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AGENDA: March 20, 2001

Board of Supervisors
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DEFER AN EVALUATION OF LAND-USE, HOUSING, AND WATER RESOURCE POLICY ISSUES RAISED BY THE NEW WATSONVILLE CITY WATER POLICY

Members of the Board:

On December 5, 2000, your Board accepted a Progress Report on Ongoing Activities To Mitigate Overdraft in the Pajaro Valley and directed staff to report back with an analysis of the City of Watsonville's amended water service policy in areas outside the City of Watsonville. Staff has completed an analysis of the vacant lots in the unincorporated area and an evaluation of the impacts of the amended water service policy. Staff is requesting delaying this report for sixty days to fully and uniformly explore the new policy on land and water resources inside and outside the urban services line with the respective staffs of the City of Watsonville and the Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency. Staff therefore recommends deferring the progress report on water resources management until May 22, 2001.

Sincerely,

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Planning Director

RECOMMENDED

SUSAN A. MAURIELLO
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