

**COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL**

(1) DEPARTMENT Public Works	(2) MEETING DATE 9/20/2016	(3) CONTACT/PHONE John Waddell, Los Osos Wastewater Project Manager (805) 788-2713	
(4) SUBJECT Introduction of an Ordinance establishing rules and regulations for use of the Los Osos wastewater collection system in Los Osos. Hearing date set for October 18, 2016. District 2.			
(5) RECOMMENDED ACTION It is recommended that the Board: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduce the attached Ordinance, which establishes the rules and regulations for use of the Los Osos wastewater collection system; and 2. Schedule a Public Hearing for October 18, 2016, to consider the attached Ordinance. 3. Direct the County Clerk-Recorder to publish a summary of the proposed Ordinance in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of San Luis Obispo indicating the general nature of the Ordinance that will be considered for adoption on October 18, 2016 pursuant to Government Code Section 25124(b). 			
(6) FUNDING SOURCE(S) N/A	(7) CURRENT YEAR FINANCIAL IMPACT N/A	(8) ANNUAL FINANCIAL IMPACT N/A	(9) BUDGETED? N/A
(10) AGENDA PLACEMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consent <input type="checkbox"/> Presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing (Time Est. ___) <input type="checkbox"/> Board Business (Time Est. ___)			
(11) EXECUTED DOCUMENTS <input type="checkbox"/> Resolutions <input type="checkbox"/> Contracts <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ordinances <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
(12) OUTLINE AGREEMENT REQUISITION NUMBER (OAR) N/A		(13) BUDGET ADJUSTMENT REQUIRED? BAR ID Number: N/A <input type="checkbox"/> 4/5 Vote Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	
(14) LOCATION MAP Attached	(15) BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT? No	(16) AGENDA ITEM HISTORY <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Date: 8/18/15; #15	
(17) ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE REVIEW David E. Grim			
(18) SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) District 2			

Reference: 16SEP20-C-2

County of San Luis Obispo



TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Public Works

John Waddell, Los Osos Wastewater Project Manager

VIA: Mark Hutchinson, Deputy Director of Public Works

DATE: 9/20/2016

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RECOMMENDATION

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DISCUSSION

The County began efforts on the Los Osos Wastewater Project in 2006, following the passage of State Assembly Bill 2701 (Blakeslee) which allowed the County to assume responsibility for development of a community wastewater system for Los Osos. Upon completion of the necessary environmental permit and funding approvals, the project began construction in May 2012. Construction was completed in multiple phases, and the \$120 million in construction contracts are largely complete. The project's collection system and water recycling facility are currently in the start-up process, as properties connect to the system and wastewater flows gradually increase. Property connections are planned to continue into March 2017.

The proposed ordinance includes provisions on the following topics:

- Connection requirements
- Water conservation fixture standards
- Maintenance and repair responsibilities
- Prohibited discharges to the collection system

The rules and regulations will help facilitate the safe and effective operation of the collection and treatment facilities. They will be a tool for the Public Works Department to ensure that they can meet water quality regulations regarding spill prevention and waste discharge requirements. The Public Works Department has already begun outreach to educate businesses and residents regarding best practices for reducing discharges that can be detrimental to the collection and treatment systems.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT/IMPACT

County Counsel has reviewed the subject Ordinance and approved it as to legal form and effect.

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

There is no financial impact as a result of this action.

RESULTS

Approval of the ordinance establishing the rules and regulations for the Los Osos sewer service area will help protect the community's infrastructure investment, which will contribute to a safe, healthy, livable, and well governed community in Los Osos.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Vicinity Map
2. Ordinance Establishing Rules and Regulations for Sewer Service Area in Los Osos

File: LOWWP 3000448.10.3

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