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LAFCO AGENDA

Wednesday, November 5, 2008

9:30 a.m.

Room 525, 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz

- 1) ROLL CALL
- 2) MINUTES
  - a) September 22, 2008
  - b) October 1, 2008
- 3) ORAL COMMUNICATIONS
  - a) Anyone may briefly address the Commission concerning items not on the agenda.
- 4) PUBLIC HEARING
  - a) Eggleston/Amos Annexation to the San Lorenzo Valley Water District  
LAFCO No. 927
- 5) OTHER BUSINESS
  - a) Resolution Implementing Disapproval of the Formation of Bonny Doon Fire Protection District and Detachment from County Service Area 48  
LAFCO No. 913
  - b) Receipt of Donita Springmeyer's Letter of October 17, 2008 Requesting Reconsideration of the Formation of Bonny Doon Fire Protection District and Detachment from County Service Area 48  
LAFCO No. 913; and Discussion Regarding Schedule of Regular and Special Meetings in Remainder of 2008
  - c) Meeting Schedule for 2009
  - d) Status of Proposals
- 6) WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE
  - a) Chairperson Rapoza's Letter Responding to 2007-2008 Final Report of the Grand Jury

## 7) PRESS ARTICLES

### Pajaro Valley Water

- a) October 9 Pajaronian article:  
Water recycling project about 95 percent complete
- b) October 10 Sentinel article:  
State pulls \$6.8 million from Pajaro Valley water pipeline plan
- c) October 10 Pajaronian article:  
PVWMA gets funding scare
- d) October 16 Sentinel article:  
Farm Bureau weighs in on P.V. water agency funding
- e) October 16 Pajaronian article:  
Farm Bureau announces its support of PVWMA
- f) October 16 Pajaronian article:  
PVWMA pleased with Farm Bureau giving its support

### Miscellaneous Water

- g) October 3 Press Banner article:  
Scotts Valley just made it a little tougher to waste clean water

### City of Watsonville

- h) October 5 Sentinel letter to the editor:  
Dale Skillicorn: Clearing the air on Atkinson Lane
- i) October 5 Sentinel letter to the editor:  
Judy Doering-Nielsen: Time for Watsonville to stand up for its residents

### Miscellaneous

- j) September 30 Sentinel article:  
Public can weigh in on UCSC housing project
- k) October 13 Media News article:  
Political wrangling snuffs out efforts to improve fire safety in state

## 8) ADJOURNMENT

The next scheduled meeting will be set under item 5b of this agenda.

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