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AGENDA: MARCH 20, 2001

March 14, 2001

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

701 Ocean Street
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SUBJECT: AMESTI ROAD RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT REPORT

Members of the Board:

On December 12, 2000, your Board directed the Public Works Department to return to your Board on March 20, 2001, with a status report on the Amesti Road Reconstruction Project. At this time Public Works has contacted the Department of Transportation (CALTRANS) to schedule a required project field review since it is a federally funded project. The Amesti Road construction project now includes \$1,500,000 of State Transportation Improvement Fund revenue, and Public Works must now coordinate its work with CALTRANS Local Programs staff to have these funds authorized for our use. The field review is currently scheduled for later this month.

The Public Works Department's next step will entail interviewing and selecting a qualified geotechnical consultant and design firm to help our engineering staff complete the project design based on previously completed work. In addition, since the reconstruction and the dewatering of the landslide on Amesti Road are closely linked, we would ask your Board to also defer Public Works' April 24, 2001, report back on the dewatering portion of our work.

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

1. Accept and file this report on the Amesti Road Reconstruction Project.

2. Direct Public Works to report back to your Board on May 22, 2001, on the status of the Amesti Road Reconstruction Project and defer the April 24, 2001, report back on the Amesti Road Landslide Dewatering Project until such time.

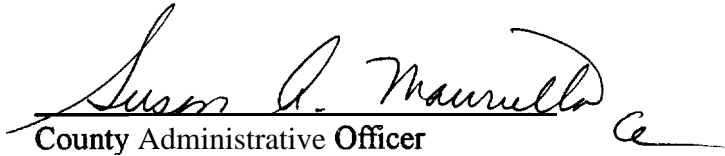
Yours truly,



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RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL:


County Administrative Officer

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