



# County of Monterey Planning Commission

## Item No.3

Board of Supervisors  
Chambers  
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#### **APPOINT SRIVIDYA SHANKAR TO THE CARMEL UNINCORPORATED/HIGHLANDS LAND USE ADVISORY COMMITTEE.**

##### RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Planning Commission appoint Srividya Shankar to serve on the Carmel Unincorporated/Highlands Land Use Advisory Committee for a term ending June 30, 2028. This nomination was submitted by Commissioner Diehl, who serves as the Primary Commissioner Liaison for the committee.

##### DISCUSSION:

On December 11, 2025, Staff received a Statement of Interest from Srividya Shankar, expressing interest in serving on the Carmel Unincorporated/Highlands Land Use Advisory Committee. This Statement of Interest was reviewed by Commissioner Diehl.

Commissioner Diehl confirmed the nomination and requested that the item be placed on a future Planning Commission agenda for formal consideration.

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The following attachment is on file with the HCD:

Exhibit A - Statement of Interest Information for Srividya Shankar