



## SAN BENITO COUNTY AGENDA ITEM TRANSMITTAL FORM

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**Item Number: 3.6**

**MEETING DATE:** 02/07/2023

**DEPARTMENT:** COUNTY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

**AGENDA ITEM PREPARER:** Gracie Rodriguez

**DEPT HEAD/DIRECTOR:** Ray Espinosa

**SUBJECT:**

**COUNTY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE - R. ESPINOSA**

Adopt resolution acknowledging receipt of a report from Hollister Fire Department confirming inspection of certain occupancies required annually according to sections 13146.2 and 13146.3 of the California Health and Safety Code.

SBC FILE NUMBER: 119

RESOLUTION NO.: 2023-19

**AGENDA SECTION:**

CONSENT AGENDA

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:**

After the tragic 2016 "Ghost Ship Fire" in Oakland that killed 36 people, Senator Jerry Hill introduced Senate Bill 1205, The Fire Protection Services - Compliance Reporting. The bill was passed on September 27, 2018, and Section 13146.4 was added to the [States Health and Safety Code](#).

California Health and Safety Code Sections 13146.2 and 13146.3 requires all fire departments, including the Hollister Fire Department, that provide fire protection services to perform annual inspections in every building used as a public or private school, hotel, motel, lodging house, apartment house, and individual residential care facilities for compliance with building standards, as provided.

California Health and Safety Code section 13146.2 requires all fire departments, including Hollister Fire Department, that provide fire protection services to report annually to its administering authority on its compliance with sections 13146.2 and 13146.3.

The resolution will fulfill the California Health & Safety Code's requirements regarding the acknowledgment of the Hollister Fire Department's compliance with the California Health & Safety Code

Sections 13146.2 and 13146.3 in the encompassed areas as follows:

**A. EDUCATIONAL GROUP E OCCUPANCIES:**

Educational Group E occupancies are generally those public and private schools used by more than six persons at any one time for educational purposes through the 12th grade. Within the County of San Benito, there lie 12 Group E occupancies, buildings, structures, and/or facilities.

During the calendar year 2022, the Hollister Fire Department completed the annual inspection of 12 Group E occupancies, buildings, structures, and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 100% for this reporting period.

**B. RESIDENTIAL GROUP R OCCUPANCIES:**

For the purposes of this resolution, Residential Group R occupancies are generally those occupancies containing sleeping units and include hotels, motels, apartments (two units or more), etc., as well as other residential occupancies (including a number of residential care facilities). These residential care facilities have a number of different sub-classifications, and they may contain residents or clients with a range of needs, including those related to custodial care, mobility impairments, cognitive disabilities, etc. The residents may also be non-ambulatory or bedridden. Within the County of San Benito, there lie 2 Group R (and their associated sub-categories) occupancies of this nature.

During the calendar year 2022, the Hollister Fire Department completed the annual inspection of 2 Group R occupancies, buildings, structures and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 100% for this reporting period.

**C. INSTITUTIONAL GROUP I OCCUPANCIES:**

Institutional Group I occupancy includes, among others, for the purposes of this resolution, the use of a building or structure, or a portion thereof, in which people are cared for or live in a supervised environment, having physical limitations because of health or age, are harbored for medical treatment or other care or treatment, or in which people are detained for penal or correctional purposes or in which the liberty of the occupants is restricted. Within the County of San Benito, there lie 2 Group I (and their associated sub-categories) occupancies of this nature.

During the calendar year 2022, the Hollister Fire Department completed the annual inspection of 2 (biennial inspection, next inspection is this year, 2023) Group I occupancies, buildings, structures and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 100% for this reporting period.

**RESOLUTION OR ORDINANCE NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:**

Yes

**CONTRACT NEEDED FOR THIS ITEM:**

No

**CONTRACT AND RFP HISTORY:**

N/A

**LAST CONTRACT AMOUNT OR N/A:**

N/A

**STATE IF THIS IS A NEW CONTRACT/ HOW MANY PAST AMENDED CONTRACTS/ OR  
N/A:**

N/A

**STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 1. Operational Development & Excellence**

No

**STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 2. Planning And Sustainable Growth**

No

**STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 3. Technology**

No

**STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 4. Community Engagement**

No

**STRATEGIC PLAN GOALS: 5. Health & Safe Community**

Yes

**BUDGETED:**

N/A

**BUDGET ADJUSTMENT NEEDED:**

N/A

**SOURCE OF FUNDING:**

N/A

**UNFUNDED MANDATE:**

N/A

**SBC BUDGET LINE ITEM NUMBER:**

N/A

**CURRENT FY COST:**

N/A

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION:**

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**BOARD ACTION RESULTS:**

Adopted Resolution No. 2023-19, per staff recommendation. (5/0 Vote)

**ATTACHMENTS:**

[2022 County of San Benito Inspections](#)

[Senate Bill 1205](#)

[HPD RESOLUTION](#)