

"To Save Life & Property"

OAKDALE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors
 Attn: Liz King
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 BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Re: Dry Period Funding for Fiscal Year 2017-2018

Dear Board of Supervisors,

The Oakdale Fire Protection District continually strives to operate within its budget each year. Even with the uncertainty of what our apportionment of ad valorem property taxes will be each year, we consistently balance our budget between revenues and expenditures.

Our anticipated revenue for FY 2017-2018 is \$1,965,000.00. Our District has always depended on the dry-period funding authorized by the County wherein we are able to operate on funds "loaned" by the County until our property taxes are apportioned to us beginning in December. Therefore, we respectfully request that pursuant to Government Code Section 23010 that the County Board of Supervisors approve to advance the Oakdale Fire Protection District dry period funds to perform its functions and meet its obligations. The District's funds are deposited and held by Stanislaus County and the District understands that any tax apportionments received will be repaid to the County prior to any other obligations. Further, we request that the dry-period funding be approved for FY2017-2018 in the amount of \$1,670,250.00, which is 85% of our projected revenue.

We would appreciate your consideration of this request as soon as possible since our ability to continue operations is dependent on having a consistent cash flow.

Sincerely,

Raymond Martin
 Board Chairperson

cc: Lauren Klein-Auditor Controller
 Stan Risen-Stanislaus County CEO