



Mendocino County

Legislation Text

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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Board of Supervisors

Meeting Date: October 16, 2018

Department Contact: Georgeanne Croskey

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Item Type: Regular Agenda

Time Allocated for Item: 30 mins

Agenda Title:

Discussion and Possible Action on Brooktrails Emergency Access Including Possible Direction to Staff to Research Emergency Evacuation Route Funding for the Sherwood Road Corridor
(Sponsors: Supervisor Croskey)

Recommended Action/Motion:

Direct staff to research and pursue funding for emergency evacuation routes for the Sherwood Road corridor.

Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:

In November of 2017 an ad hoc committee (Supervisors Croskey and Gjerde) was formed to discuss issues related to second access roads within the county. The Board of Supervisors authorized improved signage along North Sherwood Road to assist in evacuation if necessary. As well, the replacement of a narrow bridge along North Sherwood Road was authorized for replacement next summer.

Summary of Request:

There is an immediate need for emergency evacuation routes for the Brooktrails/Sherwood Road Community. With a second access road for the Brooktrails community still an unfunded need, the risk of wildland fire warrants the development of an emergency evacuation route. The Brooktrails Township is working to develop MOUs with private landowners for use of previously underdeveloped access routes. County staff could look into funding opportunities/partnerships to clear brush and improve the road conditions on these routes.

Alternative Action/Motion:

Do not direct staff to investigate evacuation route funding for the Sherwood corridor.

Supplemental Information Available Online at: N/A

Fiscal Impact:

Source of Funding: N/A

Budgeted in Current F/Y: N/A

Current F/Y Cost: N/A

Annual Recurring Cost: N/A

Supervisory District: All

Vote Requirement: Majority

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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Final Status: Approved

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