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SUBJECT: LAFCO 3192- Sphere of Influence Review of the Chino Basin Water Conservation District

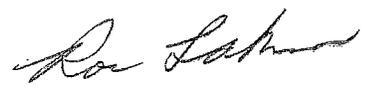
Dear LAFCO:

In the mid-1980s, LAFCO approved the Archibald Ranch Project. This was the very beginning of development in the agriculture preserve. At that time, LAFCO had the wisdom and vision for the expansion of development throughout the preserve. As one of the owners of the Archibald Ranch, along with Albert Briano and Neil Kasbergen, I call upon the same vision today.

As a long-time resident and farmer of Chino Valley, I am writing this letter in support of the expansion of the District. The Conservation District has played a vital part in this valley for my family and many other families. The Satraghni family, Borba family, Galleano family, Hofer family, Ellsworth family and Hereford Corporation have all benefited greatly. The work of our forefathers in the 1950s in the area of water usage and conservation as well as soil conservation has greatly added to the well-being of our families.

Throughout my life time, I have seen the benefits that the great people before us have done for my family here in Chino. With your approval of the expansion of the District, I believe that the next generations, including my grandchildren, will also benefit greatly. The Conservation Board has the leadership to carry on this task. It is my opinion that the Board is comprised of the best and the brightest. I appeal to the LAFCO board for the passage of the expansion.

Sincerely,



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