

**COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS - LAND USE
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 01, 2021**

MINUTE ORDER NO. 3

**SUBJECT: ESTABLISH THE WARNER SPRINGS COMMUNITY SPONSOR GROUP
(DISTRICT: 5)**

OVERVIEW

County planning is more responsive to local needs if there is a high level of citizen participation in the planning process. There are currently 27 local advisory planning and sponsor groups representing the communities of the unincorporated area for the purpose of advising the Director of Planning & Development Services, the Zoning Administrator, the Planning Commission, and the Board of Supervisors (Board) in the preparation, amendment and implementation of community and subregional plans, as well as the review of discretionary regulatory projects. These local advisory groups are governed by Board Policy I-1.

Warner Springs residents have requested that a Community Sponsor Group be formed to better represent the community, which currently lies in unrepresented North Mountain Subregional Planning Area. Today's request directs the Chief Administrative Officer to establish the Warner Springs Community Sponsor Group.

RECOMMENDATION(S)

SUPERVISOR JIM DESMOND

Direct the Chief Administrative Officer to:

1. Find that the proposed Board of Supervisors action is not subject to CEQA because it is an organizational or administrative activity of a local government that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment and is therefore not a "project" as defined in Public Resources Code section 21065 and CEQA Guidelines Sections 15378(b)(5) and 15060(c)(3).
2. Establish the Warner Springs Community Sponsor Group and determine that the authorized membership of the Warner Springs Sponsor Group shall be a total of nine (9) authorized members.
3. Initially seats 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 shall hold terms expiring the first Monday after January 1, 2025 and seats 2, 4, 6, 8 shall hold terms expiring the first Monday after January 1, 2023. Thereafter the term for all seats shall be four years.
4. Recognize the Warner Springs Sponsor Group Area as the existing Greater Warner Springs area as depicted in the Greater Warner Springs Community Plan.

EQUITY IMPACT STATEMENT

The establishment of a local sponsor group promotes community inclusion and provides a well needed voice for a specific community's needs.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funds to establish the Warner Springs Community Sponsor Group are included in the FY 2021-22 Operational Plan and include \$10,000 of staff time and services and supplies. The funding sources are General Purpose Revenue and discretionary project review fees. On-going costs will be included in

future operational plans for the Department of Planning & Development Services. There will be no change in net General Fund cost and no additional staff years.

BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT

N/A

ACTION:

ON MOTION of Supervisor Fletcher, seconded by Supervisor Vargas, the Board of Supervisors took action as recommended.

AYES: Vargas, Anderson, Lawson-Remer, Fletcher, Desmond

State of California)
County of San Diego) §

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Original entered in the Minutes of the Board of Supervisors.

ANDREW POTTER
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors



Signed
by Andrew Potter