## Resolution No. 16-17-11 of the Local Agency Formation Commission of Mendocino County

## Finding Insufficient Protest and Ordering Without an Election the Anderson Valley Community Services District Activation of Latent Powers for Ambulance Services

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2016, the Anderson Valley Community Services District, hereinafter referred to as "AVCSD" or the "District", adopted Resolution No. 2016-05 requesting the Local Agency Formation Commission, hereinafter referred to as the "Commission", to take proceedings for a reorganization proposal including annexation/detachment and activation of latent powers; and

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2017, the District Board submitted a letter to LAFCo requesting a change in the scope of their application to remove the annexation/detachment component of the proposal and proceed with the activation of latent powers for ambulance services; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2017, the Commission approved the AVCSD Activation of Latent Powers for Ambulance Services per LAFCo Resolution No. 16-17-10 subject to conducting authority proceedings as required by Government Code Section 57000 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2017, the Commission conducted a duly noticed protest hearing on the AVCSD Activation of Latent Powers for Ambulance Services. At the hearing, the Commission heard and received all relevant oral and written protests, objections, and evidence presented or filed regarding the AVCSD proposal. At the conclusion of public testimony, the Commission closed the public hearing, determined the value of written protests filed against the AVCSD proposal and not withdrawn prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and voted to order the change of organization without an election, as set forth herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission does hereby RESOLVE, DETERMINE, and ORDER as follows:

- 1. The value of written protests filed and not withdrawn is insufficient to order an election or terminate proceedings and therefore the AVCSD Activation of Latent Powers for Ambulance Services is ordered without an election pursuant to Government Code Section 57075(a)(3) and subject to LAFCo Resolution No. 16-17-10.
- 2. The Executive Officer is directed to prepare and execute a Certificate of Completion for the AVCSD Activation of Latent Powers for Ambulance Services and to record a certified copy thereof with the Mendocino County Recorder.

The foregoing Resolution was passed and duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission held on this 5<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Brown, Doble, Gonzalez, Hamburg, The Nerlin, Orth, and Ward

NOES: none

ABSTAIN: none ABSENT: none

ATTEST:

GERALD WARD, Chair

UMA HINMAN, Executive Officer