



July 15, 2008

Douglas Bosco, Chairman
California State Coastal Conservancy
1330 Broadway, 13th Floor
Oakland, CA 94612-2530

Re: Proposition 12 funding distribution for Bunn property acquisition

Dear Chairman Bosco and Members of the Board:

The March 2000 park bond, Proposition 12, allocated funds to undertake projects for the South Coast Wilderness System of coastal canyons and watersheds in south Orange County. As a stakeholder with Laguna Canyon Foundation and the County of Orange, we are utilizing these funds to acquire additional land for the regional South Coast Wilderness system of parks and preserves, which includes Laguna Coast Wilderness Park.

We support the conditions to permanently dedicate the Bunn property for open space, public access and habitat preservation. We also agree to own the acquired land in fee title and to lease the Bunn property to the County of Orange for management as public access and wildlife habitat as part of Laguna Coast Wilderness Park.

Laguna Canyon Foundation has submitted a \$ 675,000 funding request to the Coastal Conservancy for the 4.5 acre Bunn parcel for parkland acquisition. An additional amount up to \$ 4,000 is requested for closing costs. We support the acquisition of the Bunn property for addition to Laguna Coast Wilderness Park and ask that you approve the funding allocation for this property. Thank you for considering our request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kenneth Frank".

Kenneth Frank
City Manager

cc: Laguna Canyon Foundation



Laguna Canyon Conservancy

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RE: Support for Prop 12 Funding of Bunn property in Laguna Canyon

Dear Chair Bosco and Directors,

Laguna Canyon Conservancy has supported the preservation of Laguna Canyon since the 1980s. Our organization managed the Walk of November 11, 1989. We have also helped to place many park bond measures on the state ballot. We were pleased with the passage of Proposition 12 in 2000 and the possibility of funding for many needed park-related projects throughout the state.

The Safe Neighborhood Parks, Clean Water, Clean Air, and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2000 allocated specific funding for projects for the South Coast Wilderness system of coastal canyons and watersheds in south Orange County. We have worked with Laguna Canyon Foundation on the priorities for the land acquisition under this bond measure line item and support their actions.

Laguna Canyon Foundation has submitted a funding request to the Coastal Conservancy for acquisition of the 4.5-acre Bunn property for parkland. We support this acquisition and ask that you approve the \$ 675,000 funding and associated closing costs for the Bunn property. The addition of this property will aid public access and habitat protection. Thank you for considering our request.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Wood
President, Laguna Canyon Conservancy

Cc: Laguna Canyon Foundation



Laguna Greenbelt, Inc.

a non-profit corporation

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Re: Support for Proposition 12 funding distribution

Dear Chairman Bosco and members of the Board,

Laguna Greenbelt, Inc. has for decades supported the preservation of the coastal canyons near Laguna Beach. We, a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) corporation, support the parks that form the more than 20,000-acres of wilderness in Orange County near Laguna Beach. Our volunteers and their activities help with access and habitat protection in these parks. Laguna Greenbelt, Inc. is represented on Laguna Canyon Foundation's board of directors.

The Safe Neighborhood Parks, Clean Water, Clean Air, and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2000 allocated specific funding for projects for the 'South Coast Wilderness' system of coastal canyons and watersheds in south Orange County. We have worked with the Foundation on the priorities for the land acquisition under this bond measure line item and support their actions.

Laguna Canyon Foundation (LCF) has submitted a funding request to the Coastal Conservancy for acquisition of the 4.5-acre Bunn property for parkland. We support this acquisition and ask that you approve the \$ 675,000 funding and associated closing costs for the Bunn property. This property is adjacent to 235 acres of land previously preserved by LCF with Proposition 12 funding. The addition of this property will aid public access and habitat protection. Thank you for considering our request.

Very truly yours,

Elisabeth Brown

Elisabeth M. Brown, Ph.D.
President
Laguna Greenbelt, Inc.

cc: Laguna Canyon Foundation