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VENTURA COUNTY GRAND JURY

The Honorable Brian J. Back
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
County of Ventura
800 S. Victoria Avenue
Ventura CA 93009

Re: Grand Jury Report Ventura County Library

Dear Judge O'Neill:

Enclosed, please find our Response Form to the Grand Jury report titled: Ventura County Library.

We accept the report findings and recommendations.

By way of explanation, see our comments below regarding the recommendations:

On September 16, 2013 the Ventura City Council approved this Grand Jury report response and authorized the Mayor to make this reply. We appreciate the Grand Jury's efforts in looking into this important matter.

Sincerely,

Mike Tracy

Mayor

c: Foreman, Ventura County Grand Jury

RESPONSE TO GRAND JURY REPORT FORM

| Report Title: | | Ventura County Library | | |
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| Report Date: | | May 9, 2013 | | |
| Response Prepared By: | | Elena Brokaw, Ventura Parks, Recreation, and Community Partnerships Director, on behalf of Mark Watkins, Ventura City Manager, and the Ventura City Council | | |
| FINDINGS | | | | |
| • | We agree with the findings numbered: <u>FI-01, FI-02, FI-03, FI-04, FI-05, FI-06, and FI-07</u> | | | |
| We disagree wholly or partially with the findings numbered: | | | | |
| RECOMMENDATIONS | | | | |
| • | Recommendations numbered have been implemented. | | | |
| Recommendations numbered have not yet been implemented, but will be implemented in the future. | | | | |
| • | Recommendations numbered require further analysis. | | | |
| • | Recommendations numbered will not be implemented because they are not warranted or not reasonable. | | | |
| • | • Recommendations numbered <u>R-01</u> , <u>R-02</u> , <u>R-03</u> , <u>and R-04</u> will not be implemented by the City because it is not in the City's capacity to implement them; they are the responsibility of the County. | | | |
| Date: | 9/24/13 | | Signed: | Mark Watkins, City Manager |