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Hon. Michael T. Smyth, Presiding Judge
San Diego Superior Court
1100 Union Street, 10th Floor
San Diego, CA 92101

Re: Grand Jury Report: "Low Income Parking Citation Payment Plan – Compliance with Vehicle Code §40220 Legislative Requirements"

Dear Judge Smyth,

The 2021-2022 San Diego County Grand Jury ("Grand Jury") recently completed the above-referenced Grand Jury Report, to which the City of San Marcos ("City") is required to respond pursuant to California Penal Code §933.

The City hereby notes that it agrees with the Grand Jury Findings contained in the above-referenced Report that refer and/or are applicable to it, to wit, Findings 1, 2, and 4 of the above-referenced Report.

With respect to Recommendation 22-49, which is the only Recommendation applicable to the City, the City previously advised the Grand Jury that the written parking citations which were not compliant with Vehicle Code section 40220 are not and had not been in use, that necessary revisions are being incorporated into the written form of parking citations, and that written form of citations will be utilized only after the revisions have been incorporated and new citation form books printed. That information remains accurate.

The City appreciates the review by the Grand Jury as to compliance with Vehicle Code §40220, and agrees with the Grand Jury recommendation which the City is currently in the process of implementing. Should you have questions or require additional information, please contact the undersigned at ext. 3115.

Sincerely,

Jack Griffin, City Manager

cc: City Council