Roseland Fire protection District  
830 Burbank Ave.  
Santa Rosa, Ca. 95407

August 9, 2004

Jacob Bayless, Foreperson  
Sonoma County Civil Grand Jury  
P.O. Box 5109  
Santa Rosa, Ca.  95402

Dear Mr. Bayless,

In response to the Sonoma County Grand Jury report “Santa Rosa Fire Station Deployment.

**Recommendation (R4)** As soon as possible and as often as necessary, the Roseland Fire Protection District Board of Directors should proactively represent the needs and concerns of the citizens served by the District to the City Council regarding less than adequate emergency response times and any further delays in constructing the new and relocated fire stations.

**Response (R4)** The Roseland Fire Protection Board is very concerned about the needs and concerns of the citizens in the District regarding less than adequate emergency times and any further delays in constructing the new and relocated fire stations. The Board will as often and as necessary represent these needs to the City Council. Santa Rosa Fire Department is the contractor for Roseland Fire Protection District and we will have items concerning this matter on future agendas on upcoming Board meetings.

The District has also read the response from the City of Santa Rosa to the Grand Jury regarding this report. The District agrees with the City of Santa Rosa’s response and we will be working closely with the city to ensure that the District citizens needs are all met.

Sincerely,

Renee Milligan, Chairperson  
Roseland Fire Protection District  
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