

## County of Santa Cruz

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BARRY C. SAMUEL, DIRECTOR

August 9, 2000

AGENDA: September 12, 2000

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS County of Santa Cruz 701 Ocean Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

SUBJECT: Defer report on the Watsonville Veterans Memorial Building Lease Agreement

Dear Members of the Board,

During budget hearings your Board directed the Parks Department to return on this date with a draft lease agreement with the City of Watsonville for management of the Watsonville Veterans Memorial Building. We have met several times with the City to discuss their interest in the building.

The City of Watsonville Parks Department is presenting a report on the Watsonville Veterans Memorial Building to the City Council today. Under the circumstances, we would like the opportunity to review the City's proposal, meet with the City and report back to your Board on October 10<sup>th</sup>. It is anticipated that by the report back date we will be able to give your Board more details on the interest of the City of Watsonville in leasing the building and a date by which we will be able to bring a draft lease to your Board for review and approval.

It is therefore RECOMMENDED that your Board defer this item until October 10, 2000 at which time the County Parks Department will present a report on the intentions of the City of Watsonville with regard to the Veterans Memorial Building.

Barry C. Samuel

Director

Sincerely,

RECOMMENDED:

SUSAN A. MAURIELLO County Administrative Officer

cc: CAO, County Counsel, Auditor-Tax Collector, Parks