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TO: Measure A Citizens Oversight Committee

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SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM <u>D</u>: REPORT ON STATUS OF MEASURE A LOW-INCOME SENIOR EXEMPTIONS

Recommended Action: Receive and file Report on Measure A Low-Income Senior Exemptions.

<u>Background:</u> Since the passage of Measure A on November 4, 2014, and the first year's application of the parcel tax on the County Assessor's Tax Rolls in FY15-16, the numeric breakdown for approved exemption applications due each June 1 is as follows:

FY15-16	113
FY16-17	128
FY17-18	119
FY18-19	136
FY19-20	135

As reported previously under your regular Next Gen Project updates, 3 Media Advisories on the exemption process are released prior to each annual deadline.

Information on the exemption is posted on the MERA website homepage and hard copy application packets are disseminated to the Member Agencies for distribution at their public information counters.

Purpose of the annual exemption application is to address changes in age and income eligibility from year to year.