

MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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MEMORANDUM

To: The Governing Board

FROM: Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, Hon. ASLA, Executive Officer

DATE: April 5, 2017

SUBJECT: Agenda Item VI(d): Consideration of resolution authorizing contract with Vision y Compromiso for training for the Community Liaison Pilot Project.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing contract with Vision y Compromiso for training for the Community Liaison Pilot Project in the amount of \$10,000.

<u>Background</u>:On December 2, 2015 the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) authorized acceptance of a grant from the Resource Legacy Fund for consulting services on the Parks Resiliency Project. This project advances the development and implementation of an innovative outreach and engagement model for the California Department of Parks and Recreation and includes contracts with community partners. The MRCA will contract with Vision y Compromiso, a 501©3 not for profit organization to provide a 5 day training. \$10,000 will cover the cost of preparation and delivery of the 5 day training.