

**Resolution No. 2018-19-05
of the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission**

**Approving Adoption of the
Fort Bragg Rural Fire Protection District
Municipal Service Review and Sphere of Influence (SOI) Update**

WHEREAS, the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission, hereinafter referred to as the “Commission”, is authorized to conduct municipal service reviews and establish, amend, and update spheres of influence for local governmental agencies whose jurisdictions are within Mendocino County; and

WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a municipal service review to evaluate the Fort Bragg Rural Fire Protection District, hereinafter referred to as the “District”, pursuant to California Government Code Section 56430; and

WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a sphere of influence update for the District pursuant to California Government Code Section 56425; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer gave sufficient notice of a public hearing to be conducted by the Commission in the form and manner prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Officer’s report and recommendations on the municipal service review and sphere of influence update were presented to the Commission in the manner provided by law; and

WHEREAS, the Commission heard and fully considered all the evidence presented at a public hearing held on the municipal service review and sphere of influence update on March 4, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Commission considered all the factors required under California Government Code Sections 56430 and 56425.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission does hereby RESOLVE, DETERMINE, and ORDER as follows:

1. The Commission, as Lead Agency, finds the municipal service review is exempt from further review under the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Title 14 California Code of Regulations §15306. This finding is based on the use of the municipal service review as a data collection and service evaluation study. The information contained within the municipal service review may be used to consider future actions that will be subject to additional environmental review.
2. The Commission, as Lead Agency, finds the sphere of influence update is exempt from further review under the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Title 14 California Code of Regulations §15061(b)(3). This finding is based on the Commission determining with certainty that the update will have no possibility of significantly effecting the environment given that this update does not grant new land use entitlements, changes to the physical environment, or municipal service powers or areas.
3. This municipal service review and sphere of influence update is assigned the following distinctive short-term designation: “Fort Bragg Rural FPD MSR/SOI Update 2019”.

4. Pursuant to Government Code Section 56430(a), the Commission makes the written statement of determinations included in the municipal service review, hereby incorporated by reference.
5. Pursuant to Government Code Section 56425(e), the Commission makes the written statement of determinations included in the sphere of influence update, hereby incorporated by reference.
6. The Executive Officer shall revise the official records of the Commission to reflect this update of the sphere of influence for the District.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Fort Bragg Rural FPD MSR/SOI Update 2019 is hereby approved and incorporated herein by reference and the existing sphere of influence that is coterminous with the District's boundary is affirmed with no changes as depicted in Exhibit "A", attached hereto.

The foregoing Resolution was passed and duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mendocino Local Agency Formation Commission held on this 4th day of March 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Brown, Gonzalez, Huff, Ignacio, McCowen, Orth, and Ward
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None

ATTEST:



UMA HINMAN, Executive Officer



CARRE BROWN, Chair