

Agenda Item D

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TO: MERA Measure A Citizens Oversight Committee

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SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM **D**: REPORT ON DRAFT MEASURE A SPECIAL PARCEL TAX
FISCAL YEAR 2015-16 ANNUAL REPORT

Recommended Action: Receive and file the Report on Draft MERA Measure A Special Parcel Tax
Fiscal Year 2015-16 Annual Report.

Background: Section 7 of the MERA Measure A Tax Ordinance requires as follows:

“The chief fiscal officer of the County shall annually file with the County Board of Supervisors a report regarding the amount of special parcel tax revenues collected and expended and the status of any project authorized to be funded with the special parcel tax revenues, as required by California Government Code Section 50075.3, as such law is amended from time to time.”

MERA is required by the County to develop this report for submission to the County’s CFO and Board of Supervisors thereafter in compliance with G.C. 50075.3. The first such report is not required to be filed with the Board of Supervisors until January 1, 2017, since it reports on FY15-16 collections and expenditures.

Attached is a contents “draft” of the Annual Report, which will be developed by NBS, MERA’s tax administration consulting firm. The Report provides some background on MERA, the Measure A Parcel Tax, a levy summary listing of parcels levied for FY15-16 and a section on Special Tax Accountability which includes expenditures.

This report is informational to the Committee.

ATTACHMENT:

D-1 Measure A Special Parcel Tax – Fiscal Year 2015/16 Annual Report
(excerpt of pages 1 -7, with Section 4 2,005 pages – not included)