

MINUTE ITEM

10/26/67

52. BEACH CLEARANCE, SUMMERLAND, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 3399.

After consideration of Calendar Item 54 attached, and upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZES THE PREPARATION OF A CONTRACT AND THE EMPLOYMENT OF A CONTRACTOR THROUGH COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESSES FOR THE REMOVAL OF OBSTRUCTIONS LOCATED ON TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS NEAR SUMMERLAND, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

Attachment

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54.

## BEACH CLEARANCE, SUMMERLAND, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY - W.O. 3399.

The State Legislature in the 1966 Extraordinary Session appropriated the sum of \$53,400 to the State Lands Commission for the removal of obstructions, consisting of abandoned well casings and pilings, seaward of the ordinary high water mark in the Summerland area, Santa Barbara County. These obstructions are the remnants of oil-production operations conducted on tide and submerged lands prior to the adoption of the first State Mineral Leasing Act in 1921, and they constitute a menace to small-boat navigation and beach-recreational activities.

Preliminary studies have been conducted to evaluate the most efficient and economical method of removing the obstructions. Based upon these studies, the staff is prepared to offer a contract, for competitive public bidding, for the removal of the well casings and pilings located on State lands.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZE THE PREPARATION OF A CONTRACT AND THE EMPLOYMENT OF A CONTRACTOR THROUGH COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESSES FOR THE REMOVAL OF OBSTRUCTIONS LOCATED ON TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS NEAR SUMMERLAND, SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.