

**TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**FROM: SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS**

**MEETING DATE: SEPTEMBER 24, 2024**

**DEPARTMENT**

**SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS**

**PHONE: 707-463-4441**

**CONTACT:**

**ITEM TYPE: CONSENT AGENDA**

**TIME ALLOCATED FOR ITEM: N/A**

**AGENDA TITLE:**

**TITLE**

**DIRECTION TO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) STAFF TO PERFORM SPEED SURVEYS FOR ALBION RIDGE ROAD AND LITTLE RIVER AIRPORT ROAD AT A TIME AND MANNER MOST EFFICIENT FOR THE DEPARTMENT**

**(SPONSOR: SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS)**

**END**

**RECOMMENDED ACTION/MOTION:**

**RECOMMENDATION**

**DIRECT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) STAFF TO PERFORM SPEED SURVEYS FOR ALBION RIDGE ROAD AND LITTLE RIVER AIRPORT ROAD LANE AT A TIME AND MANNER MOST EFFICIENT FOR THE DEPARTMENT.**

**END**

**PREVIOUS BOARD/BOARD COMMITTEE ACTIONS:**

**NONE.**

**SUMMARY OF REQUEST:**

**THE PRE-1988 SPEED ZONES ON MANY COUNTY ROADS CANNOT EFFECTIVELY BE ENFORCED BY CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL. THE SPEED STUDIES COULD JUSTIFY GREATER SPEED LIMITS THAN CURRENTLY POSTED, BUT WITH THE STUDIES, THE SPEED LIMIT WOULD BE ENFORCEABLE. THESE PARTICULAR COUNTY ROADS WERE RECOMMENDED BY CHP OFFICERS TO SUPERVISOR WILLIAMS AT A TRAFFIC COLLISION AND MANY NEARBY RESIDENTS HAVE URGED FOR ENFORCEABLE SPEED LIMITS ON THESE ROADS.**

**ALTERNATIVE ACTION/MOTION:**

**RETURN TO STAFF FOR ALTERNATE HANDLING.**

**STRATEGIC PLAN PRIORITY DESIGNATION: A SAFE AND HEALTHY COUNTY**

**SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT: DISTRICT 4 AND DISTRICT 5**

**VOTE REQUIREMENT: MAJORITY**

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE AT: N/A**

**FISCAL DETAILS:**

**SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A**

**CURRENT F/Y COST: N/A**

**BUDGET CLARIFICATION: N/A**

**ANNUAL RECURRING COST: N/A**

**BUDGETED IN CURRENT F/Y (IF NO, PLEASE DESCRIBE): N/A**

**REVENUE AGREEMENT: N/A**

**AGREEMENT/RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE APPROVED BY COUNTY COUNSEL: N/A**

**CEO LIAISON: EXECUTIVE OFFICE**

**CEO REVIEW: YES**

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**From:** [Ted Williams](#)  
**To:** [Howard Dashiell](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Letter of Support - Speed Surveys for Albion Ridge Road/Little River Airport Road  
**Date:** Friday, September 20, 2024 4:18:01 PM

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**From:** Parker, Gabriel@CHP <GParker@chp.ca.gov>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 20, 2024 2:56:44 PM  
**To:** Ted Williams <williamst@mendocinocounty.gov>  
**Subject:** Letter of Support - Speed Surveys for Albion Ridge Road/Little River Airport Road

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Good afternoon Supervisor Williams,

The California Highway Patrol, Ukiah Area, supports the initiation of speed surveys on the Mendocino County roads of Albion Ridge Road and Little River Airport Road. If an enforceable speed limit is adopted, the use of radar and lidar would be authorized for enhanced speed enforcement.

Please advise if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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