



**SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA ITEM
AGENDA STAFF REPORT**

Control: 26001491

MEETING DATE: 06/23/2026

LEGAL ENTITY TAKING ACTION: Board of Supervisors

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board of Supervisors

DISTRICT(S):

SUBMITTING Vice Chair Katrina Foley

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SUBJECT: Public Notification Requirements for Herbicide and Pesticide Applications During the Transition Period

CEO CONCUR	COUNTY COUNSEL REVIEW	CLERK OF THE BOARD
N/A	No Legal Objection	DISCUSSION 3 Votes Board Majority

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

1. Direct OC Public Works staff to develop public noticing requirements for any proposed herbicide or pesticide application, including advance notice on the County website, posted notice at affected public sites where feasible, identification of the product proposed for use, purpose of application, application area, date range, contact information, and explanation of why non chemical alternatives cannot reasonably address the documented need.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Recent public reporting, community concern, and comments during and after the June 9, 2026, Board of Supervisors meeting indicate that widespread concern remains about public noticing regarding the use of pesticides and herbicides that may impact residents.

This item directs staff to develop public noticing requirements for any proposed herbicide or pesticide application, including advance notice on the County website, posted notice at affected public sites where feasible, identification of the product proposed for use, purpose of application, application area, date range, contact information, and explanation of why non chemical alternatives cannot reasonably address the documented need.

As the County staff conduct the San Juan and Trabuco Creek Flood Channels Pilot, develop recommendations to revise the County integrated pest management plans, and any necessary protocols and procedures, public notice must improve.

ATTACHMENTS:

N/A