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**Subject: Our Recommendations for Representation on the DAC Committee
For Public At Large**

The California Desert District Mining Coalition (CDDMC) is comprised of a combination of over 17,000 miners and papered mines in the California Desert District. The CDDMC was formed only to try and to get information out to the public and to the public officials to show them what was happening behind their backs without their knowledge in some cases. The CDDMC has worked diligently to educate the public without any representation on the DAC committee of the actual miners and minerals category that make less than a billion dollars. Companies that made more than a billion dollars was represented very well for the last 3 years, but that was not the majority of mines and miners, off-roaders, hunters and people that just love the outdoors and do not want to see our public lands get tied up by groups that are only out for themselves and that cause problems for the BLM. This next 3 years we want real representation for the miner and outdoorsman/woman, not just the billion dollar companies.

Mr. Shodall is the working Joe. He is all around Mr. Public. His work history, education and responsibilities range from government to state.

As federal stakeholders we feel that Jerry Shodall would be a very good representative as a Public At Large position, on the DAC committee, for us the public.

**THE CDDMC BACKS AND VOTES FOR
MR. JERRY SHODALL TO REPRESENT US ON THE DAC COMMITTEE
AS PUBLIC AT LARGE.**

Sincerely,
The California Desert District Mining Coalition