## **Lisa Driscoll**

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To: Lisa Driscoll

**Subject:** Fire Funding via Measure X

Dear Mrs. Driscoll, I am unable to attend tonight's meeting as I have a previous engagement but I wanted to send in my public comment. One of the biggest reasons constituents in East Contra Costa County voted for Measure X is that in every piece if literature distributed to us ( and there was a lot!), we were assured that if it passed we would be guaranteed to receive substantial funding for desperately needed fire funding. The Fire District was THE POSTER CHILD for Measure X. So we voted for it.

Now we are being told that if we don't speak up at meetings, we're not going to get fire funding? What kind of bait and switch is this? We voted in overwhelming numbers! That is our voice! The county made a promise to us in East Contra Costa with Measure X. Now we expect this committee to keep the promise made. Fund fire appropriately or you will not get measures approved by East Contra Costa in the future.

Saludos,

M. Carolina Villaseca