

## **Truckee Fire Protection District**

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Fire Chief William G. Seline Fire Marshal Craig A. Harvey **Board of Directors** 

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December 21, 2016

Nevada County Board of Supervisors 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959

Placer County Board of Supervisors 175 Fulweiler Avenue Auburn, CA 95603

Town of Truckee Town Council 10183 Truckee Tahoe Airport Road Truckee, CA 96161

Re:

Adoption of 2016 California Fire Code as Amended

Dear Boards and Council:

On September 21, 2016, the office of Collinson & LaChance wrote to you on behalf of the Truckee Fire Protection District notifying you of the District's intent to amend, and adopt as amended, the 2016 California Fire Code. The District Board did take that action on December 20, 2016. A copy of that Ordinance is enclosed with this letter.

Pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 13869.7, you are to ratify, modify or deny the adopted Ordinance and transmit your determination to the District within 15-days of that determination. We hereby request that you ratify the adopted Ordinance with the amendments.

In the event you modify or deny the adopted Ordinance, you are to include a written statement describing the reasons for the modifications or denials. Additionally, please note that pursuant to that Section, upon ratification of the adopted Ordinance, you are to file a copy of the District's findings along with any of your findings and a copy of the adopted Ordinance expressly marked and identified to which each finding refers, with the Department of Housing and Community Development. For your reference, we note that we have previously provided you with a copy of Resolution 18-2016 addressing the modifications to the 2016 California Fire Code. If you need another copy of that Resolution, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Accordingly, we hope that you will ratify our amendments and adoption of the Code on your January 10, 2017 consent calendar. If not, please advise us of the date and time of your hearing so that we may attend the hearing to answer any questions or concerns that you may have.

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Pursuant to Health and Safety Code Section 13869.7(h), if you ratify the Ordinance, you are to delegate enforcement of the Ordinance to either the Chief of the Fire Protection District or their authorized representative, or your chief building official or their authorized representative. Please be advised that the Fire District is more than willing to assume those enforcement responsibilities.

Thank you for your continued courtesy and cooperation in this matter. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Fire Marshal Craig Harvey at (530) 582-7850.

Yours truly,

Joyce Engler

Administrative Officer

Enclosure

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