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Napa County Planning Commission Board Agenda Letter

TO: Napa County Planning Commission
FROM: Charlene Gallina for Hillary Gitelman - Director
Planning, Building and Environmental Services
REPORT BY: John McDowell, Deputy Planning Director - 299-1354
SUBJECT: Napa Valley Business Park Study Session

RECOMMENDATION

PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION ON MARKET TRENDS AFFECTING SOUTH COUNTY INDUSTRIAL AND BUSINESS PARK AREAS

Request: William Kampton, Commercial Real Estate Broker with Colliers International, will brief the Commission on current market trends and conditions within the business and industrials areas of Southern Napa County.

CEQA Status: The presentation and discussion is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

Staff Recommendation: Information item - no action required.

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Proposed Action:

This is an informational item; no action is proposed.

Discussion: A brief presentation by commercial real estate broker Bill Kampton concerning market trends and current business conditions for the industrial and business park areas of Southern Napa County. The purpose of this agenda item is to provide information only; it is not intended as the forum for a discussion or debate regarding existing or future policies governing the industrial and business park. (If the Commission wishes to engage in such a discussion, it should request a future agenda item.)

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

The presentation and discussion is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

This item will consist of a brief presentation by commercial real estate broker Bill Kampton concerning market trends and current business conditions for the industrial and business park areas of Southern Napa County. Following the presentation, Mr. Kampton and Staff will be available to respond to questions and comments. The Commission may also accept public comments or questions at the Commission's discretion.

Mr. Kampton has well over 20 years experience as a commercial real estate broker in the North Bay Area with detailed knowledge on the factors influencing Napa's commercial real estate market. Attached is his firm's latest market summary for Napa and nearby communities. In 2011 and 2012, Mr. Kampton served as a member of the County's Airport Industrial Area Blue Ribbon Committee, which was tasked by the Board of Supervisors to identify ways of enhancing development opportunities, to seek out opportunities to create jobs, and to explore measures to overcome obstacles to business park development.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

- A . Business Parks Market Summary
- B . Business Parks Statistics Summary

Napa County Planning Commission: Approve

Reviewed By: John McDowell