Board of Supervisors

Meeting Time: 06-24-25 09:00

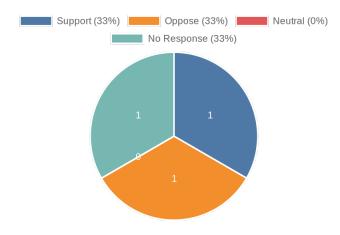
eComments Report

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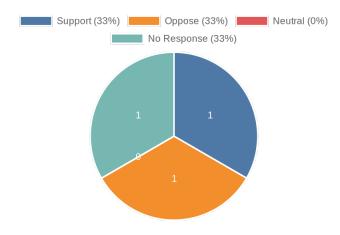
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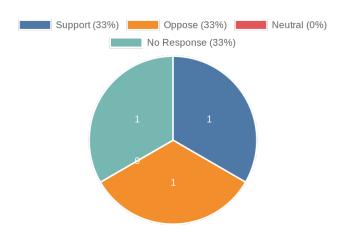
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Overall Sentiment



Daniel Fitzgerald

Location: 92119, San Diego Submitted At: 9:54am 06-24-25

I would like to express my support for the update in procurement policy as proposed. I work daily with small businesses throughout San Diego county as the Executive Director of the San Diego & Imperial SBDC. The county has done significant work to improve access to contracting for new contractors with the county by local small businesses. This measure as proposed would further that work even more. I want to commend the very indepth work by EDGA and the procurement team at the county. This proposal has been extremely well vetted in the small business community.

Jim OCallaghan

Location: 91910, Chula Vista Submitted At: 9:01am 06-24-25

The South County Economic Development Council representing over 12,000 businesses, nearly one million residents/employees, supports the County of San Diego's efforts to enhance its procurement processes to create greater opportunities for local small businesses.

Our region's business community offers exceptional partners delivering high-quality services while advancing economic opportunity for local residents. We applaud the County's commitment to building a more inclusive and resilient regional economy through meaningful engagement with small businesses, nonprofits, and community-based organizations.

We encourage the County to continue finding innovative ways to level the playing field addressing barriers such as access to information, insurance, bonding, and certification so all businesses, including those historically underrepresented, have a fair chance to compete for County contracts. SCEDC supports these initiatives that will strengthen local business participation.

Paul Henkin

Location: 91902, Bonita Submitted At: 2:16pm 06-20-25

With an unresolved reserve deficit and budgetary funding shortfalls or even claw-backs expected, it is not a good time to spend an estimated \$1.3 million on expanding Board policy A-53.

And the 25% increase the Director of Purchasing & Contracting can make without your permission under Attachment B, San Diego County Code section 401 (c) is too much. There needs to be a dollar limit as well as the percentage.

Furthermore, there are way too many exceptions from competitive procurement in Policy A-87, attachment G, procedure 2 A on page 5.

Policy B-67 seems to be well thought out, though. But please reject and redo the others.