

October 22,2024

Honorable Donald Wagner Orange County Board of Supervisors 400 W Civic Center Dr. Santa Ana, California 92701

Subject: U.S. Small Business Administration Physical Disaster Declaration

Dear Chairperson Wagner:

On October 18, 2024, the U.S. Small Business Administration declared the primary County of **Riverside** and the contiguous counties of **Imperial, Orange, San Bernardino**, and **San Diego**, a disaster area. This declaration is a result of the impacts caused by the Airport Fire beginning September 9, 2024, through October 6, 2024.

The California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) is providing the enclosed information regarding this declaration. Please inform interested individuals, businesses, and city officials within your county of this declaration and information.

Sincerely,

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Division Chief, Recovery Administration and Support Division

Enclosure

cc: Orange County Office of Emergency Services

