

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF ADOPTING )           **RESOLUTION NO. 94-569**  
THE *ENERGY ELEMENT* (94-GP-03) )  
TO SUPERSEDE THE *ENERGY* )  
*CONSERVATION ELEMENT*, )  
OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, )  
TO ESTABLISH POLICIES FOR ENCOURAGING )  
ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND ALTERNATIVE )  
ENERGIES AND TECHNOLOGIES )  
IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY )

**WITH REFERENCE TO THE FOLLOWING:**

- A. In May of 1981, the Board of Supervisors adopted the *Energy Conservation Element* of the Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan;
- B. In 1991, the County obtained a grant from the California Energy Commission to update and expand the *Energy Conservation Element*.
- C. Staff has prepared an element with inter-departmental and public input.
- D. Unlike the 1981 *Energy Conservation Element*, the *Energy Element* addresses transportation and further attempts to be action-oriented to promote an energy efficient future through the wise use of energy.
- E. On November 10, 1994, the *Energy Element* was heard before the Planning Commission. The Commission recommended to the Board of Supervisors to adopt the *Energy Element* to supersede the 1981 *Energy Conservation Element* to the Comprehensive Plan.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:**

1. It is now deemed to be in the interest of the orderly development of the county and important to the preservation of the health, safety, and general welfare of the residents of the county to:
  - (a) Adopt the *Energy Element* to supersede the 1981 *Energy Conservation Element* to the Comprehensive Plan, as specified in this Resolution;
  - (b) Adopt the findings for the *Energy Element* as specified in Attachment A of the Planning Commission Staff Report dated November 1, 1994, including CEQA findings; and
  - (c) Approve and adopt the Negative Declaration, 94-ND-26 as specified in Attachment C of the Planning Commission Staff Report dated November 1, 1994.

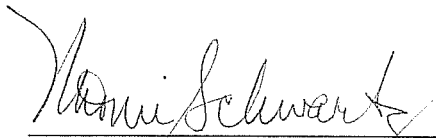
PASSED, APPROVED, AND INITIATED this 13th day of December, 1994,  
by the following votes:

AYES: Supervisors Schwartz, Wallace, Staffel, Stoker

NOES: None

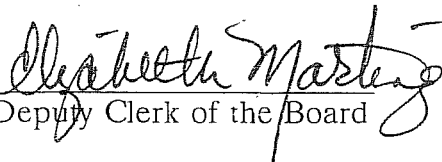
ABSENT: Supervisor Rogers

ABSTENTIONS: None

  
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NAOMI SCHWARTZ, Chair  
Santa Barbara Board of Supervisors

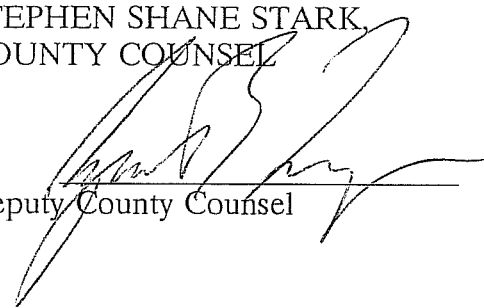
ATTEST:

ZANDRA CHOMONDELEY  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

By   
Deputy Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

STEPHEN SHANE STARK,  
COUNTY COUNSEL

By   
Deputy County Counsel