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Mr. Larry R. Coons Assistant to the City Administrator 105 East Queen Street Inglewood, California 90301

Dear Larry:

Thanks for the proposal for coordinating the Intergovernmental coordinators. I am in full agreement with your approach.

As you are aware, I have taken a firm position against the creation of another national organization. I feel as you do, that a strong USCM/NLC committee, recognized by the organization, would be the best approach.

Some of the federal aid coordinators in the past have worked with NLC and/or USCM on various committees and have had some voice in the formulation of the national policy of the two groups. However, with the tremendous growth in the number and expertise of the coordinators, it is obvious that they must be given a bigger role as a group.

I support your proposal.

Looking forward to seeing you at the end of the month.

Sincerely yours,

Dan E. Sweat, Jr. Chief Administrative Officer

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