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Amador Air Board  
810 Court St  
Jackson CA 95642

To whom it may concern:

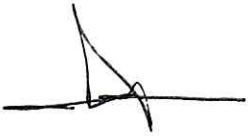
Vicini Brothers is trying very hard to continue paying off the Vermeer grinder purchased, in part, with the funds from the loan acquired from the Amador Air Board. We appreciate your help and without the newer grinder we would have had to close the plant 2 years ago.

What we did not anticipate was that the State of California Water Resource Board and the Water Quality Control Board would demand so much in the way of site renovation, permits, fees and engineering cost these last 2 years. Because of the added cost of doing business we are struggling to meet all our obligations at this time.

It is possible that without some sort of grant funding to help cover the cost of the grinder we may not be able to continue operations. That would ultimately mean closing down and selling what equipment we have. This is not our choice; we wish to keep operations going and hope that things will get better in the near future. We feel that we are an asset to the community and to other businesses such as ACES and desire to continue working for our county.

We would like to ask if the Amador Air Board would consider granting Vicini Brothers LLC the funds used for the purchase of the Vermeer grinder.

Thank you for your support,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Vicini', written over a horizontal line.

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