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Prospective Recipients:

NBOP, CERES, Food for Thought, Forget-me-not Farm, SoCo Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Graton Day Labor Center, Alliance for a Just Recovery, Sonoma County Black Coalition, La Voz, KBBF FM, North Bay Jobs with Justice, North Bay Black Chamber, Sunrise, etc.

Subject: Sebastopol Climate Action Committee - Environmental Justice/Equity Seat - Applications Invited

Dear Community Members, Organizations, and Leaders,

We are writing to invite qualified individuals to apply for a vacant environmental justice/equity background seat on the Sebastopol Climate Action Committee (SCAC). The Committee formed in late 2020 and the seat made available for such an individual was not filled in the initial recruitment process.

We are reaching out to your organization in the hope that you can share this notice among your network so that it lands in the right person's inbox. The SCAC aims to include a diverse cross-section of community members representing all sectors to work together to offer recommendations to the City Council on climate-related action. It is important to the SCAC and city leaders that we ensure a voice from the environmental justice community on the committee.

The right candidate would be someone who has experience and/or expertise in climate justice, environmental justice, or social justice, working or volunteering in those communities. The ideal candidate would be a person of color and bilingual Spanish/English, although this is not a requirement.

Please see attached application and related background materials attached. The application period will remain open until the seat is filled.

The committee also welcomes attendance and comment by members of the community who do not choose to apply for official seats.

Thank you,

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