

MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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MEMORANDUM

To: The Governing Board

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

DATE: November 1, 2017

SUBJECT: Agenda Item VI(d): Consideration of resolution authorizing task agreement

with National Park Service for Youth Training and Work Experience through

Habitat Restoration at Peter Strauss Ranch Project.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing task agreement with National Park Service for Youth Training and Work Experience through Habitat Restoration at Peter Strauss Ranch Project.

<u>Background</u>:On October 18, 2017 the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) signed a task agreement with National Park Service (NPS) for the Youth Training and Work Experience through Habitat Restoration at Peter Strauss Ranch Project. We are asking for the board to retroactively authorize this task agreement. This project provides leadership and training opportunities for urban youth in the Los Angeles Area around park restoration and volunteer management.