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Ms. Jenefer Duane, CEO  
Elder Financial Protection Network  
550 Montgomery Street, Suite 485  
San Francisco, California 94111

Re: Grant

Dear Ms. Duane:

On behalf of the Sonoma County District Attorney's Office, I strongly support The Elder financial Protection Network ("EFPN") in its efforts to seek grant funding to expand its programs to other counties.

EFPN is a strong advocate for the rights of seniors and has been of invaluable assistance in its collaboration with the District Attorney's office in our elder protection programs. Your leadership has strengthened our commitment to elder services and has brought to light many areas in which we can improve our assistance to the seniors in our County. You and your dedicated staff have provided new meaning to prevention efforts with a collaborative approach to include other community based organizations, public safety partners and financial institutions.

I look forward to continuing to partner with your organization to do everything we can to prevent elder financial abuse.

Sincerely,

STEPHAN R. PASSALACQUA

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