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Mr. Dale Thurston 600 Bernita Drive Santa Cruz, CA 95065

RE:

Road condition after future timber harvest

Dear Mr. Thurston:

This letter is to confirm to you that we will be responsible to keep the road in equal or better condition after future proposed harvest plan. We will required a timber operator to video tape and/or to walk the road with you to determine the condition of the road PRIOR and AFTER timber operation. In addition, the timber operator will be required to provide a certificate of liability insurance (1 million dollar minimum) bearing your name as the certificate holder. Furthermore, communication with a site operation supervisor will be established to accommodate the residents' needs.

Should you have any comments, please contact Hen Truong at (83 1) 430-9241. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Huy Lam