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Memo

Date: July 25, 2019

To: Don Ashton, Chief Administrative Officer
Jim Mitrisin, Clerk of the Board

From: Vickie Sanders, Parks Division

RE: Lime Scooters

Vickie Sanders

On June 25, 2019, item #56, Legistar item #19-1015, the Board heard an item on Lime Scooters and the feasibility of amending Chapter 10.32-Vehicle Regulations on County trail facilities. The Board direction to staff was to work with the Parks and Recreation Commission to bring forward a recommendation to the Board as to whether such changes should be made, taking into consideration enforcement, liability and other impacts. Staff was directed to return in 60 days with a report and recommendation.

I met with Donaldo Palaroan in Department of Transportation who handles trails in South Lake Tahoe for the County. He expressed concerns and issues that were identified when this item was before the South Lake Tahoe City Council and concerns were raised by the Police Department and Barton Hospital. Staff needs to research these issues before coming to the Board

As a result, I am requesting an extension of this item to December 2019 for the following reasons:

- The item will be before the Parks and Recreation Commission in August 2019
- Parks staff is fully burdened at this time as this is the busy season
- This issue requires extensive research to bring a comprehensive report to the Board for consideration
- Based on the timing the season for scooter rental would be over for 2019, therefore we should not rush the report, but be prepared for next season

I would like to propose the following schedule:

- Item to the Parks and Recreation Commission in August to begin the discussion and work on gathering the information for a final recommendation in October 2019.
- Item to the Board in December 2019.

Thank you for your consideration.

cc. Creighton Avila