



# Monterey County

Government Center  
Monterey Room, 2nd Floor  
168 W. Alisal St.  
Salinas, CA 93901

## Action Minutes - Final Legislative Committee

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Monday, May 13, 2013

1:00 PM

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### Attendees

Supervisor Dave Potter (District 5); Supervisor Fernando Armenta (District 1); Nick Chiulos, Annette D'Adamo, Cynthia Juarez (CAO-IGLA); Harry Weis (NMC); Charles McKee (County Counsel); Don Landis (Public Defender); Manuel Real (Probation); Carl Holm (RMA); Manny Gonzalez (CAO); Ray Bullick (Health); Kaki Cheung (TAMC); Bob Perkins; Margie Kay; Via Teleconference: Brent Heberlee (Nossaman); John Arriaga, Laurie Johnson (JEA & Associates)

### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m.

### Public Comment Period

There was no public comment.

### Federal Reports from Brent Heberlee - Nossaman LLP

1. Receive Federal reports from Brent Heberlee, Nossaman LLP, and provide direction/consider positions and/or recommendations to the Board of Supervisors on:
  - a. Immigration Reform
  - b. Internet Sales Tax
  - c. Tidball Store Update
  - d. Hydraulic Fracturing "Fracking" (federal regulations and litigation)
  - e. Monterey County Federal Issues/Bill Track

Attachments: [Receive Federal Legislative Reports](#)  
[Federal Bill Track](#)

Received reports.

### State Reports from John Arriaga - JEA & Associates

2. Receive State reports from John Arriaga, JEA & Associates, and provide direction/consider positions and/or recommendations to the Board of Supervisors on:

- a. State Budget
- b. Legislative Updates
  - i. AB 109 Growth Funds Allocation
  - ii. Affordable Care Act Implementation
  - iii. Hydraulic Fracturing “Fracking” (state legislation and regulations)
  - iv. Carmel Lagoon
  - v. Holeman Highway
- c. Monterey County State Legislative/Issues Track

**Attachments:** [Receive State Legislative Report](#)  
[State Bill Track](#)

**ACTIONS:**

- Received reports.

- Affordable Care act (ACA) Implementation:

1) Directed staff to develop a County issue paper and talking points for a meeting on 5/17/13 with State Senator Monning, Supervisor Potter, and staff regarding the County's ACA implementation concerns.

2) Directed that the County continue to support the California State Association of Counties (CSAC) work on ACA implementation.

- Carmel Lagoon:

1) Supervisor Potter will contact Secretary Laird to request a response from State Parks regarding the County's request for a construction easement which was discussed at their 4/17/13 meeting.

2) Directed JEA & Associates to contact Janelle Beland with State Parks on this same issue.

3. Discuss possible meetings during CSAC Legislative Conference on May 29-30, 2013 in Sacramento, CA.

**ACTION:** Directed staff to make recommendations on possible meetings during the CSAC Legislative Conference following review of the Governor's May Revise Budget (to be released 5/14/13).

### Other Items

4. Other items and items for future agendas

**ACTION:** Received report regarding an increase in dues for California State Association of Counties (CSAC) membership effective 7/1/13.

### Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.