



October 16, 2018

Mr. Mark Bramfitt
Sonoma County Local Agency Formation Commission
111 Santa Rosa Avenue, Suite 240
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

Re: Request for Sphere of Influence Study

Dear Mr. Bramfitt:

We, the undersigned fire and emergency service leaders representing the Gold Ridge and Graton Fire Protection Districts; the Occidental Community Services District; the City of Sebastopol; and North Bay Fire, Inc. on behalf of the Bloomfield, Bodega, Camp Meeker, Lakeville, Two Rock, Valley Ford and Wilmar Volunteer Fire Companies (VFCs); hereby request that the Sonoma County Local Agency Formation Commission conduct a Sphere of Influence study for the area serviced by these agencies in the southwestern portion of Sonoma County. In September 2019, the Commission approved a West County Fire and Emergency Service Agencies Municipal Service Review which included all these agencies, except the Lakeville, Two Rock and Wilmar VFCs.

We request that the study be completed and considered by the Commission in an expeditious fashion to enable these fire agencies to seek reorganizations and annexations as appropriate.

Respectfully,

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CC: President of Board of Directors for each District and VFC
Town Manager, City of Sebastopol
County Administrator, Sonoma County