

**Congress of the United States**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

November 30, 2018

The President  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW  
Washington, DC 20500

RE: Approve California's Request for Cost Share Adjustment (FEMA DR-4407)

Dear Mr. President:

We urge you to approve the State of California's request for additional emergency funding for debris removal (Category A) and emergency protective measures (Category B), waiving any state or local cost share requirement. We appreciate the support FEMA and other federal agencies have provided to date, under the federal major disaster and emergency declarations for Butte, Ventura, and Los Angeles Counties.

The Camp Fire—the deadliest fire in our State's history— and the destructive Woolsey and Hill Fires are now contained, thanks to the efforts of firefighting teams and other first responders. Continued support from the federal government is essential as residents seek to rebuild and California begins long-term recovery. Approving the State's request is a needed first step in that recovery effort.

In Congress, we are working across the aisle to ensure that every federal resource is made available to the State, local governments, and all affected communities. Ensuring that our neighbors and fellow Californians get the support and resources they need is not a partisan issue.

Again, we urge you to approve these additional categories of federal emergency funding for California communities devastated by the recent fires, at 100 percent federal cost share. Please do not hesitate to contact us to discuss this request and California's long-term recovery needs. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

  
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Member of Congress

  
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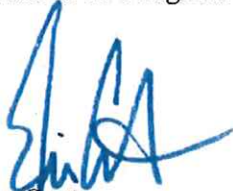
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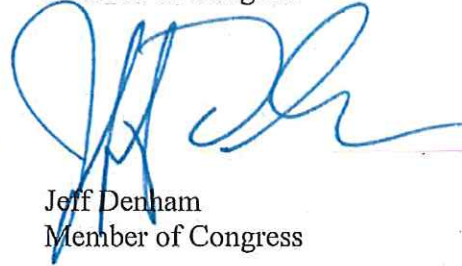
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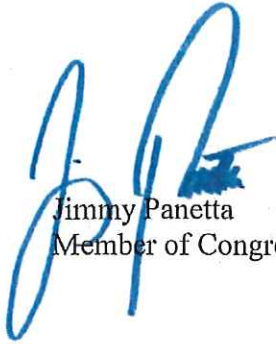
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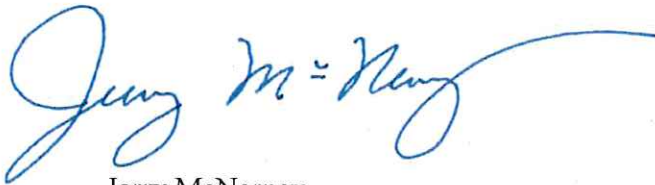
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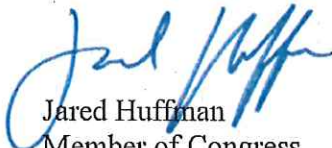
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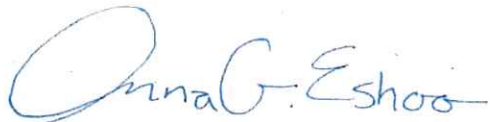
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