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Peter Brundage, Executive Director
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Dear Mr. Brundage and Mr. Lockhart:

The City received a copy of the September 7, 2007 letter from Ms. Judith LaMare concerning the June 2007 grand jury report concerning development in North Natomas. By statute, the City is obligated to provide a formal response to the findings and recommendations contained in that report, and this response must be approved by the City Council. The City's response is due on or about October 1, 2007. A copy of the City's response will be provided to you and to members of the LAFCO board. The City disagrees with many, if not all, of the various assertions made in the grand jury report, and you can anticipate that this will be reflected in the City's formal response.

Sincerely,

Scot Mende, AICP
New Growth Manager