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TO: Olin Woods, Chair, and members of the

Local Agency Formation Commission

FROM: Elizabeth Castro Kemper, Executive Officer

Elisa Carvalho, Senior Management Analyst

DATE: June 23, 2008

SUBJECT: Consider the applicant's request to waive a second fee deposit associated

with reprocessing the application for the Eleanor Parker/Story Reorganization

to the Esparto Community Services District

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Consider the applicant's request (Attachment 1) to waive a second fee deposit associated with reprocessing the application for the Eleanor Parker/Story Reorganization to the Esparto Community Services District (Map 1/Map 2).

FISCAL IMPACT

LAFCO received a \$2,000 fee deposit with the initial application for the E. Parker/Story Reorganization to the Esparto Community Services District (LAFCO No. 906). Costs for time spent on the initial proposal, which are minimal, will be charged as appropriate. New costs will also be applied to the previously received deposit. The applicant will be required to pay any actual costs that exceed the initial \$2,000 deposit.

A \$150 fee will be charged to the applicant for this waiver request, and subtracted from the initial deposit.

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REASON FOR RECOMMENDED ACTION

The property tax negotiations have failed due to circumstances beyond the applicant's control. County staff did not complete the property tax exchange process prior to the 60-day deadline, as required by state law.

BACKGROUND

The applicant submitted the application for the E. Parker/Story Reorganization to the Esparto Community Services District (CSD) to the Yolo County Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) on February 12, 2008. Part of the annexation process involves a property tax exchange agreement between the Esparto CSD and the County. By state law, this exchange agreement must be ratified within 60 days of LAFCO's receipt of a report from the County Auditor-Controller. LAFCO received the Auditor's report on April 10, 2008 and the 60 days expired on June 9, 2008 without county or district action.

Attachment:

Attachment 1: Letter from applicant requesting a deposit fee waiver

Map 1: Parker Property Map 2: Story Property

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May 22, 2008

Elizabeth C. Kemper, Executive Officer Local Agency Formation Commission County of Yolo 625 Court Street, Room 202 Woodland, CA 95695

Re: E. Parker/Story Reorganization to Esparto CSD (second application)

Dear Elizabeth:

In response to the letter from Elisa Carvalho dated May 16, 2008, enclosed please find our petition for the E. Parker/Story Reorganization to the Esparto CSD from LAFCO Proceeding No. 906, initialed and dated again per your instructions. Also enclosed is the previous party disclosure form, initialed and dated again as well. Finally, enclosed is a Notice of Intent to Circulate Petition which I have completed, signed and dated.

The previous deposit will be applied toward LAFCO's costs to process this second petition. Therefore, per your suggestion please consider this letter a request for waiver of a second deposit. Please forward this request for waiver to the Commission for consideration at its June meeting.

I understand your office will use the other previous submittals, including the District Service Plan signed by Ron Loudon on behalf of the Esparto CSD. If Elisa or you have any questions or require further information, please let Mark Armstrong or me know.

Sincerely,

Emerald Homes LT, LLC, a California limited liability company

David L. Lazares

Manager

Enclosures

By:

cc w/enclosures:

Mark Armstrong



