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November 20, 2008

Mr. Thomas Mayfield, Chairperson
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors
County Administration Building
1010 Tenth Street, Ste 6500
Modesto, California 95354

Dear Chairperson Mayfield:

The U.S. Small Business Administration has declared the primary counties of **Mariposa, Mendocino, Santa Barbara, Shasta, and Trinity** and contiguous counties of **Glenn, Humboldt, Kern, Lake, Lassen, Madera, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Luis Obispo, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Tehama, Tuolumne, and Ventura** a disaster area. This declaration is a result of the economic impacts caused by Dry Lightning Wildfires that occurred June 8, 2008, through August 20, 2008.

The Governor's Office of Emergency Services is providing the enclosed information regarding this declaration. Please inform interested businesses and city officials within your county of this declaration and information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karma Hackney".

KARMA HACKNEY
Program Manager

Enclosure

c: Stanislaus County OES
Deputy Director, Regional Operations
OES Regional Administrator

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U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) Declaration SBA Disaster #11540 – Dry Lightning Wildfires

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**Declaration
Information**

The following table illustrates the declaration information.

Eligible Primary County(s):	Mariposa, Mendocino, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Trinity
Eligible Contiguous County(s):	Glenn, Humboldt, Kern, Lake, Lassen, Madera, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Luis Obispo, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Tehama, Tuolumne, Ventura
Event:	Dry Lightning Wildfires that occurred June 8, 2008, through August 20, 2008
Assistance made available by declaration:	SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loans
Application deadline for business economic injury:	August 18, 2009
Who may apply:	Small businesses and most private, non-profit organizations of any size that suffered economic injury as a result of the disaster
How to apply:	Contact SBA at 1-800-659-2955 , or visit SBA's website at: www.sba.gov/services/disasterassistance . Hearing impaired individuals may call 1-800-877-8339.

For SBA's Disaster Loan Outreach Center location, dates, and hours of operation, see Page 2.

**SBA Disaster
Office Schedule**

The following table provides address and office hours of the SBA Disaster Office.

Location, Date(s) and Hours of Operation:	<p>MARIPOSA COUNTY Mariposa Visitors Center Building 5158 Highway 140 (Corner of Hwy 140 & Jones Street) Mariposa, CA</p> <p>Mondays through Thursdays 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>Opens Monday, December 1</i> <i>Closes Thursday, December 11</i></p>
	<p>MENDOCINO COUNTY Ukiah Mendocino Works 631 South Orchard Avenue (Across from the Best Western) Ukiah, CA</p> <p>Mondays through Thursdays 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>Opens Monday, December 1</i> <i>Closes Thursday, December 11</i></p>
	<p>SHASTA COUNTY Redding County Administrative Building 1450 Court Street, Suite #332 (Corner of Tehama St, Next to Court House) Redding, CA</p> <p>Wednesdays & Thursdays 8:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Fridays 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.</p> <p><i>Opens Wednesday, December 3</i> <i>Closes Friday, December 12</i></p>