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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(10) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

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Summary:

NHWNC – CF 14-0518

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Title: Wildlife Corridor/Santa Monica Mountains (Hillside Ordinance Zone)

On August 18, 2022, in accordance with the Brown Act as duly agenzized at our July 21, 2022 meeting, the North Hills West Neighborhood Council in a unanimous vote of 10 yeas, 0 nays, voted in support of CF 14-0518 to maintain funding for the Wildlife Corridors Project and the continuation of the Wildlife Pilot Study. We find this essential for the preservation of one of the city’s most valuable natural habitats for generations to come.

We appreciate the opportunity to comment on this important Planning initiative. We would appreciate an acknowledgement that this comment has been received. Whereas, wildlife vitality depends critically on open migration for animals to find food and to reproduce; and Whereas, the City of Los Angeles is considering a “Wildlife District” in the Santa Monica Mountains, in which carefully considered modifications to zoning and planning requirements (such as setbacks, lot coverage, fencing, lighting and grading) would be made to preserve wildlife connectivity though private and commercial properties; and

Whereas, it is in the best interest of all City residents to preserve and enhance our irreplaceable and valuable natural heritage; Therefore, the North Hills West Neighborhood Council supports the proposed “Wildlife District Supplemental Use District and Zone Change.”