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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Molly C. Dwyer, Clerk of Court  
United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit  
The James R. Browning Courthouse  
95 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

Re: *Janice Altman, et al. v. County of Santa Clara, et al.*  
Case No. 21-15602

Dear Ms. Dwyer:

On December 22, 2022, the Court issued a Memorandum in the above-referenced matter. The Memorandum referenced the counties of Santa Clara, San Mateo, and Contra Costa but did not mention the other Defendants, including the cities of San José, Mountain View, Pacifica, and City of Pleasant Hill, and the following officials/employees of these entities: Laurie Smith, Sara H. Cody, Sam Liccardo, Edgardo Garcia, Max Bosel, Carlos Bolanos, Scott Morrow, Daniel Steidle, David Livingston, Chris Farnitano, and Bryan Hill.

The district court's judgment included these Defendants; the notice of appeal was of this judgment; and Defendants' answering brief included these Defendants and was signed by their counsel. Defendants accordingly request confirmation that the Court's Memorandum applies to all of these Defendants.

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The undersigned has met and conferred with Plaintiffs' counsel about this issue, and Plaintiffs' counsel does not object to Defendants seeking this confirmation.

Very truly yours,

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