From: Hannah Gbeh
To: Simonds,Keene

Subject: Farm Bureau Comments on Agricultural and Open Space Lands Policy

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Dear LAFCO,

On behalf of the agricultural community within San Diego County, we would like to applaud the efforts of Executive Officer Keene Simonds in relation to updating the Agricultural and Open Space Lands Policy. Mr. Simonds has gone above and beyond to ensure the input from the agricultural community was heard and incorporated into this policy update. In addition to providing a presentation to our Board of Directors regarding LAFCO's efforts, he engaged our land use committee, including accepting and incorporating the majority of our requested policy revisions. It is imperative that policies differentiate agricultural land uses from open space land uses and the Farm Bureau supports the proposed policy, as presented.

Best, Hannah Gbeh



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