SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MONTECITO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Held at Fire District Headquarters, 595 San Ysidro Road, November 4, 2010.

The meeting was called to order by President Jensen at 8:34 am.

Present: Chief Wallace, Director Jensen, Director Venable and, District Counsel T. Amspoker, as well as approximately 3 members of the public were also present. Director Newquist was absent.

1. **Public comment**: Mr. Staufenburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Collins thanked the Board, Chief Wallace and Mr. Amspoker for their efforts in obtaining the easement for road improvements on Upper Hyde Road.

For Board Action:

2. CLOSED SESSION - CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL - EXISTING LITIGATION (Government Code Section 54956.9(a)).

Name of Case: Montecito Fire Protection District, a public entity, vs. Jacqueline De Sitter MD, individually and as trustee of the Casa del Mar Trust, Fidelity National Title Company, JPMorgan Chase Bank, NA, Does 1-25 inclusive. Santa Barbara Superior Court Case No. 1371200.

The Board entered closed session at 9:04 am and combined Agenda Item 2, Conference with legal counsel existing litigation, and Agenda Item 3, Conference with Real Property Negotiators (Government Code Sec. 54956.8) Property: portions of APN 155-070-008, 2500 East Valley Road, Montecito.

The Board reconvened at 9:50 am. And Mr. Amspoker reported that Counsel updated the Board on the status of Santa Barbara Superior Court Case No. 1371200, and no reportable action was taken

- 3. Closed Session Conference with Real Property Negotiators (Government Code Sec. 54956.8) Property: portions of APN 155-070-008, 2500 East Valley Road, Montecito.
 - Agency Negotiators: Kevin Wallace, Fire Chief; and Price Postel & Parma LLP, District Counsel
 - Negotiating Party: Rancho San Carlos/The Petan Co.
 - Under Negotiation: Price and terms of payment.

Mr. Amspoker reported that the Board conferred with negotiators regarding price and terms of payment for portions of APN 155-070-008, 2500 East Valley Road, Montecito, and no reportable action was taken.

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4. Consider Option Agreement for purchase of approx. 2.5 acres, a portion of APN 155-007-008, 2500 East Valley Road, Montecito, with Petan Co., owner.

The Board took no action

5. Fire Chief's report.

The Fire Chief reported nothing and the Board took no action.

6. Board of Directors report.

There were no reports and the Board took no action.

7. Requests from Directors for items other than regular agenda items to be included for the November Regular Board meeting.

There were no requests and the Board took no action.

Director Jensen adjourned the meeting at 9:55 am.