

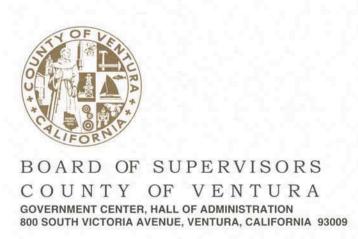
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March 15, 2011

Board of Supervisors County of Ventura 800 South Victoria Avenue Ventura, CA 93009

<u>SUBJECT</u>: Nomination of Ventura City Councilman Brian Brennan to the California Coastal Commission.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

- Request the board approve the nomination of Councilman Brian Brennan to the California Coastal Commission representing the South Central Coast.
- 2. Authorize the Clerk of the Board to convey this nomination to the Governor.

DISCUSSION:

Pursuant to State Law (Section 30301.2 of the Public Resource Code) Governor Brown has requested that the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura nominate at least one County Supervisor and one Councilmember to serve on the California Coastal Commission representing the South Central Coast Region.

This Board on February 15th of this year nominated Supervisor Gibson from San Luis Obispo and Supervisor Wolf of Santa Barbara County.

Under Section 30301.2 of the Public Resource Code in regions composed of three counties, the board of supervisors and the city selection committee in each county within the region shall each nominate one or more supervisors and one or more city council members.

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This Board has the authority to also recommend a city council member to the Governor for this appointment also. At this time I'm requesting this Board nominate Councilman Brennan for his tireless dedication to a balanced approach to the stewardship of our coastline where the vested private property rights are balanced fairly with a need to protect and enhance our coastal public lands.

Cordially,

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