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November 14, 2024

Douglas Bosco, Chairman
California State Coastal Conservancy
1515 Clay Street, 10th Floor
Oakland, CA 94612

SUBJECT: Beach and Coast Accessibility Program – Orange County Coastkeeper

Dear Chairman Bosco and Members of the California State Coastal Conservancy Board of Directors:

I am pleased to support Orange County Coastkeeper's application for the Beach and Coast Accessibility Program. I believe that their plan to distribute beach accessibility equipment, such as beach wheelchairs and rollout walkways, throughout the state will provide an invaluable service for California residents and visitors.

Tragically, individuals with disabilities can be excluded from the simple pleasure of visiting our coast and beaches due to physical barriers. This program will not only break down those barriers but also create unique opportunities for countless California residents and tourists to enjoy our stunning coastline in ways that were previously unattainable. The commitment of the Coastal Conservancy and Orange County Coastkeeper to providing equitable access to the coast will undoubtedly enhance recreational opportunities, expand access, and promote the overall enjoyment of the California Coast for everyone.

I am proud to endorse this grant application and believe that this program will continue to make a profound and positive impact on the issue of coastal access. I hope the California State Coastal Conservancy is able to provide additional funding to Orange County Coastkeeper for this program.

Thank you for your consideration and support.

Sincerely,

Cottie Petrie-Norris
Assemblymember, 73rd District