RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2015-56

MEETING: February 3, 2015

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Doug Wilson, Interim Public Works Director

RE: Hold a Public Hearing and Appoint Douglas Wilson as the Road Commissioner

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:
Conduct a Public Hearing to Appoint Douglas Wilson as the Mariposa County Road Commissioner.

Section 2006 of the Streets and Highways Code requires a public hearing be held prior to appointing a Road Commissioner. That Section also requires that a Road Commissioner be appointed within 180 days after the position becomes vacant. An Acting Road Commissioner must be serving during the 180 days. The public hearing must be noticed by posting at the courthouse and publishing in a newspaper of general circulation at least once no less than 14 days or more than 30 prior to the hearing. A notice has been posted at the County Courthouse and published in the Mariposa Gazette.

The only requirement indicated in Section 2006 for appointment as Road Commissioner is that the individual appointed must be a Registered Civil Engineer.

Doug Wilson is registered as a Civil Engineer in the State of California and has been serving as the interim or acting Road Commissioner.

Section 2006 directs that the State shall not allocate or make payments from the Highway Users Tax Account in the Transportation Tax Fund to any county that has not complied with the requirement to have a Road Commissioner.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
None

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
Do not appoint Mr. Wilson. The County will be out of compliance and may not receive the allocated funding.

ATTACHMENTS:
Doug Wilson Engineer License (PDF)
CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended

Mary Hodson
Mary Hodson, Interim CAO 1/27/2015

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
SECONDER: Rosemarie Smallcombe, District I Supervisor
AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Carrier
AMENDED

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

On Tuesday, February 3, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter, the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors will conduct a public hearing in the Board Chambers of the Government Center at 5100 Bullion Street, Mariposa, California, to consider appointing Douglas Wilson as the County's Road Commissioner.

Any member of the general public may appear at the hearing and be heard or provide written input. You may also mail a letter to the Clerk of the Board (P. O. Box 784, Mariposa, California, 95338) stating your opinion that will be included as part of the public hearing.

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