

# Santa Barbara LAFCO

Work Program:

Fire/Police/Emergency/Safety  
MSR-SOI Outline & Scope

February 5, 2026

# Fire/Police/Emergency/Safety MSR-SOI

- Agencies Covered in the Review
- Comprehensive Service Review
- Commission January 8<sup>th</sup> Direction
- Proposed Outline
- Public Comment
- Q and A

MSR Document Volume	Community Included in Volume	
<b>Fire/Police/Emergency/Safety</b>	Community Services Districts of Isla Vista	LAFCO
	Cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria & Solvang	Santa Barbara
	County Fire	Local Agency
	Fire Districts of Montecito & Carpinteria/Summerland	Formation Commission
<b>Water/Wastewater/Stormwater</b>	Community Services Districts of Los Alamos, Los Olivos, Santa Ynez, Mission Hills, Vandenberg, Casmalia & Cuyama	
	Cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria & Solvang	
	County Service Areas of CSA 12	
	County Water Agency	
	County Flood Control	
	Water Districts of San Antonio & Cuyama Basin	
	Water Conservation District of Santa Maria Valley & Santa Ynez River & Imp District #1	
	Sanitary Districts of Carpinteria, Goleta, Goleta West & Montecito	

MSR Document Volume	Community Included in Volume	
<b>Transportation/Parking/St Sweep &amp; Beauty/Lighting/Transit/Airport</b>	County Service Areas of CSA 3, 11, 31 & 41	LAFCO Santa Barbara Local Agency Formation Commission
	Community Services Districts of Vandenberg, Santa Ynez, Mission Hills, Santa Rita Hills & Isla Vista	
	Cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria & Solvang	
	Santa Maria Airport	
	SB Metro Transit	
	<b>Parks/O.S./Library/Fac Rentals</b>	
Community Services Districts of Isla Vista		
Cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria & Solvang		
Cachuma RCD		
Isla Vista Rec & Park		
Embarcadero Municipal		
<b>Other Services</b>	Cemeteries	
	Community Services Districts of Isla Vista	
	Cities of Buellton, Carpinteria, Goleta, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Barbara, Santa Maria & Solvang	
	Lompoc Valley Hospital SB Mosquito & Vector District	

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## **Collectively Analyze 12 Agencies**

- ongoing operations
- current financial performance
- existing governance structure
- ability to provide services; and
- their importance within the area
- Include Determination required by State Law

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## Proposed Outline

- Executive Summary – Overview & Key Findings
- Chapter One - Service Review Determination
- Chapter Two - Sphere of Influence Determinations
  - for single purpose agencies
- Chapter Three – Agency Profiles
- Appendix – Acknowledgements & Relationship to other Service Reviews

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### Next Steps

- Send out Survey/Questionnaire to 12 Agencies
- Response deadline April 10, 2026
- LAFCO staff prepares an Administrative Draft by August 2026
- Public Review & Comments
- Release by November 2026
- Adoption by December 2026

# Recommendation

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Santa Barbara Local Agency  
Formation Commission

**OPTION 1 – APPROVE** the staff recommendation regarding the outline, scope, and schedule for Fire/Police/Emergency/Safety municipal service and sphere review

Business Item No 1