

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-04

**RESOLUTION REQUESTING CONSENT OF THE COUNTY OF
VENTURA TO RENEW THE OJAI TOURISM IMPROVEMENT
DISTRICT AND REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 2017-02**

WHEREAS, the City Council (the "Council") of the City of Ojai (the "City") desires to begin proceedings to renew the Ojai Tourism Improvement District ("OTID")

WHEREAS, certain lodging business owners have requested that the City Council of the City of Ojai renew the OTID; and

WHEREAS, a portion of the territory proposed to be included in the renewed OTID lies within the boundaries of the County of Ventura, as shown on the map attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by such attachment; and

WHEREAS, the area of the County of Ventura which lies within the boundaries of the renewed OTID will, in the opinion of the Council, be benefited by the improvements and activities, and the purpose sought to be accomplished can best be accomplished by a single comprehensive scheme of work;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Ojai that:

Section 1: The above recitals are true and correct.

Section 2: Consent of the County of Ventura, through its Board of Supervisors, is hereby requested to renew the OTID, and to grant to the Council jurisdiction for all the purposes in connection with creation, operation and future renewals of the proposed OTID. This assessment, if adopted, will only be levied on hotels, motels, and bed and breakfasts with current licenses operated in compliance with all state, federal and local laws. The assessment will not be levied on short-term or vacation rentals in residential structures or residential zones.

Section 3: The City Clerk is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Clerk of the Board of the County of Ventura.

ON MOTION duly made, seconded, and carried the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Ojai, State of California, this 31st day of January, 2017 by the following vote:

AYES: Council Members Blatz, Haney, Weirick
NOES: Council Members Johnston, Francina
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None



Mayor

ATTEST:  _____
Deputy City Clerk

EXHIBIT A District Boundaries

