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Dear Ms. Mehta:

I would like to congratulate you on submitting a commendable and well-constructed project proposal, *“Expansion of the Prevention-Centered IPM Model for Affordable Housing: Building the Capacity of the Affordable Housing Sector to Implement Pest Prevention and IPM Best Practices”* to the Department of Pesticide Regulation’s (DPR’s) 2023 Alliance Grants Program.

After consideration of recommendations made by the department’s Pest Management Advisory Committee and staff, and in support of our goal to accelerate the transition to systemwide sustainable pest management by advancing integrated pest management implementation and adoption, DPR would like to fully fund your team’s project.

Please note that funding remains contingent on the full execution of a grant agreement between your institution and DPR. Department staff will contact you to begin the process of preparing the grant agreement in the hope that the grant agreement will be executed in time for work to begin September 1, 2023.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Dr. Andy Viet Nguyen at Andy.Nguyen@cdpr.ca.gov.

Once again, congratulations!

Sincerely,

Julie Henderson
Director

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