board's last meeting, the department has made staff available to the Fairway Drive neighbors to assist them in determining if they wished to consider an alternative plan to possibly reduce the number and/or location of the proposed road bumps. However, based on the existing traffic safety and speeding issues, and in view of the majority of the impacted parcels supporting the plan, we would recommend that the Board reiterate its approval of the original plan and allow the installation of the seven road bumps to proceed at this time.

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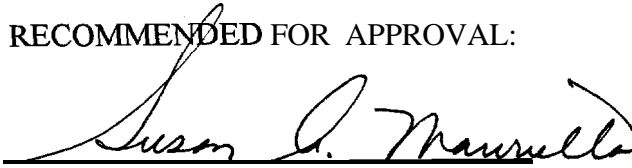
It is therefore recommended that the Board accept and file this report and direct Public Works to proceed with construction of the seven Fairway Drive road bumps by contract with Earthworks.

Yours truly,


for- JOHN A. FANTHAM
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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:


County Administrative Officer *ce*

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