

**SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY
GRANT APPLICATION**

Project Name: Project Planning and Design	Amount of Request: \$ 550,000 Total Project Cost: \$ 1,675,000						
Applicant Name: Mountains Recreation & Conservation Authority	Amount of Match: \$ N/A Source of Match: N/A						
Applicant Address: 570 West Avenue 26, Suite 100 Los Angeles, CA 90065	Project Address: N/A						
Phone: 323-221-9944 Fax: 323-221-9934	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">County</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Senate District</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Assembly District</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">LA & Ventura</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Various</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Various</td> </tr> </table>	County	Senate District	Assembly District	LA & Ventura	Various	Various
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Email: barbara.romero@mrca.ca.gov							
Grantee's Authorized Representative: Cara Meyer, Contracts Officer 323-221-9944 x117 <hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: 0;"/> <i>Name and Title</i> <i>Phone</i>							
Person with day-to-day responsibility for project: Barbara Romero, Chief of Urban and Watershed Projects 323-221-9944 x188 <hr style="width: 50%; margin-left: 0;"/> <i>Name and Title</i> <i>Phone</i>							
Brief Scope of Work (60 words maximum): Project planning and design activities leading directly to the preservation, protection, and restoration of land, water, and other natural resources in the upper Los Angeles River watershed and the watersheds of the Santa Monica Bay, including the Calleguas Creek watershed. Such projects shall be fully consistent with the projects identified in the geographic specific Projects List approved by the Conservancy initially in September 2007 and subsequently in 2008. (See attached)							
Funding Source Applied for: Proposition 84							
Narrative/Project Description: The Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority's (MRCA) requested Project Planning and Design Services grant augmentation would continue to fund activities directly related to the acquisition, preservation, protection, and restoration of land, water, and other natural resources and associated planning, permitting, and administrative costs for eligible projects located in the upper Los Angeles River watershed and the coastal watersheds of the Santa Monica Bay, including the Calleguas Creek watershed. The MRCA will develop and implement projects that maximize the protection, enhancement, distribution, and creation of public parks and natural areas throughout the upper Los Angeles River watershed and the coastal canyons of the Santa Monica Bay. The funding will be used for Proposition 84 funding eligible projects in the specific geographic areas listed in the attached figure entitled "Potential Projects List." The scope of these projects shall range from the acquisition and development of urban native habitat parks and trails to the acquisition of habitat linkages between the major core habitats of the Santa Monica Mountains zone. MRCA staff efforts will also include the obtainment and processing of land and trail easement dedications and donations. To the extent possible, all planning, design, and implementation efforts shall be multi-objective to integrate increased water supply and quality, wildlife habitat including fisheries, habitat connectivity, and the broad distribution of passive recreational opportunities that may incorporate interpretive displays. All of the subject project planning and design activities would be consistent with the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2006 (Proposition 84) and in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act. Project							

