



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

September 22, 2023

Honorable Charles A. Smiley
Presiding Judge
Alameda County Superior Court
1225 Fallon Street, Department One
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Judge Smiley:

Section 933 of the California Penal Code requires the Board of Supervisors (Board) to formally comment on Grand Jury findings and recommendations which pertain to matters under the control and authority of the Board.

In accordance with this statutory directive, I am hereby formally submitting the Board's Response to the 2022-23 Grand Jury Final Report addressing the following investigative areas: "Alameda County Needs a Code of Ethical Conduct and Whistleblower Policy", "The Santa Rita Jail Mental Health Building Will It Ever See the Light of Day" and "Timelines of Child Abuse and Neglect Investigations".

Additionally, separate responses from the Sheriff and the Health Care Services Agency Director regarding the investigative area: "The Santa Rita Jail Mental Health Building Will It Ever See the Light of Day?" and from the District Attorney regarding the investigative area: "Misuse of County Information Technology Systems During the 2018 Election Cycle" were sent directly to your attention.

The County's responses were approved by the Board at its meeting of September 19, 2023.

Sincerely,

Nate Miley, President
Board of Supervisors

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Attachment

c: Other Members, Board of Supervisors
County Administrator
Sheriff
District Attorney

County Counsel
General Services Agency Director
Health Care Services Agency Director