Santa Barbara LAFCO

Board of Supervisors Hearing Room Santa Barbara CA

- Chair Tom Umenhofer called the meeting to order at 11:43 a.m. Present were Commissioners DeWees, Marshall, Orach, Urbanske and White, Alternate Commissioners Fox, Leich and Rose and Executive Officer Bob Braitman. Not present were Commissioners Campbell and Andrisek.
- 2. Public Comment Period Ken Taylor commented regarding the incorporation process, and the City of Santa Barbara's interest in annexing the Goleta Valley.
- 3. Chair Umenhofer read a February 2, 2000 letter from the Mayor of the City of Santa Barbara urging LAFCO to leave open the possibility of an annexation to the City.
- 4. Walter Kieser, Principal of Economic and Planning Systems, gave a presentation regarding procedures for preparing a Comprehensive Fiscal Analysis for the incorporation of a city. He provided an overview of the incorporation process, discussed revenue neutrality, issues that must be accounted for by LAFCO when reviewing an incorporation and reviewed a feasible schedule for preparing the analysis and completing related decisions.

Speaking was Peg Hamister, representing the Committee for One; Cynthia Brock, representing Goleta Now!; and Goleta residents Ken Knight and Pat Chamberlin.

5. The meeting was adjourned at 1:00 p.m.

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