



COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
Inter-Departmental Correspondence
County Manager



Date: January 22, 2014

Board Meeting Date: January 28, 2014

Special Notice / Hearing: None

Vote Required: Majority

To: Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: John L. Maltbie, County Manager

Subject: Measure A Oversight Committee

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommendation for the appointment of Sam Hutkins to the Measure A Oversight Committee.

BACKGROUND:

November 2012, San Mateo County voters approved Measure A to authorize a half cent sales tax for ten years. As part of that ballot measure, your Board called for a community Oversight Committee to be established to conduct and report on an annual audit of the funds. The State Board of equalization has begun to collect quarterly sales with allocations beginning in October 2013, and quarterly thereafter.

DISCUSSION:

A community Oversight committee conducting an annual audit of the Measure A sales tax funds would ensure transparency of the Board of Supervisors approved expenditures. The Measure A Oversight Committee would be required to annually review the audit of the sales tax funds.

The following resident is proposed to replace the initial appointment of Timothy Wong, who is no longer eligible to serve:

District Two: Sam Hutkins, Belmont