

Monterey County Board of Supervisors

Board Order

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A motion was made by Supervisor Chris Lopez, seconded by Supervisor Luis A. Alejo to:

Resolution No.: 24-419

- a. Conduct a public hearing to consider thirteen (13) 2025 Williamson Act Applications to Create a Farmland Security Zone ("FSZ") and Contract or to Establish an Agricultural Preserve ("AGP") and Land Conservation Contract (REF240030); and
- b. Adopt a Resolution to:
- 1. Find that the consideration of thirteen (13) Williamson Act Applications, consisting of one (1) Application for the establishment of an Agricultural Preserve ("AGP") and Land Conservation Contract ("LCC") and twelve (12) Applications for the creation of Farmland Security Zones ("FSZ") and corresponding FSZ Contracts is Categorically Exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 14, Chapter 3, Article 19, Categorical Exemptions, CEQA Guidelines CCR Section 15317 for Open Space Contracts or Easements (Class 17 establishment of agricultural preserves) and there are no exceptions pursuant to CEQA Guidelines CCR Section 15300.2; and
- 2. Approve nine (9) applications to create nine (9) FSZs and Contracts:
- a. FSZ Application No. 2025-02 Berkshire Investments LLC, a California Limited Liability Company; Assessor's Parcel Numbers (APNs) 267-044-005-000; 267-044-014-000; 267-044-015-000; and 267-044-016-000; Approximately 125 acres in the North County Area Plan;
- b. FSZ Application No. 2025-05 Silacci Family Trust dated June 21, 1982, as to a 50% interest, and the Kenneth A. Silacci Separate Property Trust dated November 16, 2010, as to a 50% interest; APN 135-111-005-000; Approximately 105 acres in the Greater Salinas Area Plan;
- c. FSZ Application No. 2025-06 Sair Partnership 9 LLC Ranch, a Delaware Limited Liability Company; APNs 223-031-019-000 and 223-071-002-000; Approximately 239 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan;
- d. FSZ Application No. 2025-07 Ticino California LLC, a California Limited Liability Company; APN 221-011-016-000; Approximately 130 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan;
- e. FSZ Application No. 2025-08 Riboli Doctor's Vineyard LLC, a California Limited Liability Company; APN 165-013-003-000; Approximately 339 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan; f. FSZ Application No. 2025-09 Irene P. Guidotti and John E. Guidotti, Co-Trustees of the Exemption Trust under the 1995 Guidotti Revocable Trust dated January 12, 1995, John E. Guidotti, a married man as his sole and separate property, Janice Andreotti, an unmarried woman, as her sole and separate property, Ella J. Guidotti, Trustee of the 1997 Ella J. Guidotti Revocable Trust dated February 6, 1997, James E. Guidotti and Paula A. Guidotti, Trustees of the 1998 James & Paula Guidotti Revocable Trust dated March 17, 1998, Roy Anthony Marci and Dorothy Rose Marci, Trustees of the 1992 Marci Revocable Trust dated June 26, 1992, Milton Guidotti and Rosemary Guidotti, Trustees of the 1995 Milton & Rosemary Guidotti Revocable Trust dated December 28, 1995, and Fred H. Guidotti and Judy

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- P. Guidotti, Trustees of the Guidotti Family Trust dated July 19, 2006; APN 165-072-002-000; Approximately 125 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan;
- g. FSZ Application No. 2025-10 Ella J. Guidotti, Trustee of the 1997 Ella J. Guidotti Revocable Trust dated February 6, 1997, James E. Guidotti and Paula A. Guidotti, Trustees of the 1998 James & Paula Guidotti Revocable Trust dated March 17, 1998, Roy Anthony Marci and Dorothy Rose Marci, Trustees of the 1992 Marci Revocable Trust dated June 26, 1992, Milton Guidotti and Rosemary Guidotti, Trustees of the 1995 Milton & Rosemary Guidotti Revocable Trust dated December 28, 1995, James E. Guidotti and Paula A. Guidotti, Trustees of the 1998 James & Paula Guidotti Revocable Trust U/D/T dated March 17, 1998, Elmer J. Guidotti and Irene P. Guidotti, Trustees of the 1995 Guidotti Revocable Trust U/D/T dated January 12, 1995, Irene P. Guidotti and John E. Guidotti, Co-Trustees of the Exemption Trust under the 1995 Guidotti Revocable Trust dated January 12, 1995, John E. Guidotti, Janice Andreotti, and Fred H. Guidotti and Judy P. Guidotti, Trustees of The Guidotti Family Trust dated July 18, 2006; APN 183-021-032-000; Approximately 326 acres with +/- 280 farmable acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan;
- h. FSZ Application No. 2025-11 Lisette Moore Allen, Successor Trustee of the Joe S. Moore Trust Agreement dated April 27, 2000 (APN 167-052-005-000); Lisette Moore Allen, Successor Sole Trustee of the Joe S. Moore Trust Agreement dated April 27, 2000 and The Louis and Myrna Moore Family Trust, initially created October 4, 2000, Louis Charles Somavia Moore and Myrna Silvia Zepeda Moore as Trustees (APN 223-011-041-000); Approximately 284 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan; i. FSZ Application No. 2025-12 Arroyo Vineyards LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company; APNs 109-391-013-000 and 419-491-007-000; Approximately 186 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan; and
- 3. Continue without prejudice two (2) applications to the 2026 round of applications:
- a. FSZ Application No. 2025-03 R2 Hunter, LLC, a California Limited Liability Company; APNs 177-081-005-000; 177-081-006-000; and 177-081-007-000; Approximately 83 acres in the Greater Salinas Area Plan;
- b. FSZ Application No. 2025-04 The 1996 Morgantini Revocable Trust Under Declaration of Trust dated August 16, 1996, Beverly Joan Morgantini, Trustee; APNs 111-021-005-000 and 111-021-007-000; Approximately 400 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan; and
- 4. Deny without prejudice one (1) application:
- a. AGP-LCC Application No. 2025-01 Coker Ellsworth Family Trust dated September 7, 2000, Shawn McNamara, Tom Thompson and Amy Thompson; APNs 423-071-030-000 and 423-071-055-000; Approximately 627 acres in the South County Area Plan; and
- 5. Accept one (1) application withdrawal and issue an application fee refund of \$6,755:
- a. FSZ Application No. 2025-13 Arroyo Vineyards LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company; APNs 183-021-008-000; 183-021-016-000; 183-021-033-000; and 183-021-034-000; Approximately 318 acres in the Central Salinas Valley Area Plan; and
- 6. Authorize the Chair to execute nine (9) FSZ Contracts for the corresponding nine (9) applications recommended for approval to create nine (9) FSZs and Contracts; and
- 7. Direct the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to record the FSZ Contracts prior to the January 1, 2025, property tax lien date subject to the submittal of the corresponding recording fees by the property owners of record.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 3rd day of December 2024, by roll call vote:

AYES: Supervisors Alejo, Church, Lopez, Askew and Adams

NOES: None ABSENT: None

I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 82 for the meeting December 3, 2024.

Dated: December 9, 2024

File ID: 24-766 Agenda Item No.: 25 Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Monterey, State of California

Vicente Ramirez, Deputy