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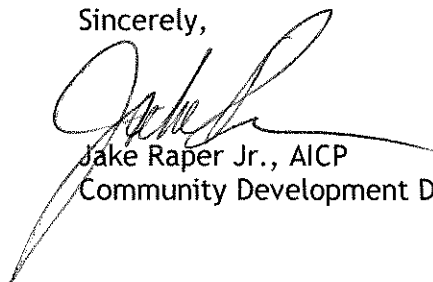
**Subject: Notice of Preparation of a Draft Environmental Impact Report for the
West Park Specific Plan Project**

Dear Keith,

The City of Gustine asks that Stanislaus County include in its traffic analysis the impact to the City of Gustine and its environs. Based upon the size of the project and its timing, it would appear that the project will have some spin off, both positive and negative social and economic impacts to the City. The regional consequences impacting smaller surrounding communities need to be addressed. The rail and truck routing and operations need to be reviewed to insure impacts, increase rail and truck activity, impacting the Gustine environs are adequately addressed and mitigated here at the local level.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment, and we look forward to further analyses. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at 209-854-6471 or via email at jakeraper@yahoo.com.

Sincerely,



Jake Raper Jr., AICP
Community Development Director

