

September 19, 2017

Ms. Shiva Frentzen
Board Chair
El Dorado Local Agency Formation Commission
550 Main Street, Suite E
Placerville, California 95667

Re: President's Special Acknowledgement Award – Property/Liability Program

Dear Ms. Frentzen:

This letter and enclosed certificate, are to formally acknowledge the dedicated efforts of the El Dorado Local Agency Formation Commission's Governing Body, management and staff towards proactive risk management and loss prevention training for earning the President's Special Acknowledgement Award! The Award is to recognize members with no "paid" claims during the prior **five consecutive program years** in the Property/Liability Program.

A "paid" claim for the purposes of this recognition represents the first payment on an open claim during the prior program year and excludes property claims. Your agency's efforts have resulted in no "paid" property/liability claims for the prior 5 consecutive program years including 2016-17. This is an outstanding accomplishment that serves as an example for all SDRMA members!

It is through the efforts of members such as El Dorado Local Agency Formation Commission that SDRMA has been able to continue providing affordable property/liability coverage to over 500 public agencies throughout California. While 408 members or 81% in the property/liability program had no "paid" claims in program year 2016-17, 259 members or 52% had no paid claims for the prior 5 consecutive years.

In addition to this annual recognition, members with no "paid" claims during 2016-17 earned 2 credit incentive points (CIPs) reducing their annual contribution amount and members with no "paid" claims for the prior 5 consecutive program years earned 3 additional bonus CIPs. Also, members with no "paid" claims for at least 3 consecutive program years may receive a lower "risk factor" which also helps to reduce the annual contribution amount.

Included with this letter and certificate is your press release template so your agency may showcase this important accomplishment.

On behalf of the SDRMA Board of Directors and staff, it is my honor to congratulate your Governing Body, management and staff for your commitment to proactive risk management and loss prevention training.

Sincerely,
Special District Risk Management Authority



Jean Bracy, President
Board of Directors