

## CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMISSION

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## MEMORANDUM

July 20, 2000

TO: Coastal Commissioners and Interested Parties

FROM: Tami Grove, Deputy Director  
Charles Lester, District Manager  
Rick Hyman, Deputy District Chief Planner

RE: Request to extend the 90 day time limit for County of Santa Cruz LCP Amendment No. 1-00 Major

On December 23, 1999, Central Coast District Staff received Local Coastal Program Amendment request No. 1-00 from the County of Santa Cruz regarding timber harvest. This item was filed on May 12, 2000.

Coastal Act Sections 30513 and 30514(b) require that the Commission act on an Implementation Plan amendment within 60 days after the submittal has been deemed to be in proper order for filing. Coastal Act Sections 30512 and 30514(b) require that the Commission act on a Land Use Plan amendment within 90 days after filing. Where an amendment request contains both Implementation Plan and Land Use Plan amendments, Section 30511(a) of the Coastal Act allows for a 90 day period within which the Commission must act. This amendment request, which contains both Implementation Plan and Land Use Plan amendments, would thus have to be scheduled for hearing at the August 2000 Commission meeting.

Section 30517 of the Coastal Act allows the Commission to extend, for good cause, the 90 day time limit for a period not to exceed one year. Our agency has received a request from Santa Cruz County to waive the time limits for hearing this item (see attachment). Staff is, therefore, requesting an extension of time not to exceed one year in order to accommodate the County. Staff anticipates scheduling this matter for the September 2000 Commission hearing.

Summary of Staff Recommendation:

Staff recommends that the Commission extend the 90 day time limit for a period not to exceed one year.

MOTION:

I move that the Commission extend the 90 day time limit to act on the County of Santa Cruz's Local Coastal Program Amendment No. 1-00 for a period not to exceed one year.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends a **YES** vote. An affirmative vote of a majority of the Commissioners present is needed to pass the motion.

attachment

**County of Santa Cruz**  
**PLANNING DEPARTMENT**  
INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

**DATE:** June 12, 2000

**TO:** Tami Grove, Deputy Director, Central Coast District

**FROM:** Alvin D. James, Planning Director 

**SUBJECT:** Santa Cruz County LCP Amendment 1-00

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I understand that the County's LCP amendment submittal must be scheduled for the August agenda to meet the statutory time limits for Coastal Commission review. County staff, however, will not be available to attend that meeting. In addition, County staff has not had an opportunity to review any of the Coastal staff's analysis of the submittal. For these reasons, I am hereby waiving the statutory time limit for Commission review and request that this item be placed on the September agenda.

cc: County Counsel  
County Administrative Officer

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