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8/23 agenda items 19&20

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Dawn Wolfson <dewolfson@aol.com>

Fri, Aug 19, 2022 at 4:00 PM

Reply-To: Dawn Wolfson <dewolfson@aol.com>

To: County of El Dorado Clerk of the Board <edc.cob@edcgov.us>

I am in support for all the reasons previously stated, and pretty outraged by the delaying tactics. See Mayor Taylor's rebuttal of the talking points on the Republican flyer that went around, last week Tuesday's City council meeting, minute 16. I completely agree with her. Thanks, Dawn Wolfson Cameron Park

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Your comments have been forwarded to the Supervisors.

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FYI 19 & 20.

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Support for Aug 23, 2022 BOS Items 19 and 20

2 messages

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Fri, Aug 19, 2022 at 11:56 AM

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Dear Chairperson Parlin,
and
Supervisors Hidahl, Turnboo, Thomas, and Novasel,

Before you today are critical votes of urgency to approve moving ahead on the plan for Perks Ct property, County-owned property, to be used for a Navigation Center with Shelter component for homeless residents of the county. ***I urge a positive vote on items 19 and 20 today. Time is of the essence.***

I understand that all of the components that need to be budgeted have been considered and included. The funding will go elsewhere if not used in this county.

I understand this program is not for long-term housing, but it does provide an alternative for people camping out who wish to be under safe shelter and obtain assistance in moving forward. It does provide a law enforcement alternative as well as potential and probable reduction in emergency services for health and fire.

Obviously, this facility will not be used by everyone who is living 'rough', as some call this. But there is a wide variety of circumstances which bring persons to this living condition. There is no alternative to offer anyone at this time.

Living rough in El Dorado County is thought by some to be a choice of people 'who do not wish to get their act together'. I daresay, wishes are not the biggest reason in most cases. The need for lower rent and additional physical and mental health services, in conjunction with falling incomes and needed services including transportation, creates a harsh melange that "wishing" cannot change.

Some have suggested the old Juvenile Hall be used. On the surface, this might seem useful, but the cost of rehabbing this facility and the cost and location of running it for a shelter and navigation center have been investigated and are not effective.

Others have been misinformed about buildings going up on Missouri Flat Road. These buildings are not government buildings; they are the non-profit Community Health Center (CHC). These are medical facilities are available to many, including Medi-Cal patients who are the very clients who would need them in the Navigation Center. The CHC already has small offices and clinics

scattered around the Missouri Flat corridor. The new facility will unify them and make health care more accessible.

Sadly, misinformation has been spread about this project from otherwise trusted groups, and thus has riled up many folks who otherwise do care about the problems of all our residents including those without housing. We in El Dorado County need **every** effort to address **all** the different problems that lack of housing induces. I pray that we can all work together and meet the variety of needs.

Perks Court Navigation Center and Shelter is just one program. It will not solve everything. It is an urgently needed start.

Please vote in favor, 5-0, on these urgent items #19 and 20.

Sincerely,

Peg Vanderkar,

Placerville CA

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Thank you. Appropriate public comment provided for upcoming agenda items will be added to the corresponding file.

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