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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(18) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 12/14/2022

Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information

Date: 01/05/2023

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 14-0518

Agenda Date: 12/14/2022

Item Number: 12(c)

Summary: The PICO Neighborhood Council (“NC”) supports strong action to protect Los Angeles’s incredible natural heritage, threatened biodiversity, vulnerable wildlife population, and open spaces. The PICO NC also strongly supports actions to promote wildfire safety, watershed health, and climate resilience. PICO NC therefore supports the City Council’s motion CF



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Date: Wednesday, December 14, 2022
To: Los Angeles City Council
Re: Council File # 14-0518
Wildlife Corridor / Santa Monica Mountains (Hillside Ordinance Zone)

Dear Members of the Los Angeles City Council,

The PICO Neighborhood Council (“NC”) supports strong action to protect Los Angeles’s incredible natural heritage, threatened biodiversity, vulnerable wildlife population, and open spaces. The PICO NC also strongly supports actions to promote wildfire safety, watershed health, and climate resilience.

PICO NC therefore supports the City Council’s motion CF # 14-0518, and the intent and purpose of such an ordinance and urges the City to adopt a strong ordinance ensuring that property development protects within the area and ultimately the entire City, preserves, and promotes all of those essential goals (as identified in the opening paragraph of this CIS).

Specifically, the PICO NC urges the City to reject attempts to weaken protections for wildlife, critical habitat, biodiversity and to weaken protections for communities against the existential threats of wildfire and climate change in favor of perceived short-term property development interests.

Sincerely,


Brad S. Kane
President