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TO: Each Member of the Commission

FROM: Bob Braitman
Executive Officer

SUBJECT: **LAFCO Project and Meetings Update**

This is an informational report. No action is necessary.

This is a periodic report of LAFCO staff activities. The last report was on December 21, 2012.

Status of Approved Proposals

Cieneguitas Reorganization to the City of Santa Barbara with related special district changes (LAFCO 12-4) as approved on November 1 was recorded on December 6. The State Board of Equalization has issued its certification and we have notified all affected parties.

Cavaletto Annexation to Goleta Sanitary District (LAFCO 12-5) was approved September 6. We will record the annexation when the County Surveyor finds the map and legal description to be acceptable.

Palmer Annexation to Goleta Sanitary District (LAFCO 12-6) was approved November 1. We will record the annexation when the County Surveyor finds the map and legal description to be acceptable.

LAFCO Staff Meetings and Activities

1. The Commission met on January 3 in Santa Barbara.
2. On January 17 staff participated in a conference call to plan CALAFCO staff Workshop in Davis in April.
3. Also on January 17 staff participated in conference call to plan the CALAFCO Annual Conference at Squaw Valley in August. It will commemorate LAFCO's 50th anniversary.
4. On January 18 staff attended the 26th Annual UCLA Land Use and Planning Law Conference in Los Angeles.

5. On January 22 staff conferred with Supervisor Peter Adam regarding conditions related to the Santa Rita Hills Community Service District.
6. On January 25 staff participated in the CALAFCO Legislative Committee meeting held that day in Ontario by telephone.

At the request of Commissioner Geyer, who is interested in possible amendments to Government Code Section 56133, the Legislative Committee packet is provided with the materials for the February 7 meeting. It is also available on the CALAFCO website.

7. On January 31 staff will provide an "Introduction to LAFCO" for newly elected city council members, the County supervisor and special district directors.
8. Staff has been invited to present an explanation of LAFCO on February 5 for the Board of Directors of the Santa Barbara Metropolitan Transit District.
9. The next Commission meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 7 in Santa Barbara.

Please contact the LAFCO office if you have any questions.

cc: Bill Dillon, LAFCO Legal Counsel