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May 14, 2009

Board of Supervisors Stanislaus County 1010 10th Street, Suite 6500 Modesto, CA 95354

Re: Dry Period Funding FY 2009-2010

Dear Supervisors:

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District held on May 14, 2009, the District Board authorized a request to be forwarded to Stanislaus County requesting dry period funding for FY 2009-10. The following is an estimate:

Property Taxes \$2,119,248.57 Assessments \$6,113,200.38 Total \$8,232,448.95

85%

\$6,997,581.60

Our agency has continued to improve over the last year and has worked hard in accomplishing the following goals:

- ► Maintain a balanced budget.
- Established and contributed into Contingency Funds for four years.
- ► Continued to evaluate and update internal controls regarding District expenditures.
- ▶ Continued to research and implement options to become financially self reliant.
- Established and implemented a long-term plan to fund Unfunded Liabilities. (California Public Employees Retirement System).
- Retired a significant portion of our long-term debt. (Paid off four fire engines).

We respectfully request under the provisions of Government Code Sections 23010 and 23010.1 that dry period funding be approved for FY 2009-10 in the amount of \$6,997,581.60.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Charles Turner,

Vice-President of the Board of Directors Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District

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