

CITY OF RIO VISTA

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Wendy Getty, Presiding Judge Solano Co. Civil Grand Jury 600 Union Ave Fairfield, California 94533

Re: Response to Solano County Civil Grand Jury 2021-2022 Report Entitled: Solano County Is Not

Prepared For Future Emergencies

To the Honorable Judge Getty:

The following is the City of Rio Vista's response to the Grand Jury Report referenced above:

Finding 2 - There is a need for a coordinated city and countywide evacuation plan for Solano County.

Recommendation 2a – Develop compatible evacuation zones and routes throughout the county.

Recommendation 2b - Create public awareness of evacuation zones and routes.

The City agrees with Finding 2. With regard to Finding 2 and Recommendation 2a, the City is currently participating in the countywide implementation of Zonehaven, an evacuation management tool which assists first responders in the evacuation planning process. Zonehaven was contracted by Solano County Office of Emergency Services, at no cost to the Cities or Districts participating in the project. Efforts began in July and are ongoing.

With regard to Recommendation 2b, the City agrees that implementation of a final plan should be followed by a robust public awareness campaign and will be happy to participate when that time comes.

If you have any questions, please contact the City Manager's office at (707) 374-6451.

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