



03/23/2022

Congressman Tom McClintock
Roseville District Office
2200A Douglas Blvd., Suite 240
Roseville, CA 95661

RE: Support of HR 6903/Fire Suppression Bill

Dear Congressman McClintock,

The City of Rocklin would like to express our **support** of the **HR 6903/Fire Suppression Bill** that you and Congressman LaMalfa have brought to Congress. The City of Rocklin supports efforts that improve fire suppression and prevention, and HR 6903 will protect the region through swift and targeted responses to wildfires. The U.S. Forest Service must act quickly to suppress fires that burn on Forest Service lands in order to protect the health and safety of residents in the region.

Allowing wildfires to burn without containment causes a drain on local community resources and decreases air quality for our residents, impacting the most vulnerable among our population. The cancellation of events and outdoor activities due to wildfire smoke also stifles economic development, resident activities, and tourism.

The Sierra Foothills region continues to experience excessive drought and drying forest conditions. If wildfires are allowed to burn without containment, the health and safety of the residents of this region will be in jeopardy. It is vital that wildfires are controlled and extinguished as soon as possible in order to protect the safety and livelihood of thousands of families in Rocklin and beyond.

For these reasons, the City of Rocklin **Supports HR 6903**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bill Halldin".

Bill Halldin
Mayor, City of Rocklin