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Subject: RE: City of Grass Valley - NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO ALL RECOGNIZED EMPLOYEE

ORGANIZATIONS

We appreciate the City's efforts to address staffing challenges, including the use of out-of-class and special project pay where appropriate. While some positions remain unfilled or are being pursued as part-time due to budget constraints, we recognize the complexity of balancing operational needs with fiscal realities.

That said, even a small number of vacancies can place a significant burden on the remaining workforce. We hope the City continues to prioritize long-term solutions that restore full allocations and reduce the pressure on employees who are already stepping up to fill the gaps.

Sincerely,

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