



City of Riverbank

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The Honorable Ricardo Cordova
Presiding Judge
Superior Court – Stanislaus County
Post Office Box 3488
Modesto, California 95353

RE: Stanislaus County Civil Grand Jury Response – Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District

Dear Judge Cordova,

The City of Riverbank has reviewed the findings and recommendations of the 2011-2012 Stanislaus County Grand Jury Report concerning the Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District.

The Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District is an independent entity for which this responding party, the City of Riverbank, has no governing authority. As such, we lack the information to accurately base any response upon. That being said, as a general matter of equity to our residents, we have no opposition to the Board of Directors becoming an elected body.

If you have any questions regarding the City's response or would like additional information, please contact me at 209-324-6205.

Sincerely,

for Thomas P. Hallinan

Thomas P. Hallinan
City Attorney, City of Riverbank

CC: Jill Anderson, City Manager, City of Riverbank