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James Simon Executive Director County of Tehama 9380 San Benito Avenue Gerber, CA 96035-9701

RE: 2019-20 Regional Early Action Planning (REAP) Grant

Dear James Simon,

The California Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) is pleased to announce that the County of Tehama has been approved for funding under the Regional Early Action Planning Grants Program (REAP). The Department has determined that the application meets REAP statutory requirements. This letter, therefore, constitutes a conditional commitment of an award in the amount of \$320,000.

REAP reflects the state's commitment to work in partnership with regional entities and local governments to address California's critical housing needs. REAP was established in the 2019-20 Budget Act to accelerate housing production and facilitate compliance to implement the sixth cycle of the regional housing needs assessment.

Congratulations on your successful application. Staff will be contacting you shortly to initiate the process of preparing the Standard Agreement for fund distribution. For further information, please contact Paul McDougall at <u>paul.mcdougall@hcd.ca.gov</u>.

Sincerely,

Megan Kirkeby Deputy Director