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Mr. Drew Bohan
California Energy Commission
1516 Ninth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814-5514

RE: City of Mountain View Green Building Standards and the Building Energy Efficiency Standards

Dear Mr. Bohan:

Per the request of Commission Staff, the City of Mountain View would like to express to you our firm commitment to enforce the 2019 Title 24, Part 6 Building Energy Efficiency Standards of the California Building Code as part of the implementation of our Green Building Requirements. As the Chief Building Official, I will work with my staff to provide training on enforcement of the energy standards and the new requirements for developers to comply with the Green Building Standards. This includes working closely with regional organizations such as BayREN to complete focused trainings on updated energy standards and local codes.

Code amendment adoption per the City of Mountain View requires two Council meetings. The first Council meeting was held on October 8, 2019, and second on November 12, 2019. The Council voted in favor of proposed amendments which become effective January 1, 2020.

Additionally, the Council found that, under the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) and 15308 of the CEQA Guidelines, there is no possibility that the implementation of the ordinance will have a significant negative impact on the environment and is thus exempt from the requirements of CEQA.

The City of Mountain View Green Building Standards will ensure that residential and non-residential buildings in the City will consume no more energy than permitted by Title 24, Part 6.

Sincerely,

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