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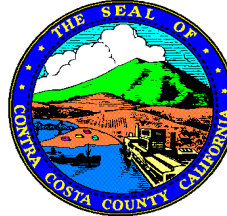
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**RE: Contra Costa County Comments on Draft Plan Bay Area 2050**

Dear Ms. McMillan:

The Contra Costa County Department of Conservation and Development appreciates the effort the regional agencies have expended in order to develop the Draft Plan Bay Area 2050 – the Bay Region’s Regional Plan. Staff has reviewed Draft Plan Bay Area 2050 and has some comments and concerns regarding some of the strategies and assumptions that have formed Draft Plan Bay Area 2050. Attachment A outlines our general comments on the draft as it relates to the County as a whole, as well as housing unit and job allocations for Unincorporated Contra Costa County communities.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment on the Draft Plan Bay Area 2050. Contra Costa County looks forward to working collaboratively with ABAG-MTC as the final plan is developed and adopted in fall 2021.

Sincerely,

John Kopchik  
Director