



Monterey County

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Board Order

Upon motion of Supervisor Potter, seconded by Supervisor Salinas and carried by those members present, the Board of Supervisors hereby:

Received and approved a letter addressed to the Mayor of the City of Salinas in response to the letter received dated February 24, 2014, regarding the Juvenile Hall Site Selection; Relocation of Monterey County Youth Center, and authorize the Chair to sign on behalf of the Monterey County Board of Supervisors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 1st day of April 2014, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: Supervisors Armenta, Calcagno, Salinas, Parker and Potter
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

I, Gail T. Borkowski, 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 77 for the meeting on April 1, 2014.

Dated: April 2, 2014
File Number: 14-284

Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California

By Denise Hancock
Deputy

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April 1, 2014

Mayor Joe Gunter
City of Salinas
200 Lincoln Avenue
Salinas, CA 93901

Re: Letter Dated February 24, 2014 on Relocation of Monterey County Youth Center

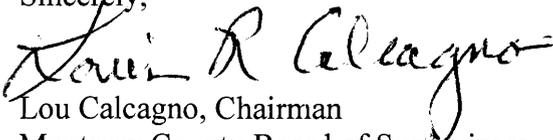
Honorable Mayor Gunter:

Thank you for your letter regarding the inclusion of the Monterey County Youth Center as part of construction of the new Juvenile Hall facility. As indicated in your letter, the County has been awarded conditional grant approval from the State to construct the new Juvenile Hall facility. We concur that the request to consider inclusion of the Youth Center as part of the construction of the new Juvenile Hall facility has significant merit and commend the City for support of this request. This is something that has been discussed in the past with community members by several Board Members and is part of the discussion that will take place along with the feasibility study and scope of work that will be necessary to design and build the facility if the grant is awarded.

We suggest that Monterey County and the City of Salinas continue working jointly with community stakeholders to assess the feasibility of relocating the Youth Center in the vicinity of the new Juvenile Hall facility. To complete this task, a site plan assessment will have to be completed to determine if there is enough of a footprint in this area to accommodate both facilities. If the site plan and community assessment support feasibility of site consolidation, significant additional project funding would be required. We believe a partnership between the City of Salinas and Monterey County will increase the likelihood of obtaining funding from State and other grant sources. We hope that the City of Salinas will want to also be included in part and we would ask that as a stakeholder and partner; that the City also contributes funding to be included in the design and build aspect of this new and innovative facility.

Assistant County Administrative Officer Manny González has been designated as point of contact in working collaboratively with City of Salinas. Mr. González can be reached at 831-796-3593. We again thank you for your letter, and look forward to jointly exploring this exciting opportunity together as partners.

Sincerely,



Lou Calcagno, Chairman
Monterey County Board of Supervisors

Cc: Council Member Barrera
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Council Member Craig
Council Member De La Rosa
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Assistant County Administrative Officer Manuel T. González