

COUNTY OF NEVADA

Agricultural Advisory Commission

255 South Auburn Street Grass Valley, CA 95945 (530) 273-2648 New.nevadacounty.com/nc/cda/agcomm Terry Jochim, Chair – Cattle Industry Rich Johansen, Vice Chair – Truck Farming Industry Laura Barhydt – Agricultural Interests Clifford Bottenfield, Jr – Forestry Related Industry Brad Fowler – Agricultural Interests Susan Hoek – Agricultural Interests Lesa Osterholm, – Equine Industry Pam Stone – Other Livestock Industry Lynn Wilson – Viticulture Industry

DATE:

August 25, 2015

TO:

Brian Foss, Planning Director

FROM:

Terry Jochim, Agricultural Advisory Commission Chair 14 3/16/16

SUBJECT:

Recommendation to non-renew Williamson Act Contract AG 89-08; APN 50-400-04

During its regularly scheduled meeting on August 19, 2015, the Agricultural Advisory Commission discussed a non-renewal recommendation for the Liskin Williamson Act Contract.

Ms. Liskin responded to a Williamson Act Survey in 2013 indicating she had no agricultural operations on the property. Commissioner Flores confirmed this when she did a site visit to the property last week. Ms. Liskin was notified and signed a certified letter that the AAC would be discussing this at the August AAC Meeting and that a recommendation would be made that may include a non-renewal. Ms. Liskin's neighbors were also notified of the meeting. Ms. Liskin has not been in contact with staff and did not attend the meeting.

Commission Chair Jochim called for a motion to recommend a non-renewal for the Liskin Williamson Act Contract. Commission Member Johansen made the motion. Commission Member Hoek seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously with none opposed.

cc: Chris Flores, Ex-Officio Member – Agricultural Commissioner Roger Ingram, Ex-Officio Member – UC Farm Advisor Hank Weston – District 4 Supervisor Sue Horne – Nevada County Assessor