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April 6, 2018

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The Honorable Kamala Harris
Member of the United States Senate
112 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

SUBJECT: S. 1926 (Harris): SUPPORT

Dear Senator Harris:

The City of Santa Clarita is pleased to support S. 1926, which would establish a national memorial and national monument to commemorate the victims of the Saint Francis Dam collapse on March 12, 1928. On March 27, 2018, the Santa Clarita City Council voted unanimously to support S. 1926.

The creation of a national memorial and national monument will honor those who were killed, injured or survived that horrific event. Their individual and collective stories will be brought forward for future generations to better understand the history of the Santa Clarita Valley and the region. The designation will also serve to preserve the remaining historic artifacts and serve as a place of reflection, contemplation and remembrance.

Please let me know how the City of Santa Clarita may be of assistance to you in securing enactment of S. 1926. Should you or your staff require any further information regarding the Santa Clarita City Council's support of this bill, please feel free to contact Intergovernmental Relations Manager Michael Murphy at (661) 255-4384 or mmurphy@santa-clarita.com.

Sincerely,

Thank you
Laurene Weste

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cc: Members of the City Council
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