



**Contra
Costa
County**

To: Board of Supervisors
From: John Kopchik, Director, Conservation & Development Department
Date: March 29, 2022

Subject: ACCEPT Letter from Sustainability Commission Recommending Formation of a Working Group on Sea Level Rise

RECOMMENDATION(S):

RECEIVE letter from the Sustainability Commission recommending formation of a working group on sea level rise.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Formation of a working group would require a commitment of County staff and resources at a cost that has not yet been estimated.

BACKGROUND:

For several years, the Sustainability Commission has been reviewing the current status of studies of rising water levels in Contra Costa County and options for County action to address this. At its December 2021 meeting, the Sustainability Commission received presentations from the Bay Conservation and Development Commission and the Delta Stewardship Council.

The Sustainability Commission recommends that the Board of Supervisors form a cross-sector working group to review vulnerabilities from rising tides, share information, coordinate policies, and develop a long-term vision regarding adapting to rising tides. This

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **03/29/2022** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor
Karen Mitchoff, District IV Supervisor
Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: March 29, 2022

Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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was recommended in a report from the UC Berkeley Goldman School of Public Policy in 2019.

ATTACHMENTS

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