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November 4, 2013

Mr. Kevin Drayton

**SENT BY EMAIL** 

Dear Mr. Drayton,

On October 24, 2013, the California High-Speed Rail Authority (Authority) received a Public Records Act request for the following:

- "All records dated after January 1, 2012 concerning consideration, rejection, and approval from any federal or state agency for a Community Benefits Agreement/Project Labor Agreement and/or "Targeted Hiring Agreement" based on a similar agreement adopted at the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority."
- "All records dated after January 1, 2012 concerning evaluation or deliberation of the conditions, benefits, challenges, and negative impact of a Community Benefits Agreement/Project Labor Agreement."
- "All records dated after January 1, 2012 referencing the Community Benefits Agreement/Project Labor Agreement in communications from, to, or citing the following individuals:
  - a) Robbie Hunter (Current President, State Building and Construction Trades Council of California)
  - b) Bob Balgenorth (Past President, State Building and Construction Trades Council of California and past board member, California High-Speed Rail Authority)
  - c) Ashley Swearingen (Mayor of Fresno)
  - d) Tom Richards (Chair of Fresno Regional Workforce Investment Board and current board member, California High-Speed Rail Authority.)
  - e) Lee Ann Eager (Economic Development Corporation serving Fresno County)
  - f) Chuck Riojas (International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers IBEW)
  - g) Blake Konczal (Executive Director, Fresno Regional Workforce Investment Board, and Fresno Works Consortium)
  - h) Ken Price (counsel for Fresno Regional Workforce Investment Board)
  - i) Michael Bernick (Applied Development Economics)
  - j) Robert Padilla (Small Business Advocate, California High-Speed Rail Authority)"
- All records dated after November 1, 2012 referencing the Community Benefits Agreement/Project Labor Agreement in communications from, to, or citing the following individuals:
  - a) Eric Christen (Coalition for Fair Employment in Construction)

- b) Nicole Goehring (Associated Builders and Contractors, Northern California Chapter)
- c) Kevin Dayton, Labor Issues Solutions, LLC"
- Any other records related to the Community Benefits Agreement/Project Labor Agreement.

Under Government Code §6253(a), the Authority is invoking a 14 day extension in order to further research your request and make a determination. A determination letter would be sent to you no later than November 18, 2013.

Please contact the Public Records Act staff at <a href="mailto:records@hsr.ca.gov">records@hsr.ca.gov</a> with any questions regarding this information.

Sincerely,

Annie Parker

Public Records Act Staff

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