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RE: LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR SACRAMENTO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ADOPTING A RESOLUTION DECLARING A CLIMATE EMERGENCY

Dear Board of Supervisors:

The Sacramento Environmental Commission (SEC) is charged with advising its member agencies (Sacramento County and the Cites of Sacramento, Isleton, Folsom, Galt, and Elk Grove) on issues related to environmental policy.

This letter is to encourage the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors to approve Item #9 on the December 16, 2020 agenda, Declaration of a Climate Emergency.

The Declaration of A Climate Emergency describes the long history California and Sacramento County jurisdictions have addressing climate change. Sacramento County can again be at the forefront of acting on this

important issue. An issue that will impact the future of our children and grandchildren much more than ours.

Your adoption of the resolution declaring a climate emergency will be another important step in moving our state and country to take effective action to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

The SEC recommends that the Board of Supervisors adopt the Resolution Declaring a Climate Emergency.

Sincerely,

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Mark White, Chair