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Mr. Alan Ehrgott, Executive Director
American River Conservancy
P. O. Box 562
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Dear Alan,

A quick note to let you know that California Wildlife Foundation/California Oaks has the private matching funds in the amount of \$500,000 in hand to make good on our promise to assist with the El Dorado Ranch Project.

When you have escrow open, please know that it will take us three to five business days to wire CWF/CO's contribution. If there is anything else we can do to help you move things forward, please do not hesitate to call me at 510-763-0211.

Thank you for your dedication and leadership in conserving California's important natural capital.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Janet". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Janet S. Cobb, Executive Officer

p.s. On to Sierra Nevada Oak Woodlands (SNOW) Project.

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