

Exhibit 2: Letter of Intent from California Dept. of Forestry and Fire Protection

STATE OF CALIFORNIA – THE RESOURCES AGENCY

Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor

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July 25, 2007

Susan A. Corbaley, Project Manager
California Coastal Conservancy
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Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Ms. Corbaley,

I wish to assure the Board of the California Coastal Conservancy that the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) has every intention of releasing its allocated federal and state Forest Legacy Program (FLP) funds toward the purchase of a conservation easement for Valley View Ranch, a tract of the FLP project "Six Rivers to the Sea."

1. CAL FIRE has received a federal grant toward purchase of conservation easements for Six Rivers to the Sea tracts, including of the Valley View Ranch.
2. CAL FIRE has received a \$1 million grant from the California Coastal Conservancy for the purpose of purchasing a conservation easement on Valley View Ranch
3. The Board of Forestry and Fire Protection (BOF) passed a resolution approving the grant application and acceptance of grant funds from the State Coastal Conservancy in December 2006 for a purchase of a conservation easement on the Valley View Ranch.
4. CAL FIRE will be responsible as grantee for the State of California and responsible for monitoring for compliance with terms of the easement.
5. The Wildlife Conservation Board (WCB) has executed an Interagency Agreement with CAL FIRE (presently at the Department of General Services for approval) to perform the real estate services required to complete the acquisition, signifying their intent to take it to a future WCB meeting for approval.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns or if you need more details.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey J. Calvert".

Jeffrey J. Calvert
Forest Legacy Coordinator

cc. Bill Snyder
Steve Jones