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TO: Commissioners and
Interested Persons

DATE: October 20, 2017

FROM: Staff

SUBJECT: Request to Waive Time Limit for County of San Diego LCP-6-SDC-17-0015-1 (Land Use Plan) Adoption of Suggested Modifications for the Commission Meeting of November 9, 2017

On May 11, 2017, the Commission reviewed and approved the County of San Diego's Land Use Plan with suggested modifications. Once a land use plan component or any LCP amendment is approved subject to suggested modifications by the Commission, the executive director of the Commission transmits copies of the suggested modifications and findings to the local government. In order for the local government to pursue final certification, the local government, by action of its governing body, must acknowledge receipt of the Commission's resolution of certification, including any terms or modifications, and accept and agree to any such terms and modifications and then take whatever formal action is required to satisfy those terms and modifications (e.g. adoption of plan changes).

Pursuant to Section 13537(b) of the Commission's regulations, the Commission's certification with suggested modifications expire six months from the date of Commission action. The County is now drafting the implementation plan (IP) component for its LCP and believes it would be beneficial to consider the suggested modifications for the LUP as work continues on the IP. Therefore, the County has requested in the attached letter, dated August 24, 2017, that the Commission grant a one-year time extension for the County to act on the suggested modifications.

Section 30517 of the Coastal Act and Section 13535(c) of the California Code of Regulations state that the Commission may extend for good cause any applicable time limits for a period not to exceed one year. Based on the County's request and work program for the implementation plan, Commission staff can support the time extension. Staff recommends the Commission extend the six month time limit for one year.

MOTION:

I move that the Commission extend the six month time limit for one year in order for the County of San Diego to consider acceptance of the suggested modifications to the County of San Diego Land Use Plan adopted by the Commission on May 11, 2017.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

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