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Dear County Clerk Clerk of the Board,

My name is Lisa Powell and I am a resident of Thousand Oaks. I am also a founding member of Women United for Change, which is a member of the ICE out of Ventura County Coalition. Our Facebook group of more than 1200 local residents is focused on supporting democratic ideals, which includes supporting and understanding the value of immigrants who come to our country in search of a better life.

We support the the ICE Out of VC coalition's goal of ending VCSO collaboration with ICE. The current policy does not contribute to community trust - and, ultimately, public safety. There are many counties in California that have ended ICE collaboration. They know, as we do, that by ending law enforcement collaboration with ICE, residents are more likely to report crimes and/or seek police protection when needed. Community trust is a critical component of effective policing.

I ask the VCSO to please end voluntary collaboration with ICE. Let's make Ventura County a welcoming and safe place for all.

Truly Yours,
Lisa Powell

Sincerely / Atentamente,
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