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To Whom it May Concern:

My name is Sean Finn, I have been a professional farrier for over 30 years in Stanislaus County. I became acquainted with Oakdale Equine Rescue in July of 2017 when they brought a neglected horse named Bey into Sweet River Equine Clinic for vet and farrier care.

Since then, I have worked with them on many neglect cases and found Janine Etheridge, Lora Handley and their staff to be professional, caring and realistic about the horses in their care. I have seen great improvements in horses they have rescued both physically and mentally. I have also been impressed by the number of horses they place into new homes annually.

In my opinion, Oakdale Equine Rescue would be a good candidate for a working partnership with Stanislaus County to facilitate the rescue and rehabilitation of neglected and abused horses.

Sincerely,

Sean Finn, AFA CF