

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 4, 2023, the Local Agency Formation Commission of Santa Cruz County (LAFCO) will hold public hearings on the following:

- "County Service Area 54 Dissolution" (Project No. DDI 22-17): The Commission will consider initiating the mandatory dissolution of CSA 54 in accordance with Government Code Section 56879. CSA 54 encompasses the Summit West community located in the Santa Cruz Mountains south of Summit Road and west of Highway 17. The Commission will hold an additional public hearing within 90 days following the adoption of the initiating resolution to consider the dissolution of CSA 54 as an inactive district.
- "Pajaro Valley Health Care District Sphere Designation" (Project No. SA 22-18): The Commission will consider the adoption of a sphere of influence for the new district in accordance with Senate Bill 418 and Government Code Section 56425. The district's jurisdictional boundary primarily follows the boundaries of the Pajaro Valley Unified School District with certain exclusions and involves territories within the counties of Monterey and Santa Cruz. In compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), LAFCO staff has prepared a Categorical Exemption for this report.

Due to COVID-19 State of Emergency currently in place, this meeting will be conducted as a teleconference pursuant to the provisions of the Governor's Executive Orders and Assembly Bill 361, which suspend certain requirements of the Ralph M. Brown Act. Members of the public are encouraged to participate remotely. Instructions to participate remotely are available in the Agenda and Agenda Packet: <u>https://santacruzlafco.org/meetings/</u>

During the meeting, the Commission will consider oral or written comments from any interested person. Maps, written reports, environmental review documents and further information can be obtained by contacting LAFCO's staff at (831) 454-2055 or from LAFCO's website at <u>www.santacruzlafco.org</u>. LAFCO does not discriminate on the basis of disability, and no person shall, by reason of a disability, be denied the benefits of its services, programs or activities. If you wish to attend this meeting and you will require special assistance in order to participate, please contact the LAFCO office at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting to make arrangements.

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Joe A. Serrano Executive Officer Date: December 13, 2022