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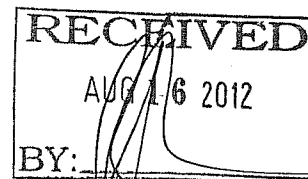
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Presiding Judge Barry T. LaBarbera
Superior Court of California
1050 Monterey Street
San Luis Obispo, CA 93408

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Subject: Response to Grand Jury Report of July 20, 2012: "Managing Millions: Assessing the Transparency of Community Services Districts"

Dear Judge LaBarbera,

The Avila Beach CSD is in receipt of the Grand Jury's recent report "Managing Millions: Assessing the Transparency of Community Services Districts"; and the District offers the following response to the Grand Jury's finding and recommendations.

Finding 1

The Avila Beach CSD lacks a website.

Recommendation 1

Avila Beach CSD, due to its size and the breadth of its services should develop a website to comply with the LAFCO recommendation to do so

Recommendation 2

The Avila Beach CSD Website should have a functional link to its board agendas.

Recommendation 5

The Avila Beach CSD Website should include have a functional link to its annual budget and approved board minutes.

Response

Perhaps unbeknownst to the Grand Jury, the Avila Beach CSD had been working on developing a website in Fiscal Year 2011-12. That work has now been completed and the website is active as of August 1st, 2012. You may view the site at AvilabeachCSD.org. Our site also has a functional link to the Board agendas, the annual budget and approved board minutes, as well as many other items of interest to the community.

If you should need any further information, please contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Peter Kelley

Peter Kelley
President

Cc: San Luis Obispo County Grand Jury
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Response to Grand Jury Report Form

Report Title: Managing Millions: Assessing The Transparency of Community Services Districts
Report Date: June, 20, 2012

Authorized Responder: Peter Kelley, Board President

FINDINGS

- I (we) agree with the findings numbered: 1
- I (we) disagree wholly or partially with the findings numbered: _____
(Attach a statement specifying any portions of the findings that are disputed;
include an explanation of the reasons.)

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recommendations numbered 1, 2 & 5 have been implemented.
(Attach a summary describing the implemented actions.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ have not yet been implemented,
but will be implemented in the future.
(Attach a timeframe for the implementation.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ require further analysis.

(Attach an explanation and the scope and parameters of an analysis or study,
and a timeframe for the matter to be prepared for discussion by the officer or
director of the agency or department being investigated or reviewed, including
the governing body of the public agency when applicable. This timeframe shall
not exceed six months from the date of publication of the grand jury report.)
- Recommendations numbered _____ will not be implemented
because they are not warranted or are not reasonable.

(Attach an explanation.)

Date: 8-14-2012

Signed: Peter Kelley

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