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September 16, 2014

Megan Barber-Brancamp Board of State and Community Corrections 600 Bercut Drive Sacramento, CA 95811

Dear Ms. Barber-Brancamp:

The Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado appreciates the opportunity to confirm our interest in participating in the Community Recidivism Reduction Grant program created by the Budget Act of 2014 and administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections.

We have a number nongovernmental entities and coalitions that provide community recidivism and crime reduction services to persons who have been released from state prison, county jail, or juvenile detention facilities, who are under the supervision of parole or probation, and others that are at risk of becoming involved in criminal activities. These include, but are not limited to, delinquency prevention, homelessness prevention, and reentry services.

In collaboration with our Community Corrections Partnership, we will develop a competitive grant program as required by statute and will collect and submit data to the Board of State and Community Corrections on grants awarded.

Thank you again for providing us with the opportunity to demonstrate our interest in this program and receive our county's share of the grant allocation.

Sincerely,

Norma Santiago, Chair Board of Supervisors

El Dorado County