

19. Adopt an "Ordinance Amending Subdivision (A) of Section 2.02.060 of the Santa Cruz County Code Relating to the Compensation of the Board of Supervisors," (Approved in concept June 10, 2025) ()



County of Santa Cruz Board of Supervisors

Agenda Item Submittal

From: Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Subject: Ordinance Amending Santa Cruz County Code Chapter 2.02.060

Meeting Date: June 24, 2025

Formal Title: Adopt an "Ordinance Amending Subdivision (A) of Section 2.02.060 of the Santa Cruz County Code Relating to the Compensation of the Board of Supervisors," (Approved in concept June 10, 2025)

Recommended Actions

Adopt an" Ordinance Amending Subdivision (A) of Section 2.02.060 of the Santa Cruz County Code Relating to the Compensation of the Board of Supervisors," as approved in concept on June 10, 2025.

Executive Summary

n/a

Discussion

On June 10, 2025, the Board of Supervisors approved the ordinance in concept and scheduled it for second reading/final adoption on June 24, 2025.

Financial Impact

There is no financial impact associated with the recommended actions.

Strategic Initiatives

N/A

Submitted By:

Carlos J. Palacios, County Executive Office

Recommended By:

Carlos J. Palacios, County Executive Officer

Artificial Intelligence Acknowledgment:

Artificial Intelligence (AI) did not significantly contribute to the development of this agenda item.

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**ORDINANCE AMENDING SUBDIVISION (A) OF SECTION 2.02.060
OF THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY CODE RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz ordains as follows:

SECTION I

Subdivision (A) of Section 2.02.060 of the Santa Cruz County Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

2.02.060 Compensation.

(A) The biweekly compensation for members of the Board of Supervisors shall be \$5,835.80 effective August 24, 2025.

Beginning January 1, 2022, any increase to the salary of members of the Board of Supervisors shall be linked to salary increases for Superior Court judges. Annually, each June, the Board of Supervisors may adopt an ordinance to increase the salaries of Board members. Any increase shall be in an amount designed to maintain an annual salary no greater than 62 percent of the salary for Superior Court judges as of the date of ordinance adoption. The application of any salary increases shall be prospective and shall take effect on the sixty-first day after the date of final adoption of the ordinance establishing the salary increase.

SECTION II

This ordinance shall take effect on the 61st day after the date of final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this____ day of _____, 2025 by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz by the following vote:

Ayes:	Supervisors
Noes:	Supervisors
Absent:	Supervisors
Abstain:	Supervisors


Felipe Hernandez
Chairperson of the Board

ATTEST:

Juliette Rezzato
Clerk of the Board

Approved as to form:

Signed by:

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Arthur G. Wille
Assistant County Counsel

cc: County Executive Officer
Auditor-Payroll; Personnel (2)
County Counsel

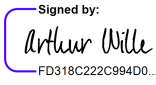
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