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SOI/MSR Adoption

December 9, 2021

Summary

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MSR/SOI Update Process

- CKH Act Requires Update of SOI for a jurisdiction every five years
- Sphere is a 20 years planning boundary
- Service Review evaluates 7 factors
- 30-day public review period completed
- Sphere Update/MSR Completed

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Action Items	Dates
Compile and Gather Information	May - June 2021
Prepare documentation: SOI Update- MSR-CEQA	July - Aug 2021
Admin Draft Review and Comment. 30-day comment period	Aug 2021
Release for Public Review and Comment. 30-day comment period	Oct 2021
Respond to Comments	Nov 2021
Public Hearing regarding the Service Review/Sphere of Influence Update	Dec 2021

Santa Barbara Countywide Sphere and Service Review of 13 Agencies

Special Districts
Carpinteria/Summerland
Fire District (CSFD)
Montecito Fire District

(MFD)

Santa Barbara CFPD (SBCFD)

County Service Area 32 (Unincorporated Police) Isla Vista Community

Services District (IVCSD)

Cities

City of Buellton
City of Carpinteria
City of Goleta
City of Guadalupe
City of Lompoc
City of Santa Barbara
City of Santa Maria
City of Solvang



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Key Determinations

- All three of the Fire Protection Districts have Spheres of Influence that match their district boundaries.
- Three Cities have Spheres of Influence that extend beyond their service boundaries: Santa Barbara, Santa Maria and Solvang.
- The Cities of Carpinteria and Lompoc have a small Sphere area outside of its boundaries, however, fire and law enforcement are provided by another agency for Carpinteria.
- All other agencies have a coterminous Sphere. These include CSA
 32, Isla Vista CSD, Cities of Buellton, Goleta, and Guadalupe.
- The CFPD desires to annex the four Channel Islands which would need to amend its Sphere first.

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Public Outreach

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- Regular agenized Commission Updates
- Notified interested parties & advertised in the newspaper
- Available Online: WWW.SBLAFCO.ORG
- Agencies, County & LAFCO Offices

Comments/Changes

- Attachment D includes 1 comment
- No Changes are required
- Thank You Everyone for providing input
 - All 13 Agencies
 - County Departments
 - Outside Agencies
 - Public

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Recommendation

- Take Public Comments
- Commissioner Questions
- Approve CEQA documentation and determine that the Exemption is adequate
- Approve the Sphere Update and Service Review

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