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SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FOR THE FORMATION OF A SPECIAL DISTRICT

Proposed Name of Special District: _____

DESCRIPTION/JUSTIFICATION FOR THE FORMATION OF A SPECIAL DISTRICT

1. Explain why the formation of a new district is being proposed, and justify why a new district should be formed instead of annexing the territory to an existing district.

2. List all services to be provided by the new district and discuss why the service(s) is/are necessary at this time.

3. Describe the rationale and methods used to establish the boundaries of the proposed district.

4. Describe how the district's board of directors would be established (elected, or appointed by the County Board of Supervisors).

5. Explain the potential for the proposed new district to annex adjacent territory, and the likelihood that the district boundary will be extended in the future.

6. How many residents are within the proposed district? _____
How many of these are registered voters? _____
What is the source of your calculation? _____

LAND USE INFORMATION

1. How many acres or square miles of territory would be included within the proposed district?

2. List any existing, adjacent or neighboring agency(ies) that either currently provides or is authorized to provide the service requested by this proposal. _____

3. Describe the current prevalent land uses and the predominant General Plan designations in the area. _____

4. Is any change in land use anticipated as a result of this proposal? What other land uses or new development might occur? _____

5. Describe the topography of the area as well as the proposed district's geographic location in relation to cities, communities, freeways/highways, or major landmarks. _____

SPHERE OF INFLUENCE INFORMATION: A "sphere of influence" is defined as a plan for the probable physical boundaries and service area of a local governmental agency, as determined by the Local Agency Formation Commission (Government Code § 56076).

1. If, other than a coterminous sphere is proposed as part of the district formation proposal, please show the proposed sphere boundary on a plat map. Explain the rationale used in the proposed sphere area, etc. _____

2. If any of the territory proposed for inclusion within the new district is within another agency's sphere, please state which one(s): _____
3. List any existing agency(ies) within the proposed sphere that are providing or are authorized to provide the same service that the new district would be providing (i.e., cities, districts, private companies). _____

FISCAL INFORMATION: For the questions in this section, please submit answers on additional pages and attach to this form.

1. Explain how the new district, if formed, would be financed (i.e., source of funding).
2. Discuss the anticipated cost of district services to residents/service users.
3. Discuss the financial feasibility of providing the proposed service(s) through alternative arrangements (i.e., annexation to an existing agency, service contract with a private entity, etc.).