



January 5, 2021

Judge Michael Jurkovich
Madera County Supervising Judge
300 South G Street
Madera, CA 93637

RE: Madera County's Unmet Transit Needs in Madera: Riders without Riders
Report Dated December 21, 2020

The Honorable Michael Jurkovich,

I write this letter as my required response to the above references Grand Jury Report.

While the Madera County Economic Development Commissions (MCEDC) does have a significant interest in transportation, our focus is on goods movement and access to key commercial and industrial areas throughout Madera County. The transit needs in this report are generally addressed in required environmental documents as conditions of development.

Unmet transit needs in Madera County is not an issue MCEDC tracks, as that falls in the purview of the Madera County Transportation (MCTC) and is a very complex issue that is expensive and generally not cost effective.

Our interaction with MCTC and their staff is limited. We assist with letters of support for their grant applications when appropriate and occasionally provide input regarding major transportation corridors.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any further question in which I may be of assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bobby Kahn', written over a white background.

Bobby Kahn
Executive Director

Cc: Madera Grand Jury

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