



The County of El Dorado

Community & Economic Development Advisory Committee

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November 9, 2016

Honorable Ron Mikulako
Honorable Shiva Frentzen
Honorable Brian Veerkamp
Honorable Michael Ranalli
Honorable Sue Novasel
and
El Dorado County CAO, Don Ashton
El Dorado County ACAO, Shawne Corley

El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
330 Fair Lane, Building A
Placerville, California 95667
Re: CEDAC Letter of Support

Honorable Members of the Board of Supervisors,

The Community and Economic Development Committee met on October 27 and heard from Chief Administrative Officer, Don Ashton. He provided an excellent update of the current plans his office and the County have.

CEDAC was especially gratified to hear that rather than immediately recruit a new economic development manager, the strategy is to use a county-wide approach to economic development. This resonated with committee members. The broader the base covering the issue, the better the outcomes are likely to be.

CEDAC would like to add our wholehearted support to Mr. Ashton and the programs and approaches he shared with us. The committee looks forward to helping in any way as the County moves forward with economic development.

Very sincerely,

Linnea Marengo
Vice Chairperson