



# County of Santa Cruz

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AGENDA: August 27, 2002

Board of Supervisors  
COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ  
701 Ocean Street  
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### LIVING WAGE ORDINANCE EXEMPTION CRITERIA

Dear Members of the Board:

On June 11, 2002, your Board directed staff to work with the Living Wage Coalition on developing criteria for supporting documentation and guidelines for recommendations for exemptions to the Living Wage ordinance, and to report back in August with the results of that work. Staff from the General Services Department and County Administrative Office have held several productive discussions with the Living Wage Coalition on exemption criteria guidelines and are continuing to share information and ideas in order to further refine the criteria. In order to complete this project and to provide your Board with a comprehensive package for your consideration, we are requesting an extension on the report back on this item until September 17, 2002.

It is therefore RECOMMENDED that your Board defer the report on Living Wage Exemption Criteria until September 17, 2002.

Very truly yours,

RECOMMENDED:

BOB WATSON  
Director

SUSAN A. MAURIELLO  
County Administrative Officer

cc: County Counsel  
All Department Heads  
Coalition for a Living Wage