RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE MOUNTAINS RECREATION AND CONSERVATION AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING ENTERING INTO A PROJECT AGREEMENT WITH THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY REGIONAL PARK AND OPEN SPACE DISTRICT FOR THE ACQUISITION OF (A) FEE TITLE TO APNS 3240-016-001, 002, 003, 004, 005, 3243-018-009, 3240-015-024 AND 025, TOTALING APPROXIMATELY 712 ACRES, AND (B) AN OPTION TO PURCHASE APNS 3243-013-009, 012, 013, 014, 015, 016, 017, 065, 3243-018-007 AND 016, TOTALING APPROXIMATELY 488 ACRES, LOCATED IN THE LAKE HUGHES AREA.

Resolved, That the Governing Board of the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) hereby:

1. FINDS that subject property has high ecological and habitat values and constitutes a regionally significant habitat and recreational resource;

2. FINDS that it is necessary to enter into the project agreement with the Regional Park and Open Space in order to fund proposed acquisition;

3. FINDS that the proposed action is exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act;

4. ADOPTS the relevant staff reports and recommendations dated June 3, 2015;

5. DELEGATES signature authority to the Executive Officer, Chief Deputy Executive Officer and the Deputy Executive Officers for any and all documents required by the project agreement;

6. AUTHORIZES application for grant funds from the Regional Park and Open Space District and entering into a project agreement for the purposes described herein; and

7. AUTHORIZES the Executive Officer or his designee to do any and all acts necessary to carry out this resolution and any recommendations made by the Governing Board.
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ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the governing board of the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority, duly noticed and held according to law, on the 3rd day of June, 2015.

Date:  

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Executive Officer