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AGENDA

November 13, 2013 6:30pm

Board of Supervisors Meeting Room

330 Fair Lane - Building A, Placerville, California

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NOTICE: All Agricultural Commission Administrative Relief decisions pertaining to AGRICULTURAL SETBACKS may file an application with the Board of Supervisors within 10 days of the decision. Such applications shall be made to the Development Services Department.

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Minutes of August 14, 2013

IV. PUBLIC FORUM

V. WAC 13-0006 (Neher, Alesha) – Request for a partial roll-out to Ag Preserve #285, removing parcel number 070-210-32, and application to amend existing contract for remaining three parcels; APNs 070-131-56, 070-131-59, and 070-210-55. The parcels are located on the west side of Ponderosa Road, approximately 2.5 miles north of the intersection with US Highway 50, in the Shingle Springs area. (District 4)

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends APPROVAL of the applicant's request for a partial roll-out/non-renewal of parcel number 070-210-32, removing it from WAC # 285, as the parcel does not contribute to the agricultural production of the contract and

APPROVAL of WAC 13-0006, amending WAC # 285 for the three remaining parcels (APN's 070-210-55, 070-131-56, and 070-131-59) as the minimum Williamson Act Contract criteria for a high intensive agricultural operation is being met.

VI. LEGISLATION AND REGULATORY ISSUES – Charlene Carveth

VII. CORRESPONDENCE and PLANNING REQUESTS – Charlene Carveth

- **Agricultural Commissioner Concurrence of Ag Setback Relief-Sandell**
- **Memorandum on Lot 24 of Southfork Ranch Development-reduction of agricultural setback**

VIII. OTHER BUSINESS – Charlene Carveth

- **Farm to Fork Future/ Sacramento Bee**
- **SACOG Metropolitan Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy update**
- **Protect Local Growers Campaign**
- **Agricultural pests update**

IX. ADJOURNMENT