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Attn: Doug George

Sam Schuchat
Ocean Protection Council Secretary
Coastal Conservancy Executive Officer
Ocean Protection Council
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**Re: Support for the Completion of a Master Environmental Assessment (MEA)
on single-use and reusable bags**

Dear Secretary Schuchat and Members of the California Ocean Protection Council:

The City of Irvine welcomes any information you can develop and provide that will assist us in fully analyzing the issue of single-use and reusable bags. Therefore, we support your work to develop a Master Environmental Assessment (MEA) on this topic and would greatly appreciate receiving a copy of the MEA when it is completed.

Upon completion, please send an electronic copy of the MEA via e-mail to mbyrne@ci.irvine.ca.us. If an electronic copy is not available, please mail a hard copy of the document to:

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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

MARCIA BECKETT
Fiscal & Environmental Programs Administrator