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Re: Request for Two New Streetlights on Pescadero Creek Road

Dear Mr. Porter,

As members of the governing body, the Pescadero Highway Lighting District (PHLD), we are writing to request the addition of two new streetlights on Pescadero Creek Road. This request includes the installation and on-going maintenance of the two additional lights.

In 2012, the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors adopted a resolution authorizing funding for flood-related projects in Pescadero. Due to public safety concerns with the flooding of Pescadero Creek Road when Butano Channel overtops in even minor storms, the Board authorized a second resolution adding two streetlights along Pescadero Creek Road near Butano Creek. On September 5, 2018, we received a request from the Chair of the Pescadero Municipal Advisory Council (PMAC) for two additional streetlights at Stage and Pescadero Creek roads for pedestrian and vehicular safety. The enclosed map indicates the proposed location for the two new streetlights and the boundaries of PHLD.

The proposed new streetlights will be located within the PHLD boundaries and the rural service center for Pescadero as defined in the Local Coastal Plan. The additional lights will mitigate a public safety hazard that affects residents, business owners, and visitors to the community within the boundaries of the District. The benefit of adding and maintaining the these lights is in the public interest, and we recommend the Department of Public Works review the request to implement this addition to the system of streetlights in PHLD.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

San Mateo County Supervisor, District 3

Carole Groom

San Mateo County Supervisor, District 2

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Attachment: Pescadero Lighting District-signed new lights Sept 2018.pdf



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