



MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY  
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May 8, 2013

Agenda Item 10c  
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Irma Muñoz, Chairperson  
Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy  
570 West Avenue Twenty-Six, Suite 100  
Los Angeles, California 90065

**Request for Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Fund Grant  
for a Malibu Creek Watershed Riparian Mitigation Project**

Dear Chairperson Muñoz and Conservancy Members:

The MRCA (Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority) respectfully submits the attached grant application package requesting specific Conservancy funds for a riparian mitigation project in the Malibu Creek watershed of the Santa Monica Mountains. The requested \$77,000 is deposited in the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Fund. The funding originated as a mitigation payment from Caltrans requiring a site in the Malibu Canyon watershed.

The MRCA staff is working on project site selection on properties managed by the MRCA. Final site selection for the 0.38-acre riparian restoration project must be approved by the relevant permitting regulatory agency. The MRCA will also consult with the Conservancy staff on site selection.

Habitat mitigation projects immediately require a steady stream of capital and labor input on a weekly basis for several years. The MRCA respectfully requests authorization for an advance of fifty percent of the funds in the amount of \$38,500 if this grant is awarded.

Please address any questions to Project Analyst Chris Trumpy at (310) 589-3230 ext. 263.

Sincerely,

George Lange  
Chairperson

**SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY  
GRANT APPLICATION**

<b>Project Name:</b> Malibu Creek Watershed Riparian Habitat Mitigation Project	<b>Amount of Request:</b> \$ 77,000 <b>Total Project Cost:</b> \$ 77,000					
<b>Applicant Name:</b> Mountains Recreation & Conservation Authority	<b>Amount of Match:</b> \$ 0 <b>Source of Match:</b>					
<b>Applicant Address:</b> 5810 Ramirez Canyon Road Malibu, CA 90265	<b>Project Address:</b>					
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<b>Phone:</b> 310-589-3230, ext. 263 <b>Fax:</b> 310-589-2408	<b>Email:</b> chris.trumpy@mrca.ca.gov					

**Grantee's Authorized Representative:**  
 Lisa Soghor, Deputy Executive Officer 323-221-9944, ext. 105  
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*Name and Title* *Phone*

**Person with day-to-day responsibility for project:**  
 Chris Trumpy, Project Analyst 310-589-3230, ext. 263  
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*Name and Title* *Phone*

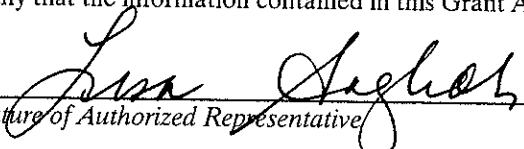
**Brief Scope of Work** (60 words maximum):  
 Implementation of a 0.38-acre riparian habitat mitigation project within the Malibu Creek watershed, Santa Monica Mountains, unincorporated Los Angeles County.

**Funding Source Applied for:** Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy Fund

**Narrative/Project Description:**  
 Implementation of a riparian habitat restoration and enhancement project. This funding was an in-lieu fee mitigation payment from California Department of Transportation, to compensate for impacts made to waters of the U.S., related to the Basin Clearing, State Route 1 project.

Tasks / Milestones:	Budget:	Completion Date
1 Habitat Mitigation Project Staff Time - \$45,000 Materials/Plants - \$27,000 Vehicle costs - \$3,000 Permitting - \$2,000	\$77,000	2016

I certify that the information contained in this Grant Application form, including required attachments, is accurate.


5/7/2013  
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*Signature of Authorized Representative* *Date*

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