



MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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MEMORANDUM

TO: The Governing Board

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

DATE: October 3, 2018

SUBJECT: **Agenda Item VII(g): Consideration of resolution authorizing a grant application to the Los Angeles County Regional Park and Open Space District for Proposition A funding for the Calabasas View Acquisition project and adopting a youth employment plan.**

Staff Recommendation: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing a grant application to the Los Angeles County Regional Park and Open Space District for Proposition A funding for the Calabasas View Acquisition project and adopting a youth employment plan.

Background: The Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) is coordinating with the Los Angeles County Regional Park and Open Space District to seek funding for the acquisition of at least one parcel with an approximately 300 acre area in unincorporated Calabasas in the Santa Monica Mountains between Calabasas Peak and Old Topanga.

The Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors has scheduled to hear the Proposition A funding application during their early October 2018 meeting. Authorization of this resolution will allow an expedited acquisition of the subject parcels following Proposition A grant authorization.

The Youth Employment Program, and a map of the subject parcels are attached for reference.