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In accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15088, the Sacramento Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCo), as the lead agency, has evaluated the comments received on the Elk Grove Sphere of Influence Amendment Recirculated Draft Environmental Impact Report (Recirculated Draft EIR or RDEIR). For purposes of clarity, the previously circulated Draft EIR was circulated for public comment in September 2011 and is referred to as the Draft EIR. The document circulated for public comment in March 2013 is referred to as the Recirculated Draft EIR or RDEIR. In accordance with CEQA Statute Section 15088.5(f)(1), Sacramento LAFCo will be responding to comments submitted on the Recirculated Draft EIR, and will not be responding to comments submitted during the Draft EIR comment period. This document is organized into these sections:

- **Section 1: Introduction.**
- **Section 2: Master Responses to Comments on the Recirculated Draft EIR.** Provides comprehensive responses to similar topics made in multiple comments.
- **Section 3: Responses to Comments on the Draft EIR.** Provides a list of the agencies, organizations, and individuals that commented on the Recirculated Draft EIR (RDEIR). Copies of all of the letters received regarding the Draft EIR and responses thereto are included in this section.
- **Section 4: Errata.** Includes an addendum listing refinements and clarifications on the Recirculated Draft EIR, which have been incorporated into the document.
- **Section 5: References.**

Because of its length, the text of the Recirculated Draft EIR is not included with these written responses; however, it is included by reference in this Final EIR. None of the corrections or clarifications to the Recirculated Draft EIR identified in this document constitutes “significant new information” pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15088.5. As a result, a recirculation of the Recirculated Draft EIR is not required.

