CITY OF LAGUNA HILLS

City Council

April 30, 2003

Frederick P. Horn
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court
700 Civic Center Drive West
Santa Ana, CA 92701

RE: 2002 03 Orange County Grand Jury Report - Wood Roofs are Dangerous

Dear Honorable Judge Horn:

Thank you for providing the Orange County Grand Jury Report - Wood Roofs are Dangerous. The Grand Jury is requesting that the City of Laguna Hills provide a response to each of the findings and recommendations cited in the Report, and describe the implementation status, as well as provide a schedule for future implementation.

In order to complete our analysis and responsibly address the findings and recommendations contained in the Grand Jury’s Report, the City of Laguna Hills is requesting a three-month extension of time (until August 12, 2003), consistent with Penal Code 993.05(b)(3). This will provide adequate time for our Building Division consultants to review the Grand Jury’s Report and provide their analysis to City staff by June 2003, and for City staff to prepare the requested code amendments and/or responses to the Report’s findings and recommendations for City Council consideration by July 2003.

Thank you for your assistance with this important matter.

Sincerely,

L. Allan Songstad, Jr.
Mayor

cc: City Council
Carlos N. Olvera, Foreman – 2002-2003 Orange County Grand Jury