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Dear Mr. Mammano:

Under the provisions of Section 125, Title 23 of the United States Code, this is a Letter of Intent by the California Department of Transportation to request Emergency Relief (ER) funds to assist in the cost of repairing damages on Federal-aid highways in California caused by winter storms due to an atmospheric river event.

Beginning on October 24, 2021 winter storms bringing damaging winds, substantial precipitation, flooding, and erosion, along with the threat of mud and debris flows, impacting Contra Costa, Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, Monterey, Marin, Solano, and Sonoma counties. The precipitation and flooding caused damage to roads and highways in the impacted counties.

The preliminary damage estimate information is being gathered by the State and Local agencies affected. Additional information will be provided with the subsequent ER Application under Disaster CA22-2

Under separate cover, the Office of Federal Resources will be submitting the ER Application, along with the Governor's Proclamation(s) and Damage Survey Summary Report, to provide the Division Administrator with a basis to make a finding that the disaster is eligible for ER funding.

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If you or your staff have any questions, please contact Dave Changizi, Division of Maintenance at (916) 651-6132, or myself at (916) 654-3043 or by e-mail at <fardad.falakfarsa@dot.ca.gov>.

Sincerely,



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