

AGENDA REPORT Consent | Action

August 5, 2019

TO: Commissioners

Keene Simonds, Executive Officer FROM:

Ruth Arellano, Executive Assistant

**SUBJECT:** Service Commendations |

Past Members of the Special Districts Advisory Committee

# **SUMMARY**

The San Diego Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) will recognize the service contributions for two past members – Erin Lump and John Pastore – of the Special Districts Advisory Committee. This recognition follows the two members' recent departure from the Committee and involves the adoption of draft commendation resolutions. Staff recommends adoption of the draft commendation resolutions for presentation to the two members off dais at a future Committee meeting.

# **BACKGROUND**

# **Special Districts Advisory Committee**

The Special Districts Advisory Committee was created in August 1971 by San Diego LAFCO and consists of 16 members collectively drawn from the current 58 independent special districts in San Diego County. Members serve four-year terms and are appointed by the independent special districts through an election process administered by LAFCO staff. (Committee rules allow its Chair to appoint members to fill unexpired terms as needed.) The Committee is tasked with providing feedback – including recommendations – on germane topics to assist LAFCO in fulfilling its regulatory and planning functions and do so

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without compensation. The Committee meets quarterly with its current roster provided as Attachment One.

# DISCUSSION

This item is for San Diego LAFCO to take action to formally recognize the service contributions of two past members of the Committee upon their recent departures. The two past members are Erin Lump with Rincon del Diablo Municipal Water District and John Pastore with the Rancho Santa Fe Community Services District. Recognition includes adopting the attached draft commendation resolutions for presentation off dais.

# **ANALYSIS**

Both past members – Erin Lump and John Pastore – served with distinction and regularly contributed to advancing the value of the Committee in assisting San Diego LAFCO in making informed decisions. Both members merit recognition with special appreciation extended to John Pastore given his 34 years of service make him one of the longest tenured members in the Committee's history. Adopting commendation resolutions serve to officially memorialize the recognition as part of LAFCO's official records.

# RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended San Diego LAFCO formally recognize the dedicated service of Erin Lump and John Pastore on the Committee and adopt resolutions of commendation. This recommendation is consistent with Alternative One identified in the proceeding section.

# **ALTERNATIVES FOR ACTION**

The following alternatives are available to San Diego LAFCO through a single motion:

# <u>Alternative One (recommended):</u>

Adopt the attached draft commendation resolutions with any desired changes for the following persons:

- Erin Lump
- John Pastore

# Alternative Two:

Continue to the next regular meeting and provide direction to staff as needed.

# Alternative Three

Take no action.

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# **PROCEDURES**

This item has been placed on San Diego LAFCO's agenda as part of the consent calendar. A successful motion to approve the consent calendar will include taking affirmative action on the staff recommendation unless otherwise specified by the Commission.

Respectfully,

Keene Simonds Executive Officer

### Attachments:

- 1) Current Committee Roster
- 2) Draft Resolutions of Commendation
  - Erin Lump
  - John Pastore

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# LAFCO SPECIAL DISTRICTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE ROSTER

# 2019 Officers | Chair: Kimberly Thorner | Vice Chair: Julie Nygaard

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### **RESOLUTION NO.**

# SAN DIEGO COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION COMMENDING DISTINGUISHED SERVICE ON THE SPECIAL DISTRICTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

# ERIN LUMP RINCON del DIABLO MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

**WHEREAS,** the San Diego County Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) established the Special Districts Advisory Committee ("Committee") in 1971; and

**WHEREAS,** the Committee consists of 16 members drawn from the independent special districts in San Diego County and elected by their peers to four-year terms; and

**WHEREAS,** the Committee is tasked with providing feedback and recommendations on germane topics to assist LAFCO in fulfilling its regulatory and planning duties; and

**WHEREAS,** Erin Lump served on the Committee between 2016 and 2019 as a Board of Director with Rincon del Diablo Municipal Water District and immediately prior to her election to San Diego LAFCO; and

**WHEREAS**, Erin Lump became one of the youngest members in the history of the Committee and separately earned the respect and gratitude of her colleagues and LAFCO staff with her constructive approach in carrying out the business of the Committee;

**WHEREAS,** San Diego LAFCO wishes Erin Lump continued happiness and success now as a distinguished alumnus of the Committee.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** the members of San Diego LAFCO, individually and collectively, convey their appreciation for the service rendered by Erin Lump to the Committee and acknowledge and commend the value her service has added to the Commission and to the people of San Diego County.

The foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by San Diego LAFCO at a public meeting held on August 5, 2019.

Jo MacKenzie Chair Dianne Jacob Vice Chair



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# JOHN PASTORE RANCHO SANTA FE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

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**WHEREAS,** the Committee is tasked with providing feedback and recommendations on germane topics to assist LAFCO in fulfilling its regulatory and planning duties; and

**WHEREAS,** John Pastore served on the Committee between 1985 and 2019 and most recently as the General Manager for the Rancho Santa Fe Community Services District; and

**WHEREAS,** with over 34 years of service, John Pastore became one of the longest tenured members of the Committee in its nearly 50-year history; and

WHEREAS, John Pastore earned the respect and gratitude of her colleagues and LAFCO staff with his measured approach in carrying out the business of the Committee with a focus on improving local governmental services;

**WHEREAS**, San Diego LAFCO wishes John Pastore continued happiness and success now as a distinguished alumnus of the Committee.

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