



## MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY

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### MEMORANDUM

TO: The Governing Board

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

DATE: June 5, 2019

SUBJECT: **Agenda Item XI: Consideration of resolution authorizing the acceptance of donation of approximately 50 acres in the Santa Clarita Woodlands (2826-029-012 through 018 and 020), unincorporated Los Angeles County.**

Staff Recommendation: That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution authorizing the acceptance of donation of approximately 50 acres in the Santa Clarita Woodlands (2826-029-012 through 018 and 020), Santa Susana Mountains.

Background: Recently a representative of Vaquero Energy contacted staff and put forth an offer to donate eight contiguous parcels in the Santa Clarita Woodlands. The parcels comprise a key part of the East and Rice Canyon watersheds and would be a superior addition to the park. The approximately 50 acres would not add any additional maintenance burden.