

July 28, 2014; Agenda Item No. 15(a)

Resolution No. 14-40(a)

RESOLUTION OF THE SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY AUTHORIZING
ASSIGNMENT OF SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY'S PROPOSITION A
THIRD SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT FUNDS TO MOUNTAINS RESTORATION
TRUST COLD CREEK OLD TOPANGA ACQUISITION PROJECT,
UNINCORPORATED LOS ANGELES COUNTY

WHEREAS, The 80-acre Cold Creek - Old Topanga project proposed by the Mountains Restoration Trust is ecologically significant; and

WHEREAS, the staff report dated July 28, 2014 further describes the project; and

WHEREAS, the proposed action is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); Now

Therefore Be It Resolved, That the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy hereby:

1. FINDS that the 80-acre Cold Creek - Old Topanga project is ecologically significant.
2. FINDS that the proposed action is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).
3. ADOPTS the staff report and recommendation dated July 28, 2014.
4. AUTHORIZES assignment of Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy's Proposition A Third Supervisorial District Big Five Excess Funds in the amount of \$1,215,000 to Mountains Restoration Trust for the Cold Creek - Old Topanga acquisition project.
5. FURTHER AUTHORIZES the Executive Director, or his assignee, to perform any and all acts necessary to carry out this resolution.

~ *End of Resolution* ~

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was adopted at a meeting of the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy, regularly noticed and held according to law, on the 28th day of July, 2014 at Los Angeles, California.

Dated: 7/28/14

Executive Director