

**NOTICE OF PROTEST HEARING  
HUMBOLDT LAFCO**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Executive Officer of the Humboldt Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo) will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, May 1, 2024, at 5:30 p.m. at the Six Rivers Masonic Lodge, 251 Bayside Road, Arcata, CA 95521. The hearing will be conducted by the Commission's Executive Officer who has been delegated authority to conduct this public hearing. The purpose of the hearing is to receive written protests filed against the following item:

**ANNEXATION OF GOODWILL RESPONSE AREAS TO THE ARCATA FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

Proceedings for this annexation were initiated by the Arcata FPD and includes annexation of approx. 3,561 acres of land (117 parcels) located outside the boundaries and currently served by Arcata FPD on a goodwill basis. LAFCo held a public hearing and approved the annexation on March 20, 2024, as set forth in LAFCo Resolution No. 24-02.

To be considered valid, protests must be written and filed by either a landowner or a registered voter within the annexation area. The protest must be signed and dated, must state whether it is made by a landowner or a registered voter or both, and must include the name and address of the protestor. An Assessor's Parcel Number identifying the location of the land is acceptable for a landowner. A registered voter's protest must show the name and address appearing on the affidavit of registration. Protests may either be hand delivered at the protest hearing, mailed to Humboldt LAFCo at 670 9th Street, Suite 5, Arcata, CA 95521 (new address), or emailed to the LAFCo Executive Officer at [colettem@humboldtlafo.org](mailto:colettem@humboldtlafo.org). Only written protests that are received prior to the end of the hearing will be accepted as timely.

The agenda will be posted on the Commission's website at least 72 hours before the scheduled start time of the meeting. For further information or to obtain a copy of the LAFCo resolution or protest forms, call (707) 445-7508, email [colettem@humboldtlafo.org](mailto:colettem@humboldtlafo.org) (preferred), or visit the LAFCo website at [www.humboldtlafo.org/public-hearing-notices-2024/](http://www.humboldtlafo.org/public-hearing-notices-2024/).