California Department of Housing and Community Development

# **Application Summary**

# State Community Development Block Grant Planning and Technical Assistance Allocations



**Applicant Information** 



Address: 027 CRRING CTREET	Or IN SERVICES	General Allocation Application X
Address: 937 SPRING STREET	01.1	7. 0. 1. 05007
City: PLACERVILLE		<u>CA</u>
County: EL DORADO		
Check here if this is a Joint Ap	plication and co	omplete a summary page for each applicant.
1.bAuthorized Representative (Per	Resolution)	
First Name: DOUG	Las	t Name: NOWKA
Job Title: DIRECTOR OF HUMAN SERVIO	CES	
_X Check if the address information is the	he same as ab	ove in 1.a, if not fill in information below.
·	State: _	Zip Code
Phone: <u>530-621-6163</u>	Ext: _	Fax: <u>530-295-2597</u>
Email: nowka@co.el-dorado.ca.us		
1.c Applicant Contact		
Check if the contact information is the	same above in	1.b, if not fill in information below.
First Name: <u>JOYCE</u>	Last Name	: ALDRICH
Name of Agency: <u>EL DORADO COUNTY</u> Address: <u>937 SPRING STREET</u>		VICES Job Title: PROGRAM MANAGER
City: PLACERVILLE		
State: <u>CA</u>	Zip Cod	de <u>95667</u>
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# 2. Requested Funding by Activity

Activity Title - Insert only one activity title per line. See sample list of titles provided in Attachment 4.	Non-Project Specific Planning Activities	Project Specific Planning Activities
EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY	\$ 33,250	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
	\$	\$
General Administration (not to exceed 5 percent of funds requested)	\$ 1,750	\$
Total Amount Requested	\$ 35,000	\$0.00
Grand Total (Max. \$70,000)	\$ 35,000	

## 3. List of Cash Match Sources

Required Cash Match	Name of Source: City or County or Other (non state or federal funds)		A <sub> </sub> Ca	pproved sh Match
5%	COUNTY		\$	1,750.00
			\$ *	
			\$	
		Total	\$	1,750.00

<sup>\*</sup> Enter only the total amount required to be committed.

	District #	First Name			Last Name
ssembly	4	Ted			Gaines
Senate	1	Dave			Cox
Congress	4	John			Doolittle
	District #	First Name			Last Name
Assembly					
Senate					
Congress					
	District #	First Name			Last Name
Assembly					
Senate					
Congress					
Target Po	pulations Serve	d			
<u> </u>					
1. 🗆	Physically Disab	led	9.		Seniors
2.	Persons with AID	S	10.		Mentally III
3.	Youths		11.		Veterans
4.	Single Adults		13.		Victims of Domestic Violence
5.	Single Men		12.		Substance Abusers
6.	Single Women		14.		Dually-Diagnosed
7.	Families		15.		Homeless

6. Beneficiaries Served			
Proposed Activity	<u>Accomplishment</u>	Number Assisted	
Public Services or Community Facilities	Persons		
Housing or Public Works	Housing Units		
Housing Rehabilitation	Households	<u>30</u>	
Economic Development	Jobs		
7. Previous Awards			
Has the jurisdiction previously subrourrent fiscal year (2008-2009)? _describing:			
ED \$	Briefly describe activ	vities:	
General \$	Briefly describe a	ctivities:	
8. Consultant/Other Public Ager	ncy Contact Information		
O Mr. O Mrs. O Ms. O Ot	her <u>Not Applicable</u>		
First Name:	MI: Last Name:		
Agency:	Job Title:		
Address:			
City:			
State: Zip Co	de:		
Phone:	Ext: Fax:		
E-mail:			

# 9. Official (s) Authorized to Sign Application

	Name DOUG NOWKA (Type or Print)	
	Title <u>DIRECTOR OF HUMAN SE</u> (Type or Print)	ERVICES
	Signature	
10.	Citizen Participation Process	for Application
	• •	lesign phase public hearing within twelve months Put copy of the notice in application.)
	X Yes	_ <b>No</b> (If No, applicant cannot apply.)
	Has the applicant conducted the to submitting application? (Put of	e proper application approval public hearing prior copy of the notice in application)
	<u>X</u> Yes	_ <b>No</b> (If No, applicant cannot apply.)
11.H	Hold Out Status of Applicant	
	Has the applicant received a Ho	ld Out letter from the Department?
	Yesx_	No
	If Yes, has the applicant cleared from the Department?	the hold out status and received a waiver letter
	Yes	_ <b>No</b> (If No, applicant cannot apply.)

# 12. Growth Control Compliance

\_\_\_X\_\_\_Yes

	Has the applicant's jurisdiction enacted limitations on rewhich limitations are not establishing agricultural present another agency, or not based on a health and safety needs	rves, no	
	Yes. If Yes, see note below	<u>x</u>	No
	Note: If the applicant has a General Plan, ordinance, of directly limits by number either, the building permits that residential construction, or buildable lots that may be depurposes, and the measure does not meet any of the elementary Program Regulations, Section 7056(b)(2)(B), check "Ye the measure in this section of the application.	at may be evelope exception	e issued for d for residential ns found in the
13.	Housing Element Compliance		
	Statutory Authority: State of California Health and Safe	ety Code	Section 50829.
	Contents of the Housing Element are not reviewed by S as otherwise provided in Section 50830 of the Health a application for funds shall be denied because of the conhousing element or because of the Department's finding city's or county's housing element but the proper adopt followed. Contact Paul McDougall at (916) 322-7995 to	nd Safe ntent of gs with i ion proc	ty Code, no local the city or county's respect to the ess must be
	As a condition of receiving an award, each jurisdiction's Element must be in compliance with CDBG statutes. T award funds to any applicant who is not in complia should have a housing element in CDBG statute co submittal.	he Dep	artment will not d applicants
	Is the applicant's Housing Element in State CDBG Com	npliance	?

\_\_\_\_\_ **No** (If No, applicant cannot apply.)

# 14. Program Income Committed Planning Activities

1. Enter the amount of Program Income (PI) that has been committed to activities in this application:

Use same activity titles as shown in part 2. of application summary.  Activity Titles:			Dollar Amount Committed (per Resolution)
			Attach Resolution
NOT APPLICABLE			0.00
Total Dollar Amount of PI funds Commit application.	ted to activities in this	\$_	0.00

Note: Non-project specific planning activities have the following rules when using PI.

- 1) PI funds used for non-project specific planning activities are considered general administration funds. As such, PI activity implementation funds must be spent prior to being able to use PI for General Administration (GA) (PI for GA is limited to 18 percent of activity funds expended) during a fiscal year. So make sure PI has been or will be spent on activities so that the 18 percent in GA can be available for committing to the nonproject specific planning activities.
- 2) All PI that is being committed to activities in this application must be identified in the governing body resolution. In addition, the applicant must ensure that proper citizen participation process is followed.
- 3) All PI committed to a non-project specific activity <u>must be spent first</u> prior to drawing down any State CDBG grant funds.
- 4) All PI committed to project specific implementation activity <u>must be spent after</u> all State CDBG grant planning funds are spent.
- 5) PI funds committed to open grant activities must be reported on <u>ALL</u> Funds Request forms for the grant and on PI quarterly and annual reports.

# 15. NEPA Environmental Compliance Documents

Finding of Exemption Form

A. Finding of Exemption	
It is the finding of the City/County of <u>EL DORADO</u> in this application for State Community Development environmental review requirements under NEPA be activities in 24 CFR Part 58.34. The activity(s) judge	nt Block Grant funds are exempt from ecause they are defined as exempt
List Each Exempt Activity with a brief description:	NEPA Citation
1. General Administration Activities	<u>58.34 (a) (3)</u>
2.	
3.	
4.	
DOUG NOWKA Printed Name of Authorized Official	DIRECTOR OF HUMAN SERVICES Title
Signature	8/27/08 Date

### **FORM 58.6**

### **ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION FOR EACH PROPOSED EXEMPT ACTIVITY:**

- 1) General Administration Activities
- 2) EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY

3)

### Level of Environmental Review Determination: Exempt per 24 CFR. 58.6

(Exempt per 24 CFR 58.34, Categorically excluded not subject to statutes per § 58.35(b), Categorically excluded subject to statutes per § 58.35(a), Environmental Assessment per § 58.36, or EIS per 40 CFR 1500)

#### STATUTES and REGULATIONS listed at 24 CFR 58.6

FLOOD	DISASTER	PROTECTION A	CT
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FLOOD DISASTER PROTECTION ACT  1. Does the project involve acquisition, construction or rehabilitation of structures located in a FEMA-identified Special Flood Hazard?  ( X ) No; Cite Source Document: Planning Study will not impact 100 year floodzone.  This factor is completed	
( ) Yes; Source Document:	
2. Is the community participating in the National Insurance Program (or has less than one year passed since FEMA notification of Special Flood Hazards)?  ( ) Yes (Flood Insurance under the National Flood Insurance Program must be obtained and maintained for the economic life of the project, in the amount of the total project cost. A copy the flood insurance policy declaration must be kept on file).	d

( ) No (Federal assistance may not be used in the Special Flood Hazards Area).

### **COASTAL BARRIERS RESOURCES ACT**

- 1. Is the project located in a coastal barrier resource area?
- ( X ) No; Cite Source Documentation:

There are no coastal barrier resource areas in California

(This element is completed).

( ) Yes - Federal assistance may not be used in such an area.

### AIRPORT RUNWAY CLEAR ZONES AND CLEAR ZONES DISCLOSURES

- 1. Does the project involve the sale or acquisition of existing property within a Civil Airport's Runway Clear Zone or a Military Installation's Clear Zone?
- (X) No. Because the Activity does not involve sale or acquisition of property. Project complies with 24 CFR 51.303(a)(3).
- ) Yes; Disclosure statement must be provided to buyer and a copy of the signed disclosure must be maintained in this Environmental Review Record.

JOYCE ALDRICH 8/27/08

Preparer Signature / Print Name /Date

DOUG NOWKA 8/27/08

Responsible Entity Official Signature / Print Name / Date

# **SECTION I: APPLICATION TABLE OF CONTENTS**

Page #	CONTENT
Х	Application Summary Form (completed and signed)
Х	Hold Out Status, Growth Control and Housing Element Compliance (attached compliance documents if required)
N/A	Program Income Commitment Chart
Х	Environmental Clearance (executed Finding of Exemption and Form 58.6)
Upon Approv al	Resolution of the Governing Body (original or certified copy)
Х	Statement of Assurances (1/15/04 revision signed by Chief Executive Officer)
Х	OMB Circular A-133 (completed and signed)
n/a	Joint Powers Agreement (only if a Joint Application)
x	Citizen participation – copy of <b>two</b> public hearing notices. One for design-phase hearing and one for application approval hearing.
	Letters received from citizens regarding application and applicant responses (if any)
Х	Section 504 Self-evaluation (completed and signed)
х	*Activity Description Form for <b>EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY</b> (project specific or non-project specific)
X	*Budget Chart, Schedule 1-complete for each activity
X	*Task and Milestone Chart, Schedule 2- complete for each activity
n/a	*Letters of intent of commitment from business owner (applicable to ED only)
х	*Documentation of meeting HUD national objective, TIG or Slums and Blight for the proposed activity (as required in <b>Attachment 5</b> ).
n/a	*For Project Specific Studies: Include a map showing exact location of project <u>or</u> development agreement to be used to create project.

<sup>\*</sup> These six items represents one proposed activity. If a second activity is proposed in the application, seven more lines would be added to the table to show it.

# SECTION J: NON-PROJECT SPECIFIC PLANNING ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION FORM

PLEASE COMPLETE AND ATTACH ONE SET OF THESE FORMS FOR

NOTE:

EACH PROPOSED NON-PROJECT SPECIFIC PLANNING ACT	<u>IVITY</u>
1. Allocation: ED General X	
2. Activity Title: _ EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY	
3. Amount Requested for Activity: \$ 35,000	
4. <b>General Allocation Activity National Objective:</b> For <u>General PTA activity</u> , check <b>one</b> line and describe below it how the National Cat least 51 percent benefit Targeted Income Group (TIG) persons will See <b>Attachment 5</b> for how to document TIG benefit.	Objective of
Limited Clientele <u>list below</u> the specific group(s) to be s	erved:
_X Income restricted, <u>describe below</u> how final activity restricted: _X Income restricted, <u>describe below</u> how final activity restricted:	ulting from
Income survey or HUD Low Income Census data, attace of proper documentation at the back of this activity described.	

El Dorado County proposes to use CDBG Planning grant funds to conduct a housing condition survey in unincorporated communities throughout the County. The most recent housing condition survey was conducted in 1995. This activity will directly benefit low-income households because the County will use the survey results in determining the need for CDBG and/or other state or federal funds in support of low-income housing rehabilitation and other housing/community development programs.

The estimated number households to benefit assumes that the County will apply for at least three grants over the next five years and that each grant will benefit an average of 10 low-income households.

In addition, the **EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY** will enable the County to meet the goals of the General Plan Housing Element Update policies and measures which direct the County to provide quality residential environments for all income levels and to conserve the County's current stock of affordable housing.

5.	<b>Economic Development Activity National Objective:</b> For <u>ED</u> PTA activities only. Check <b>one</b> line indicating which national objective this activity addresses. Explain <u>and</u> document how the activity will meet that objective. Review <b>Attachment 5</b> to lean about documenting ED national objectives. <u>This is a required threshold item and not completing this section will lead to the application not being funded.</u>
	Low Income/TIG benefit, <u>describe below</u> how final activity resulting from the study will generate jobs for TIG persons (at least 51 percent of all projected jobs must be for TIG persons):
	Elimination of Slums and Blight, <u>attach documentation</u> of area or spot basis and attach to this set of activity forms.
6.	<b>Public Benefit:</b> For <u>ED</u> PTA activities only. Check the line below and describe how the planning activity will lead to creation of jobs. <u>This is a required threshold item</u> . Not properly completing this section will lead to the application not being funded.
	Public Benefit, (job creation), <u>describe below</u> how jobs will be created by completing this study:

7. **Activity Description:** Provide a complete narrative explaining the need for the study. Describe the full process for completing the study with each of the key steps as shown in the tasks and milestones chart. Check the instructions to make sure you have provided all the required information.

### **CURRENT CONDITIONS:**

According to U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey information for 2006, of the 81,772 units built in El Dorado County since 2005 or later, 48% are at least 29 years old and 67% are at least 20 years old. Generally older homes require additional maintenance and repair. A lack of maintenance may lead to serious health and safety concerns, failure to comply with current building code requirements, and can cause reduced energy efficiency. The table below indicates total structures built County-wide.

2008-2009 PTA Non-Project Specific Description Form

YEAR STRUCTURE BU	ILT	19	29	
Built 2005 or later	1,907	+/-719		
Built 2000 to 2004	9,819	+/-1,360		
Built 1990 to 1999	15,471	+/-1,678		
Built 1980 to 1989	15,307	+/-1,918	15,307	
Built 1970 to 1979	19,936	+/-2,004	19,936	19,936
Built 1960 to 1969	9,025	+/-1,406	9,025	9,025
Built 1950 to 1959	5,136	+/-954	5,136	5,136
Built 1940 to 1949	2,408	+/-717	2,408	2,408
Built 1939 or earlier	2,763	+/-894	2,763	2,763
	81,772		54,575	39,268
			67%	48%
			> 19 yrs old	> 29yrs old

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housing condition survey was conducted in portions of El Dorado County by Connerly & Associates Inc, in November 1995. Those survey results indicated that 30 percent of housing in the survey area was substandard and in need of structural repair work in order for the dwelling to remain habitable. A small amount of the housing stock (less than one percent) was deemed not suitable for repairs.

The County receives approximately 30 to 40 Code Enforcement Investigation Requests per month and takes appropriate enforcement actions, with health and safety violations receiving the highest priority. Due to the high case volume, required administrative and legal steps to investigate and remedy each violation, there is currently a 1,237-case backlog in the Code Enforcement system.<sup>1</sup>

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Building Services Pending Project Activity Report, June 30, 2008

## **1995 Housing Conditions Summary**

Survey Area	Communities in Survey Area	Units Surveyed	Standard	% of Total	Substandard Suitable for Repairs	% of Total	Not Suitable for Repairs	% of Total
1 North of US 50	Arroyo Vista, Auburn Lake Trails, Coloma, Cool, Garden Park, Garden Valley, Georgetown, Greenwood, Kelsey, Mosquito, Pilot Hill, Rescue	1,585	1,405	89%	176	11%	4	<1%
2 Eastern Slope of Sierra Nevada	Meyers	706	452	64%	254	36%	0	0%
3 East of SR 49 and south of US 50	Grizzly Flat, Mt. Aukum, Newtown, Pleasant Valley	358	296	83%	60	17%	2	<1%
4 US 50 corridor east of Placerville	Camino, Camino Heights, Cedar Grove, Pollock Pines, Smith Flat	2,200	1,359	62%	828	38%	13	<1%
5 Along SR 49 and south of US 50	Deer Park, Diamond Springs, El Dorado, Frenchtown, Latrobe, Shingle Springs	843	499	59%	340	40%	4	<1%
	TOTAL	5,692	4,011	70%	1,658	30%	23	<1%

The purpose of this survey will be to analyze and update the condition of the County's housing stock in older, more established areas of the county. The survey will be conducted using "windshield" and walk-by survey techniques, keeping within the public rights-of-way, to assess the exterior physical condition of each housing structure. The survey will include all single-family, multifamily, and duplex homes in the survey area.

It is the goal of the County to preserve the current stock of affordable housing and provide quality residential environments for all income levels. The results of the EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY will enable the County to target the neediest low-income households who could benefit from housing rehabilitation and other programs. The EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY will also be a valuable tool for identifying communities with substandard housing that could benefit from additional housing and community programs.

The following definitions will be used during the survey to identify "standard," "substandard-suitable for rehabilitation," and "substandard-not suitable for rehabilitation."

**Standard.** Structural components appear to be in acceptable condition based on an exterior examination of the roofline, wall alignments, foundation, window and door opening, and electrical and plumbing connections (structural integrity). The structure appears acceptable for the purposes of habitation and intended use (structural condition).

**Substandard–Suitable for Repairs.** One or more structural components appear substandard, as evidenced by a sagging roofline, walls out of plumb, sagging foundation, or displaced foundation elements, door and/or window openings out of alignment, and/or substandard electrical connections or plumbing, if visible from the street (structural integrity). Overall condition of the structure appears minimally acceptable for the purposes of habitation and intended use, but some repairs are necessary (structural condition).

**Substandard–Not Suitable for Repairs.** Most of the structural components appear severely out of alignment, damaged, substandard or missing (structural integrity). Overall condition of the structure is unacceptable for the purpose of habitation and the intended use (structural conditions).

The County intends to follow the same survey methodology in order to compare housing conditions from the 1995 survey to present. Based on the identified needs from the survey, El Dorado County will review current housing rehabilitation programs and update strategies as necessary to prepare for future funding applications to CDBG and other sources to continue and improve the program. In this way, the housing rehabilitation program will enable low-income homeowners to repair older residences within the County, and prevent further deterioration or loss of the County's affordable housing stock.

The County of El Dorado is committed to preserving the existing stock of affordable housing. The results of the EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY will enable the County to target the neediest low-income households who could benefit from a housing rehabilitation program to bring their older homes into compliance with local building codes. The analysis of the survey will identify areas of the County where substandard housing exists that could benefit from other housing and community programs. With this information in hand the County will be in a position to submit competitive state and federal funding application(s) for funding based upon the most current housing conditions.

8. **Final Product Description:** Describe in detail <u>each</u> final product that will be produced from this planning activity. NOTE: All final products, including applications, must contain an acknowledgment of State CDBG funding on the front cover.

The final product will consist of:

- A report and analysis of the exterior housing conditions in the unincorporated area of El Dorado County, by area, discussing the percentages and numbers of identified target area housing units that are in sound condition; in need of minor, moderate or substantial rehab; or dilapidated.
- 2. Maps of target areas showing concentrations of housing needing rehabilitation or replacement.
- 3. Recommendations for improving the housing rehabilitation program best suited for the potential target area(s).

### **Non-Project Specific Description Form**

4. Determining the need for funding application(s) supported by current data and analysis that clearly describes housing need and a program appropriate for the type and magnitude of the housing need.

A responsive housing rehabilitation program for TIG households within the unincorporated area of the County will help meet the primary national objective of the CDBG program. Approximately 30 loans can be made with loan repayments available to fund additional TIG households on an ongoing basis.

The County's Conservation and Rehabilitation policies concentrate on maintaining community character and preserving affordable housing stock through the continuation of County programs, effective code enforcement, and investigation of new funding sources. Additionally, policies focus on preserving the affordable housing stock through continued maintenance, preservation, and rehabilitation of the existing affordable housing. A current EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY will help accomplish these goals.

# **Non-Project Specific Planning Activity Budget**

Activity Title: EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY	City/County Staff Hours  Task Cost										
List of Tasks	Number of Hrs	Hrly Rate	CDBG Portion	Cash Match	Other Source	Number of Hrs	Hrly Rate	CDBG Portion	Cash Match	Other Source	Total Cost
* 1. Scope of Work / Issue RFP	10	\$65	\$	\$ 650	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 650
* 2. Hire Consultant and Execute Contract	16	\$65	\$	\$ 1,040	\$	16	\$ 125	\$ 2,000	\$	\$	\$ 3,040
3. Identify Methods for Conducting Analysis	5	\$65	\$ 255	\$ 60	\$	30	\$ 125	\$ 3,750	\$	\$	\$ 4,065
4. Identify Target Area	5	\$65	\$ 325	\$		30	\$ 125	\$ 3,750	\$	\$	\$ 4,075
5. Conduct Analysis of Exterior Housing Data in Target Area		\$	\$	\$	\$	130	\$ 125	\$ 16,250	\$	\$	\$16,250
6. Complete Report	5	\$65	\$ 325	\$	\$	40	\$ 125	\$ 5,000	\$	\$	\$ 5,325
7. Public Meeting(s)	10	\$ 65	\$ 650	\$	\$	10	\$ 125	\$ 1,250	\$	\$	\$ 1,900
8. Final Report to County and State	3	\$ 65	\$ 195	\$	\$	10	\$ 125	\$ 1250	\$	\$	\$ 1,445
9.		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
10.		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
11.		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
12.		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Totals:		\$	\$ 1,750	\$ 1,750	\$		\$	\$ 33,250	\$	\$	\$ 36,750

<sup>\*</sup>Show cash match tasks first to indicate match will be spent first.

**Non-Project Specific Planning Activity Task and Milestone Chart** 

Year:	2008 Milestones				2009 Milestones				2010 Milestones			
Activity Title: EXTERIOR HOUSING CONDITIONS SURVEY	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr	Qtr
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4
List of Tasks:												
1. Scope of Work / Issue RFP					Х							
Hire Consultant and Execute Contract						Х						
3. Identify Target Area							Х					
4. Identify / Review Methods for Conducting Analysis							Х					
5. Conduct Analysis of Exterior Housing Data in Target Area								Х	Х			
6. Complete Report										Х	Х	
7. Public Meeting(s)											Х	
8. Final Report to County and State												Х

<sup>\*</sup>Place "X" in columns under quarter/ year to indicate when task will be completed. Do not show GA reporting.

<sup>\*</sup>Grants cannot exceed 24 Months.

### **COMPLIANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133**

Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 is used pursuant to the Single Audit Act of 1984, P.L. 98-502, and the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996, P.L. 104-156. It sets forth the standards for obtaining consistency and uniformity among Federal agencies for the audit of states, local governments, and non-profit organizations expending Federal awards. Cities and counties not exempted from the requirements of OMB Circular A-133 must submit their audits to the State Controller. Non-profit organizations not exempted must submit their audits to the California Department of Housing and Community Development.

Pursuant to the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, please check the appropriate box(s) and certify at the bottom of the page: The **COUNTY OF EL DORADO** (name of entity) has expended more than \$500,000 in Federal funds in fiscal year 2006/2007 and is required to conduct a single audit or program specific audit for this year in accordance with the provisions of OMB Circular A-133. The audit has been completed and has been submitted to the appropriate control agency. The audit has not been completed. It is anticipated that the audit will be completed and submitted to the appropriate control agency by: (date). The (name of entity) has expended less than \$500,000 in federal funds in fiscal year 2006/2007 and is exempt from the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Non-Federal entities that expend less than \$500,000 a year in Federal awards are exempt from Federal audit requirements for that year, but records must be available for review or audit by appropriate officials of the Federal agency, pass-through entity, and the General Accounting Office. I certify on behalf of EL DORADO COUNTY, (name of entity) that the above is a true and accurate statement. DOUG NOWKA, DIRECTOR OF HUMAN SERVICES (Printed name and title) 8/27/08 (Signature) (Date signed)