



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Text

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Board of Supervisors

**Meeting Date:** January 23, 2018

**Department Contact:** Supervisor Gjerde

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**Item Type:** Consent Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** N/A

**Agenda Title:**

Adoption of Resolution Opposing Off Shore Oil Drilling on the Pacific Coast in Response to the Call for Comments on the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management's Draft Proposed Five-Year Outer Continental Shelf Offshore Oil and Gas Leasing Program for 2019 through 2024  
(Sponsors: Supervisors Gjerde and Hamburg)

**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Adopt Resolution opposing off shore oil drilling on the Pacific Coast in response to the call for comments on the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management's draft proposed Five-Year Outer Continental Shelf Offshore Oil and Gas Leasing Program for 2019 through 2024; and authorize Chair to sign same.

**Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

The Mendocino County Board of Supervisors has historically opposed off-shore oil drilling, most recently sending letters on May 11, 2011 and on January 10, 2017, in opposition of off-shore oil drilling off the California coastline, and stressing the importance of the Mendocino Coast. Other related actions by the Board were taken on February 6, 2001 (Resolution 01-030); April 4, 2006 (Resolution No. 06- 044); July 24, 2007; April 7, 2009.

**Summary of Request:**

The County of Mendocino opposes the inclusion of any portion of the Pacific Coast in BOEM's Draft Proposed Five-Year OCS Leasing Program. Such action threatens the regional clean-coast economy which relies on healthy ecosystems and fisheries and the multiple visitor-serving industries that depend on them.

The adopted Resolution will be submitted as comments as requested on the Draft Proposed Five-Year OCS Leasing Program as well as copies submitted to the California State Legislature, to California's Governor, all members of California's Congressional Delegation, and the White House.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Do not adopt Resolution.

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

**Fiscal Impact:**

**Source of Funding:** N/A

**Current F/Y Cost:** N/A

**Budgeted in Current F/Y:** N/A

**Annual Recurring Cost:** N/A

**Supervisory District:** All

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel:** No

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

**CEO Review:** Yes

**CEO Comments:**

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Executed By: Nadia Tipton

Final Status: **Adopted**

Date: January 26, 2018

Executed Item No.: **Resolution** Number: 18-012

Note to Department:

Executed Documents Returned to

Department: Originals \_\_\_\_\_ Copies

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Auditor? Y/N