



Preliminary Results of Landowner and Registered Voter

Written Protests Submitted in Regard to LAFCO File No. 2-R-17

CAYUCOS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT DISSOLUTION AND COUNTY SERVICE AREA No. 10 ACTIVATION OF FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

I, **David Church, Executive Officer of the San Luis Obispo Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO)**, hereby determine that the following are the preliminary results of the Protest Hearing conducted on September 24, 2018 at 1:00 and concluded at 1:06 pm:

Landowners. The number of written Landowner Protests submitted totaled 346, with zero withdrawals. The total count of unverified landowners, excluding duplicates, filing protests is 44. If all of the Written Protests were verified that would bring the total to 391 protests; 12.8% of the Landowners in the area using the estimated 3,034 landowners within the District. The Assessor's Office is verifying the total number of Landowners and total assessed value of land within the District. The estimated 3,034 landowners is likely to increase due to a more accurate counting of properties that are owned by multiple landowners. This would decrease the percentage of written protests received. This is below the 25% threshold specified in State Law that would call for a vote on the matter. Even if all signatures are subsequently verified and the value of private property is included, there is no possibility that the written protests will exceed 25% of the number of landowners in the proposed dissolution/activation area. The total number of invalid forms was 21.

Registered Voters. Written Protests submitted by Registered Voters totaled 149 with zero withdrawals. The total of unverified registered voters, excluding duplicates, filing protests is 35. The County Clerk's Office, verified that the total number of registered voters in the proposed dissolution/activation area is 1,941. If all of the Written Protests were verified bringing the total to 184 written protests, only 9.5% of the Register Voters in the area have submitted written protests. This is below the 25% threshold specified in State Law that would call for a vote on the matter. Since the number of Landowners is significantly below no additional review is necessary. If all signatures are subsequently verified there is no possibility that the protest will exceed 25% of the number of registered voters in the proposed dissolution/activation area. The total number of invalid forms was one.

Since the number of Landowners, or Registered Voters, submitting Written Protests is below the thresholds established in State Law, the dissolution/activation is hereby ordered.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand this 26th day of September 2018.

David Church
Executive Officer
San Luis Obispo LAFCO

Michael Prater
Deputy Executive Officer
San Luis Obispo LAFCO

Date: September 26, 2018 - Final Results should be posted within the next week.