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Board Report

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Adopt a Resolution to approve closure of selected County departments and/or divisions for the winter holiday from December 26, 2018 through December 31, 2018 and for this purpose only, waive Ordinance No. 766, fixing the days and hours of operation of County offices.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors adopt a Resolution to approve closure of selected County departments and/or divisions for the winter holiday from December 26, 2018 through December 31, 2018 and for this purpose only, waive Ordinance No. 766, fixing the days and hours of operation of County offices.

SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:

As part of negotiated labor agreements with Units F, H, J and K (SEIU), D (Public Defenders' Association), E (Prosecutors Association), and G (County Counsel Employee Association), the County approved a three year "Winter Recess" for Fiscal Years 2016-2017, 2017-2018, and 2018-2019. On April 3, 2018, the Board also granted the Winter Recess to unrepresented Units P, X, XL, Y and Z (excluding elected officials in Unit Y) for FY 2018-19.

The Winter Recess for 2018 has been scheduled for December 26, 27, 28 and 31, 2018. The Winter Recess has a secondary benefit of minimizing the County's carbon footprint by closing many County offices during the historically slow business period between Christmas and New Year's Day. County Departments that can close without significant disruption in services, will close during this time frame. All County Department Heads were consulted to provide their input on the County Closure schedule (Attachment A).

Additionally, in order to implement the County closure, County Ordinance No. 766 (Attachment B) fixing the days and hours of operation will need to be waived for this purpose only.

It is therefore recommended your Board approve the recommended actions.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

The County Administrative Office concurs with this recommendation. All County Department Heads were consulted and provided their input to the County office closure schedule.

FINANCING:

The Winter Recess equates to compensation equivalent to 1.5% of salary and salary-driven benefits for all funds and a total annual value of approximately \$7.6 million. Although this is not a hard cost, some departments with special operating needs may incur increased overtime costs to ensure

continuation of operations. In addition, the County realizes underdetermined overhead savings for those offices that close during the Winter Recess.

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Attachments:

2018 Winter Recess Resolution

A - County Closure Schedule

B - Waiver of Ordinance No. 766

cc:

Lew Bauman, County Administrative Officer

Nick Chiulos, Assistant County Administrative Officer

Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the County of Monterey, State of California

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BE IT RESOLVED by the Bo	oard of Supervisors in and for	the County of Monterey as follow	s:
A Resolution is adopted to app Winter Recess from December fixing the days and hours of op	r 26, 2018 through December	nty departments and/or divisions fo 31, 2018, and Ordinance No. 766, waived for this purpose.	r the
PASSED AND ADOPTED o to-wit:	n thisday of	, 2018, by the following v	ote,
AYES: NOES: ABSENT:			
I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the hereby certify that the foregoiduly made and entered in the	ing is a true copy of an origina	County of Monterey, State of Califoral order of said Board of Supervisorok for the meeting on	ornia, ors
Dated:	Valerie Ralph, Clerk County of Monterey,	of the Board of Supervisors, State of California	
	Ву	, Deputy	
		, Deputy	

2018 County Closure - Christmas to New Years						
Department	Wednesday, 12/26/18	Thursday, 12/27/18	Friday, 12/28/18	Monday, 12/31/18		
Assessor-Clerk-Recorder	Open: 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Open: 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Open: 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.	Open: 8:00 a.m 12:00 p.m		
District Attorney's Office	Open	Open	Open	Open		
DSS-Community Benefits - Salinas, Seaside, King City	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Emergency Communications	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Health	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Information Technology	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Natividad Medical Center	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Probation	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Public Defender	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Resource Management Agency-Parks Facilities	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Sheriff ²	Open	Open	Open	Open		
Agricultural Commissioner 3	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Auditor-Controller 4	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
CAO-Administration	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
CAO-Budget & Analysis	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
CAO-Contracts/Purchasing	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
CAO-Intergovernmental Affairs	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
CAO-Office of Emergency Services 5	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Child Support Services	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
County Counsel/Risk Management ⁶	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Clerk of the Board	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
DSS-Administration/HR Services 7	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
DSS-Aging and Adult Services - Marina 8	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
DSS-Family & Children's Services 9	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
EDD-America's Job Ctr of CA-Salinas, Seaside, King City 10	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Elections	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Civil Rights Office 11	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Health-Behavioral Health-Soledad & King City Only 12	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Health-Emergency Medical Services	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Health-Public Guardian 13	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Human Resources 14	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Library-All Branches	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Military & Veterans Affairs Office	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Resource Management Age5cy-Administration 15	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Resource Management Agency-Land Use & Comm Dev 16	Closed	Closed	Closed			
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Resource Management Agency-Public Works & Facilities 18	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Treasurer-Tax Collector	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
UC Cooperative Extension	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
Water Resources Agency 19	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed		
		Footnotes				
District Attorney 1	Subject to schedule of Superior Court.					
Sheriff ²	Lobby closed, public should use call button for assistance.					
Agricultural Commissioner 3	Limited services will be provided to industry and on call for emergencies.					
Auditor-Controller 4	Auditors will be closed for external business from 12/26 -28 and 31 and open for internal purposes only.					
CAO-Office of Emergency Services ⁵	Staff will be on call for emergencies.					
County Counsel/Risk Management ⁶	Attorneys and staff will be available for emergencies, court appearances and urgent court matters, such as juvenile dependency petitions.					
DSS-Administration/HR Services ⁷	Minimal staffing to support Community Benefits and continuity of operations.					
DSS-Aging and Adult Services - Marina 8	Available for adult abuse reporting and emergency response only.					
DSS-Family & Children's Services 9	Available for child abuse reporting, emergency response and court petitions only.					
EDD-America's Job Ctr of CA-Salinas, Seaside, King City 10	America's Job Center of California (Formerly known as One Stop Career Center).					
Civil Rights Office 11	Available by phone for emergencies.					
Health-Behavioral Health-Soledad & King City Only 12	Manager will be available for emergencies and staff will be available for urgent situations.					
Health-Public Guardian 13	On call officer will be available for emergencies					
Human Resources 14	Staff will be on call for emergencies.					
Resource Management Agency-Administration 15	Accommodations will be made to deal with emergency or critical situations.					
Resource Management Agency-Land Use & Comm Dev 16	Staff will be on call for emergencies. Will have an emergency process for Emergency Permits and for unsafe or unhealthy conditions relating to code violations.					
Resource Management Agency-Parks Administration 17	Administrative services closed, including reservations. Rangers remain on duty. Maintenance staff will be on call for emergencies. Park facilities will remain open regular hours, except Lake San Antonio and Travel Camp (Fort Ord) are closed.					
Resource Management Agency-Public Works & Facilities 18	Limited crews for minimal service levels, may vary depending upon weather/building occupancy.					
Water Resources Agency 19	Should ALERT be activated, identified staff in WRA Planning & Management will work. In the event of a weather emergency, identified members of the Operations & Maintenance division will work.					

ORDINANCE NO. 766

AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE DAYS AND HOURS WHEN COUNTY OFFICES OF THE COUNTY OF MONTEREY SHALL BE OPEN FOR THE TRANSACTION OF BUSINESS

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey do ordain as follows:

Section 1. All County offices in the County of Monterey shall be kept open for the transaction of business continuously from eight o'clock a.m. to five o'clock p.m. every day in the year except Saturdays, Sundays, and those holidays provided and prescribed in Section 10 of the Political Code of the State of California, except as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. The Sheriff's office and County Hospital shall be open for the transaction of business during all of each hour of every day of the year.

Section 3. In all offices where there is but one employee, that office shall be permitted to be closed during the hour from twelve o'clock noon to and until one o'clock p.m.

Passed and adopted this 18th day of June, 1951, by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Supervisors Hutchings, Moffitt, Redding, Bunte and Jacobsen.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

Chairman of the Board of Supervisors

Clark of gold Pound