THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Thursday

November 14, 2019

Special Session T Team Building Workshop All Supervisors Present Sutter Health Education and Conference Center 1700 McHenry Avenue, Suite 60B Modesto, California

Called to order at 9:08 a.m.

Miguel Donoso spoke about the need for sidewalks and ADA ramps for residents in the town of Empire. He provided a handout to the Board of Supervisors.

John Schmit voiced his opposition to a proposed truck center in a residential area of Salida. Supervisor Withrow noted that he is not supportive of the proposed truck stop.

The Board received updates from the Chief Executive Office regarding the Board of Supervisors' priority areas and charting the future direction. Areas of discussion included Supporting Strong and Safe Neighborhoods, Supporting Community Health, Developing a Healthy Economy, Promoting First-Rate Learning, Delivering Efficient Public Services and Community Infrastructure. CEO Hayes spoke regarding the new County mission statement that will be rolled out in early 2020. Discussion was held concerning "Cradle to Career" and supporting education for children through mentoring programs, and alternatives to traditional ways of learning.

County Counsel Boze spoke about meeting with each department to find out how County Counsel can support them, and the responsiveness and availability of County Counsel was commended.

Supervisor Olsen spoke regarding the concept that a business owns the sidewalk in front of their business and posting no trespassing signs, which could help to reduce vagrancy and loitering. Supervisor Olsen suggested a pumpkin launching annual event to bring tourism to Stanislaus County.

Supervisor Chiesa spoke about acquiring more cameras to monitor ingress and egress in cities that have cannabis businesses as an investigative tool.

Supervisor DeMartini voiced concerns with the lack of prosecution for crimes related to cannabis, as well as vagrancy and shoplifting. He inquired if there was an advantage to becoming a Charter County. County Counsel Boze responded that he will provide additional information to the Board on this matter.

CEO Hayes will schedule a meeting with Supervisors Withrow and DeMartini and DA Fladager to discuss prosecution of criminal activity.

Adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

ATTESTED: ELIZABETH A. KING, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Stanislaus State of California

BY: KAREN REESE, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors