



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**Title:** Discussion and Possible Action Including Direction to County Counsel to Develop a Private Campground Transient Occupancy Tax Ordinance with Funds Permanently Earmarked to Support Rural Fire Districts  
(Sponsor: Fire and EMS Sustainability Ad Hoc Committee (Supervisors McCowen and Williams))

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| 8/27/2019 | 1    | Board of Supervisors | Adopted and Chair is authorized to sign same; | Pass   |

**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Board of Supervisors

**Meeting Date:** August 27, 2019

**Department Contact:** Supervisor Williams

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**Item Type:** Regular Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** 30 Mins

**Agenda Title:**

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**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Direct County Counsel to develop a private campground Transient Occupancy Tax ordinance and allocation model with funds permanently earmarked to support rural fire districts.

**Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

None

**Summary of Request:**

Our local fire departments are generally first on scene to a myriad of hazard types and provide year round protection to life, property and the environment. Our fire districts are severely underfunded and face ever growing unfunded mandates. Allocation of funds should be based on ensuring a reasonable base level of

service throughout the county.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

No alternate action.

**Supervisory District:** All

**vote requirement:** Majority

**Supplemental Information Available Online At:** N/A

**Fiscal Details:**

**source of funding:** N/A

**current f/y cost:** N/A

**annual recurring cost:** N/A

**budgeted in current f/y:** N/A

**if no, please describe:**

**revenue agreement:** N/A

**budget clarification:** N/A

**Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel:** N/A

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**CEO Liaison:** Janelle Rau, Deputy CEO

**CEO Review:** Yes

**CEO Comments:**

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**Executed By:** Lindsey Dunham, Deputy Clerk I

**Date:** August 29, 2019

**Final Status:** Direction Given to Staff

