



MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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Mr. Antonio Gonzalez, Chairperson
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Request for Scope Change Amendment for SMM-0809

Dear Mr. Gonzalez:

On January 28, 2008 the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) requested and received a grant of Proposition 50 funds from the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy in the amount of \$99,583. The original scope of the grant was for acquisition of tax-defaulted parcels within the Northeast Los Angeles Hilltop areas that contained valuable habitat, watershed, viewshed, and recreational resources.

The letter is to request that in addition to the acquisition of tax-default parcels, that the scope of the grant be expanded to include the acquisition of other qualifying non-tax defaulted parcels in these North East Hill Top areas including those near and adjacent to the MRCA's Elyria Canyon Park in Mount Washington. This change is being requested to allow the MRCA to take advantage of timely opportunities to acquire non-tax defaulted parcels in these important urban wild land areas.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "George Lange".

George Lange
Chairperson