

**COMMISSION ON STATE MANDATES**

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April 25, 2013

Mr. Robert W. Geis  
County of Santa Barbara  
Auditor-Controller  
105 E. Anapamu Street, Room 303  
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

*And Interested Parties and Affected State Agencies (See Mailing List)*

Re: **Statement of Decision**  
*County Formation Cost Recovery, 06-TC-02*  
Government Code Sections 23300 et al.  
County of Santa Barbara, Claimant

Dear Mr. Geis:

On April 19, 2013, the Commission on State Mandates adopted the statement of decision to deny the test claim on the above-entitled matter.

Please contact Heidi Palchik at (916) 323-3562 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Heather Halsey".

Heather Halsey  
Executive Director