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Federal Aviation Administration
Joseph Maibach
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Re: **Public Declaration Letter**

To whom it may concern:

This Public Declaration Letter is intended to certify that the County of San Bernardino is qualified to operate as a public aircraft operator and that the operations the County will be conducting with the unmanned aircraft meet the definition of a governmental function.

Pursuant to California Constitution Article XI §§ 1(a), 3 and 4 (2018), as well as the San Bernardino County Charter (1913), the County of San Bernardino, by and through its included San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department, is qualified to operate as a public aircraft operator under Title 49 USC 40102(a)(41)(c). The County of San Bernardino will only operate the unmanned aircraft for Governmental Functions per Title 49 USC 40125(a)(2), and will not operate the aircraft for commercial purposes as prohibited by Title 49 USC 40125(b).

If you have questions regarding the proposed use of the unmanned aircraft, please contact David Mascetti, (909) 841-4579, dmascetti@sbcscd.org.

Sincerely,

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