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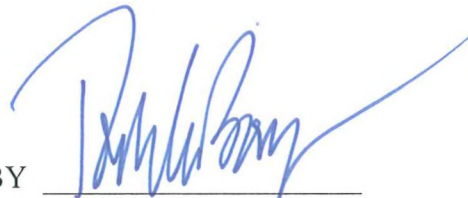
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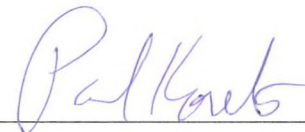
In 1983, the City of Los Angeles acquired Runyon Canyon Park with a grant from the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy in order to preserve open space in the City of Los Angeles. Since its acquisition, Runyon Canyon has been managed by the City of Los Angeles Department of Parks and Recreation as an 'Urban Wilderness.'

Through the years, Runyon Canyon has gained popularity throughout the Southern California region. It is a destination for hikers, dog owners, and those hoping to see local celebrities. This popularity has increased the impact to the surrounding neighborhoods, thus impacting quality of life for people who live around the park year round.

On Tuesday July 26, 2011 the Arts, Parks, Health and Aging Committee had an open discussion which no action was taken on this issue regarding the impacts that the surrounding neighborhoods are facing due to the increased popularity of Runyon Canyon Park.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Department of Recreation and Parks, LAPD be requested to report on all issues relating to the quality of life for the neighborhoods surrounding Runyon Canyon Park, including all access points.

PRESENTED BY   
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