

Item 6a – Exhibit 6a3: Letters of Support

21 February 2018

Deborah Halberstadt, Edecutive Director
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1416 Ninth Street, Suite 1311
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RE: Proposition 1 Grant Application for the Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project

Dear Ms. Halberstadt:

The Council for Watershed Health (CWH) is pleased to support the grant application submitted by The Trust for Public Land (TPL) to the Ocean Protection Council's Proposition 1 Grant Program for the Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project.

The City of Los Angeles has over 900 linear miles of alleys, 300 of which are located in South Los Angeles. In their current condition, alleys generate runoff that carries trash and pollutants into storm drains that outfall into the LA River and the Pacific Ocean. Additionally, these alleys add to the urban heat island effect in one of the most densely populated, income-poor, and park poor areas in the City. With few places for walking, biking, or outdoor play, green alley projects present a unique opportunity to provide provide both environmental and health benefits to residents in South Los Angeles.

The Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project will transform an undervalued network of alleys in South Los Angeles through green infrastructure elements such as permeable concrete, infiltration trenches, trash inceptors, and trees. The resulting benefits include improved runoff water quality, agumentation of local water supply through increased capture and infiltration of runoff, and increased climate resiliency. The green alley network will also reduce the urban heat island effect through high albedo pavement and trees and vines, which also provide carbon sequestration benefits.

CWH looks forward to providing its technical expertise in developing a robust performance monitoring program for the green infrastructure elements. CWH will monitor and quantify the infiltration and water quality benefits resulting from the project. For more than 20 years, CWH has worked to advance the health and sustainability of our region's watersheds, rivers, and habitats – both in natural and urban settings.

The Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project will help advance the research of green infrastructure and climate-resilient landscapes and inform decision making that benefits underserved communities. It will help improve the health of our communities and our local watershed. CWH supports this worthwhile project and urges your favorable consideration.

Sincerely,



Eileen Alduenda
Interim Executive Director

The Council's determination that a proposal is consistent with our mission and vision and is therefore worthy of our support does not imply that all individual agencies and organizations represented on the Board of Directors concur with, or have reviewed, the proposal.



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NEW 9th
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February 14, 2018

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Holly J. Mitchell
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Attention: Ms. Halberstadt, Executive Director

PROPOSITION 1 GRANT APPLICATION FOR QUINCY JONES GREEN ALLEY STORMWATER INFILTRATION PROEJCT

The City of Los Angeles Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN) is pleased to support the grant application submitted by The Trust for Public land (TPL) to the Ocean Protection Council's Proposition 1 Grant Program for the Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project. LASAN works towards the development and implementation of systems that capture, clean and infiltrate water; recharging groundwater supplies and resulting in cleaner rivers, creeks, and beaches. This project will have a direct and substantial effect on stormwater pollution abatement, and has numerous other environmental benefits.

The project was identified as one of five high priority alley networks in the South Los Angeles Green Alley Master Plan completed by LASAN and TPL in the City of Los Angeles (City) in 2015. The project is located within City-owned right-of-way. The improvements will be maintained by the City for no less than 25 years. A Memorandum of Understanding will be executed between LASAN and TPL to implement this project.

The City has over 900 linear miles of alleys, 300 of which are located in South Los Angeles. In their current condition, those alleys collect trash and funnel polluted runoff from vehicles, streets, and parking lots into storm drains, the Ballona Creek watershed and ultimately the Pacific Ocean. Additionally, these alleys add to the urban heat island effect, and currently do not benefit the underlying aquifer. South Los Angeles is also one of the most densely populated, income-poor, and park poor areas in the City with few places for walking, biking, or outdoor play.

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This project continues the long-standing collaborative partnership between the LASAN and TPL to transform undervalued networks of alleys in Los Angeles and provide multiple environmental and social benefits to the surrounding communities. Construction of our first joint green alley effort, the Avalon Green Alley network, was completed in 2016. For this project, the alleys are being completely redesigned by the community through green infrastructure, such as permeable concrete, infiltration trenches, trash inceptors, and increased greenery. Benefits will include captured and filtered stormwater, recharging the underlying aquifer, increasing water sustainability, and improved climate resiliency. The green alleys will also reduce the urban heat island effect through new high albedo pavement and the planting of trees and vines, which will also sequester carbon.

LASAN strongly support the Quincy Jones Green Alley Stormwater Infiltration Project and urge your highest consideration. If you require additional information, please contact me at (213) 485-3985.

Sincerely,



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February 7, 2018

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Re: [Artículo] Aplicación del Consejo de Protección Oceánica 1 para el Proyecto de Infiltración de Aguas Pluviales Green Alley de Quincy Jones

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Por último, me gustaría agregar, *estos proyectos son de mucha importancia para embellecer nuestra comunidad.*

Sinceramente,
Norin V. Miranda

Green Team Member



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Lastly, I would like to add, these projects are very important to beautify our community.

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e visto los cambios a echo este proyecto en mi comunidad y el equipo verde me gustaria mirar en esta comunidad tambien

Sinceramente, *maria mateo*

maria mateo

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Lastly, I would like to add, I have seen the changes made to this project in my community and the Green Team and I would like to see these in this part of my community as well.

Sincerely,

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*Estos proyectos an ayudado a nuestra
Comunidad y a nuestras familias a
Caminar Seguros.*

Sinceramente,

Green Team Member



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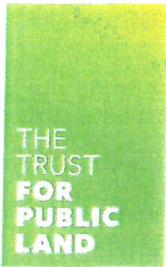
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Lastly, I would like to add, these projects have helped our community and our families to walk safely.

Sincerely,

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Yo veo un gran beneficio en mi comunidad
y me gustaría ver mas callejones lindos cerca
de aquí para beneficio de muchas familias.

Sinceramente,

Juana P. Arevalo.

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Sincerely,

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*Agradecer a los Proyecto
de los 100 Callejones
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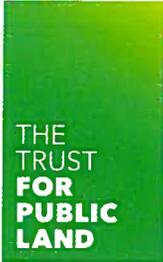
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yo evisto mejoramiento
en los Cayejones

Sinceramente,

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Yolanda Garcia



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que he sido parte del equipo Verde por 5 años y creo que este proyecto va a beneficiar a toda la comunidad.

Sinceramente,

Sofia Giron

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ANTONIA PEÑALZA

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de los callejón y haora estan
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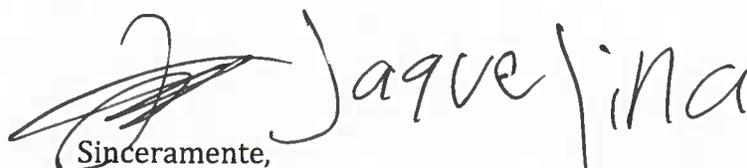
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*Gracias por su participación
esperando nos apoyen en los
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Sinceramente, L.A.*

María Roxana Urduna
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y se visto un mejoramiento*

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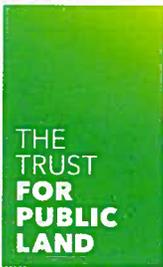
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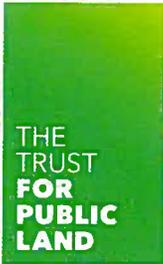
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and safe they are.*

Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Damaris Orduna

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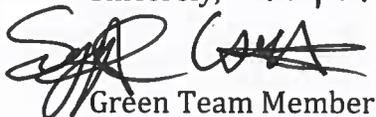
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It, it has improved. I feel safe and proud of my community. My mom has been part of this team and have had the privilage of attending meetings. I look forward to whats up ahead.



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Steven Aguilar