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Dobbins/Oregon House Fire Protection District  
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**RE: Demand to Cure and Correct Violation of the Brown Act**

Peter Pillsbury, Clerk of the Board:

I am writing to formally demand that the Dobbins/Oregon House Fire Protection District cure and correct the violation of the Ralph M. Brown Act that occurred between December 3, 2025, and December 9, 2025.

During the regular board meeting of the Dobbins/Oregon House Fire Protection District on October 25, 2025, there was a lengthy discussion of using Fire District funds to pay for a recall effort against Director Sharp. No action was taken.

On or about December 3, 2025, Director Sharp notified Chair Greg Holman that the Yuba County District Attorney, Clint Curry, informed Director Sharp that such a recall action by the Fire District would be illegal.

At the regular board meeting on December 9, 2026, Chair Holman announced that any recall effort would not be further considered. At that point, Director Pillsbury and Director Young introduced a discussion of censuring Director Sharp. The discussion led to a motion to put this consideration on the agenda for the next board meeting on January 27, 2026.

The Brown Act defines a "chain" communication as an illegal serial meeting that allows a majority of board members to discuss or deliberate on business outside of an open meeting. The hub and spoke variation is when one person, such as a board member, communicates individually to develop a consensus.

The chain communication occurred when Chair Holman contacted Director Pillsbury and/or Director Young that a recall would be illegal, and the subsequent discussion at the December 9th meeting to introduce a motion to censor Director Sharp at the January 27th meeting indicates a quorum.

You have until the next board meeting on February 24 to respond.

Sincerely,



Charles Sharp  
Director, DOHFPD