

Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at 9:00 a.m. or as soon thereafter as may be heard, in the Board of Supervisors' Chambers, 311 Fourth Street, 2nd Floor, Yreka, California, on the following item:

Adoption of the 2050 Siskiyou County General Plan Visioning and Guiding Principles

Staff is presenting the recommended version of the Visioning and Guiding Principles that were vetted by the Planning Commission and members of the public at the special Planning Commission meeting on March 5, 2025. Staff will be presenting the recommended version to be adopted by the Board. A vision statement reflects what community members value most about the County and their shared aspirations for the future. The vision statement sets the direction for the General Plan's goals, policies, and implementation programs for the next 20 years. For more information on the project, follow the project website link: <https://siskiyou2050.com/>.

The General Plan Visioning and Guiding Principles recommendation is exempt from environmental review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines under the general rule that CEQA only applies to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Because it can be seen with certainty that there is no potential for the proposed recommendation to have a significant effect on the environment, staff is recommending the "common sense exemption" be adopted in accordance with Section 15061(b)(3) of the CEQA Guidelines.

The public may attend by teleconference or in person. All interested persons are invited to be present and be heard thereon or present comments in writing to the Board of Supervisors, 311 Fourth Street, Room 201, Yreka, CA 96097 or to the following email: wendy@sisqvotes.org. All items presented to the Board of Supervisors during a public hearing, including but not limited to, letters, e-mail, petitions, photos, or maps, become a permanent part of the record and must be submitted to the Clerk of the Board. It is advised that the presenter bring 7 copies of anything presented to the Board and that the presenter create copies in advance for their own records.

All public records related to an open session item on the agenda, which are not exempt from disclosure pursuant to the California Public Records Act, that are distributed to a majority of the legislative body will be available for public inspection at 311 Fourth Street, Room 201, Yreka CA 96097 at the same time that the public records are distributed or made available to a majority of the members of the legislative body. All supporting documentation is available for public review in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, located in the Siskiyou County Clerk's Office, 311 Fourth Street, Room 201, Yreka, CA 96097, during regular business hours, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

If you challenge this issue in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing.

Laura Bynum, County Clerk

By: s:/ Wendy Winningham, Deputy