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Subject: Support – CAL FIRE Prevention Grant Application – Weed Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP)

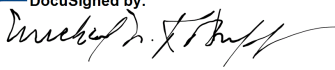
To Whom It May Concern,

The Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors is writing this letter to express support for the Fire Safe Council of Siskiyou County’s efforts to obtain CAL FIRE Prevention Grant funding for the Weed Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP).

The wildfire agencies (local, state, and federal) agree that Weed and the surrounding area would highly benefit from a collaboratively developed wildland fire protection plan. The CWPP process allows agencies/entities with knowledge and expertise to proactively plan out strategic projects as well as incorporate robust public education programs. A critical CWPP element is delineation of the proximate Wildland Urban Interface (WUI). Area wildfire protection agency knowledge and experience combined with wildfire science are the basis in this WUI delineation task, with the opportunity for public review and input. The entire CWPP process strengthens the community’s ability to join forces across boundaries, resulting in potential for more effective community resilience and protection.

We support the Weed Community Wildfire Protection Plan and view this as an opportunity for further fire safe education and to assist our communities in the quest to make Siskiyou County more resilient. We highly encourage CALFIRE to fund this project.

Sincerely,

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