



# Air Resources Board



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January 2, 2013

Mr. Russ Mull  
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Dear Mr. Mull:

The Air Resources Board (ARB) has concluded a program and fiscal review of the Shasta County Air Quality Control District's (District) Carl Moyer Memorial Air Quality Standards Attainment Program (Carl Moyer Program) and Lower-Emission School Bus Program (School Bus Program). The scope of these reviews includes grants made in fiscal years 2007-08 through 2009-10.

During the period of time covered by this review, the District administered over \$5 million in State grants and District-provided matching funds. With these funds, the District replaced or retrofitted 21 engines in the Carl Moyer Program and 40 school buses in the School Bus Program.

The ARB program review report is enclosed. Our review confirmed that the District's incentive programs achieved early and surplus emission reductions, and met the overall expenditure requirements of the two grant programs. The report also presents areas where the District could improve its implementation of both programs. This is reflected in findings related to contract language, reporting, and project file documentation. I am pleased to note that the District has already addressed all the findings made under both programs.

Under established program review guidelines, the District has 30 days from the date of this cover letter to submit a formal response, if desired, to the enclosed Program and Fiscal Review Report. The report and any District responses will then be posted together on the ARB website. We also encourage you to make this information public within the District.

I want to thank you and your staff for working with us to conduct these reviews, and look forward to continued cooperation with the District on programs improving air quality in

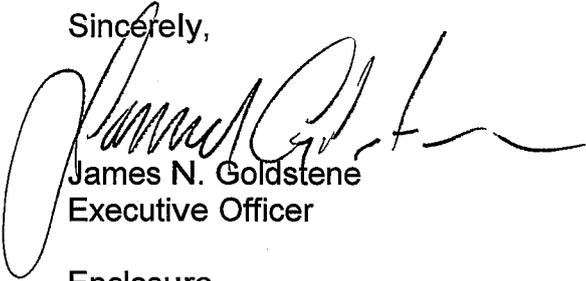
*The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.*

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California. If you have any questions about the report, please contact Ms. Robin Myers, Air Pollution Specialist, at (916) 322-6973 or via email at [rmyers@arb.ca.gov](mailto:rmyers@arb.ca.gov), or Mr. Scott Rowland, Chief, On-Road Controls Branch, at (626) 350-6518 or via email at [growland@arb.ca.gov](mailto:growland@arb.ca.gov).

Sincerely,



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