

May 6, 2015

Mr. Karl Drew General Manager Crestline Village Water Agency PO Box 3347 Crestline, CA 22325

Dear Mr. Drew,

Thank you for agreeing to participate in the first meeting of the Rim of the World Council of Governments (ROWCOG). As we discussed, I hope this gathering will provide mountain elected officials many opportunities to develop and strengthen partnerships that will further enhance the quality of life in the Rim of the World communities.

Each participating agency will need to appoint one of its elected members as its representative to the COG for this initial meeting. It would also be beneficial for you, as General Manager of the Crestline Village Water Agency, to attend the meeting. Please keep in mind that while this is an informal gathering, the intent is to honor the spirit of the Brown Act by not having a majority of any one body participating in this discussion.

Please let me know your ideas about issues and topics you would like to see placed on the agenda for discussion at a ROWCOG meeting. Once all of the participating agencies have appointed members, we can work on selecting a date for the Council's first meeting, which I hope can take place this summer.

Again, thank you for taking part in this mountaintop collaborative. Feel free to contact Mountain District Representative Lewis Murray or me if you have any questions.

Cordially,

JANICE RUTHERFORD Second District Supervisor County of San Bernardino

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