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Francisco Diaz
San Benito County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters
1601 Lana Way
Hollister CA 95023

Re. Submission of Amended Voter's Choice Act Election Administration Plan

Dear Mr. Diaz,

Congratulations on San Benito County's decision to implement the Voter's Choice Act (VCA) election model. In accordance with the VCA and pursuant to Election Code (EC) Section 4005 (a)(10)(I)(i), the Secretary of State must approve, approve with modifications, or reject the voter education and outreach provisions of the Election Administration Plan.

On behalf of Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber, Ph.D., she has approved your amended 2-year Election Administration Plan. Thank you for sending to our office the final version of the plan with accessible format in accordance with the ADA which will be posted on our website. In accordance with EC Section 4005(a)(10)(G), San Benito County's next 4-year Election Administration Plan is due to the Secretary of State by July 17, 2027.

We commend you for your commitment to the success of the VCA in San Benito County and the ongoing communication between our office and yours. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

LaKenya Jordan

LaKenya Jordan, Deputy Secretary of State
Office of Policy, Planning, and Implementation
California Secretary of State Shirley N. Weber, Ph.D.

cc: NaKeshia Robinson, Deputy, Help America Vote Act
Jannell Jackson, Deputy, Outreach
Jana Lean, Chief, Elections Division