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August 25, 2009

Ms. Nikki L. Harris, Foreperson 2008-09 Riverside County Grand Jury P.O. Box 829 Riverside, CA 92502

Dear Ms. Harris:

Re: Response to 2008-09 Grand Jury Report, Palo Verde Cemetery District

Forwarded herewith, as approved by the Blythe Redevelopment Agency Board of Directors this date, is the Agency's response to the 2008-09 Grand Jury Report.

Findings None

Grand Jury's Recommendation

The district should request assistance from the Blythe Redevelopment Agency to meet part or all of the cemetery district's ongoing bonded indebtedness.

Agency's Response

This recommendation would not appear to be one to which the Blythe Redevelopment Agency can respond. The recommended action is directed toward the Cemetery District and, as such, would seem to preclude action on the part of the Redevelopment Agency at this point. Furthermore, the Agency cannot comment as to whether or not the Recommendation will be implemented by the Cemetery District.

The Blythe Redevelopment Agency appreciates the opportunity to review the Grand Jury Report and to comment where appropriate.

Sincerely,

Robert A. Crain

Chairman

cc: Members, Blythe Redevelopment Agency Board of Directors

Mr. David Lane, Executive Director, Blythe Redevelopment Agency Mr. William Strausz, Legal Counsel, Blythe Redevelopment Agency

Palo Verde Cemetery District