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Department Statement

Board of Supervisors Meeting: November 24, 2026

Hearing on Project No. 2026-003680-(5), Advance Planning Case No. RPPL2026003171 and Street Name Change No. 765, to approve the street name change ("Project") of a 0.33-mile segment of East Avenue Q to the dual name designation of Deputy Ryan Clinkunbroomer Avenue (Avenue Q) in the Antelope Valley community. The Project renames the segment of East Avenue Q from Sierra Highway to 10th Street East pursuant to Section 970.5 of the Streets and Highways Code of the State of California. The street name change applies to the segments of East Avenue Q within the unincorporated community of the Antelope Valley and will align with a larger street name change already approved by the City of Palmdale from 10th Street East to 40th Street East. The Project is categorically exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to Section 15301(c) of the California Code of Regulations.

On September 22, 2026, the County of Los Angeles Board of Supervisors approved a motion titled "Avenue Q Street Name Change to Honor Deputy Ryan Clinkunbroomer." The motion directed the Department of Regional Planning, in coordination with Public Works and City of Palmdale, to "take the necessary actions, to rename the County portions of Avenue Q as "Deputy Clinkunbroomer Ave" with Avenue Q in parentheses."

The Project honors the service of Los Angeles Sheriff's Deputy Ryan Clinkunbroomer who served the Antelope Valley community for over eight years and was a third-generation Sheriff's Deputy. Deputy Clinkunbroomer was tragically shot and killed in an unprovoked ambush just outside the Palmdale Sheriff's Station at the intersection of Sierra Highway and East Avenue Q on September 16, 2023. The proposed street name change was developed in collaboration with the City of Palmdale, Public Works, Deputy Clinkunbroomer's family, and the Los Angeles County Street Naming Committee.

On October 21, 2025, the City of Palmdale approved the street name change beginning at 10th Street East and extending to 40th Street East. The Project will align the street name change in the segment of roadway within the unincorporated community of the Antelope Valley beginning at Sierra Highway and extending to 10th Street East. To appropriately honor Deputy Clinkunbroomer while also facilitating legibility, the street name will be abbreviated to "Deputy

Clinkunbroomer Av" with the text for "Avenue Q" located beneath the honorary name in a smaller font and in parentheses. The dual name change allows residents and businesses on the impacted street to forego the requirement to register a permanent address change.

Respectfully submitted,

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