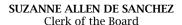
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February 24, 2009

The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor of the State of California State Capitol Sacramento, CA 95814

SUBJECT: Support for the California Conservation Corps

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado submits, with the attached Resolution, their support for your recent decision to fund the California Conservation Corps (CCC).

The CCC has provided environmental projects, road improvements, fuels management and fire suppression in the Lake Tahoe Basin and throughout the public forests and rangelands in El Dorado County that would not have been afforded by local jurisdictions including fire districts, non-governmental agencies, community based organizations, resource conservation districts and fire safe councils. These improvements benefit us all; the California public comprised of visitors and residents throughout the Sierra Nevada.

The Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado wish thank you for choosing to fund this critically important program for California's very vulnerable environment that is our Sierra Nevada.

Sincerely,

Ron Briggs, Chairman El Dorado County Board of Supervisors

cc: Senator Dave Cox Assemblyman Ted Gaines