Local Agency Formation Commission Resolution No. 2014-4

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A NOTICE OF EXEMPTION AND APPROVING
THE MARIPOSA COUNTY LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION
COMMISSION’S POLICIES, PROCEDURES, AND STANDARDS

WHEREAS, the current Mariposa County Local Agency Formation Commission’s
Policies, Procedures, and Standards were adopted on January 18, 1994; and

WHEREAS, in 2000 the State of California subsequently adopted the Knox-Cortese-
Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, with additional
amendments in 2008 and 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Mariposa County Local Agency Formation Commission’s Policies,
Procedures and Standards require an update to be in compliance with State law;
and

WHEREAS, the LAFCo Executive Officer has reviewed the available information and
prepared a report, including recommendations, and the report and related
information has been presented to and considered by the Commission; and,

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer conducted an analysis of the proposed Policies,
Procedures, and Standards and concluded that the proposal would have no
environmental concerns and is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act
(CEQA), and has recommended that a Notice of Exemption to be adopted, pursuant
to General Rule Exemption; Section 15061, of the CEQA Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the Local Agency Formation Commission held a duly noticed and properly
advertised public hearing on January 28, 2014 to solicit and evaluate public
testimony regarding the update to the Policies, Procedures, and Standards; and

WHEREAS, at the January 28, 2014 hearing, the Commission heard and received all oral
and written comments, and all persons present were given an opportunity to hear
and be heard.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mariposa County Local Agency
Formation Commission does hereby direct the Executive Officer to file a Notice
of Exemption as provided under Section 15062 of the CEQA Guidelines upon
completion of the LAFCO proceedings.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Policies, Procedures and Standards considered
at the January 28, 2014 public hearing shall replace the Policies, Procedures and
Standards adopted by the Commission by Local Agency Formation Commission
Resolution No. 94-1.
ON MOTION BY Commissioner Stetson, seconded by Commissioner Kennedy, this Resolution is duly passed and adopted this 28th day of January, 2014 by the following vote:

AYES:       Jones, Stetson, Kennedy, Casto, Bibby

NOES:       None

ABSENT:     None

ABSTAIN:    None

Kris Casto  
Chairperson  
Mariposa County Local Agency Formation  
Commission

ATTEST:

René LaRoche  
Clerk of the Local Agency  
Formation Commission

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Steven W. Dahlem  
County Counsel