

ORDINANCE NO. 3530

AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO TO DESIGNATE FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONES

The Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo ordains as follows:

Section 1: Government Code Section 51179 requires a local agency to designate, by ordinance, Moderate, High, and Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zones within its jurisdiction within 120 days of receiving recommendations from the State Fire Marshal pursuant to Section 51178.

Section 2. The County hereby designates the Fire Hazard Severity Zones as recommended by the Office of the State Fire Marshal pursuant to Government Code Section 51178 and as shown on the map attached as Exhibit A. The map approved by the County is hereby incorporated by reference and titled "San Luis Obispo County Fire Hazard Severity Zones." The official map is available electronically on the following website: www.calfireslo.org.

Section 3. The Clerk of the Board is directed to transmit a copy of an ordinance adopted pursuant to Section 51179(a) to the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection within 30 days of adoption, as specified in Title 14, Division 1.5, Chapter 7, Subchapter 3, Article 1.

Section 4: If any section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portion of this ordinance. The County Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses, phrases or portions be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 5: Before the expiration of 15 days after the adoption of this ordinance by the San Luis Obispo County Board of Supervisors, it shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, together with the names of the members of the Board of Supervisors voting for and against the ordinance.

Section 6: This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its enactment by the Board of Supervisors.

INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors held on the 8th of April, 2025, and **PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, on the 29th of April, 2025, by the following roll call to vote, to wit:

AYES: Supervisors Jimmy Paulding, John Peschong, Bruce S. Gibson, Heather Moreno and Chairperson Dawn Ortiz-Legg

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINING: None

The foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.



Dawn Ortiz-Legg
Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

MATT PONTES
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Niki Martin
Deputy Clerk

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APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL EFFECT:

RITA L. NEAL
County Counsel

By: /s/ Benjamin Dore
Deputy County Counsel

Dated: March 31, 2025