

# ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE HH

The Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority has preserved and maintains most of the public open space and wildlife habitat around our homes in the Santa Monica Mountains east of the 405 and Hollywood Hills. With warmer temperatures, wildfires in hillside areas are becoming larger, faster, and deadlier.

## A Yes vote on Measure HH will:

- Protect against wildfire dangers in our Eastern Santa Monica Mountains and Hollywood Hills areas; remove fire hazards, and clear dry brush
- Preserve and maintain local neighborhood open space, parklands, and wildlife corridors
- Improve local wildfire prevention services by funding new brush clearing along Mulholland Drive on City of Los Angeles owned lands that are currently not being cleared or maintained for fire prevention by the City
- Create year-round irrigated green areas around the Mulholland Overlooks to further improve fire safety and scenic views
- Responsibly remove illegal encampments from public lands in our community to prevent accidental fires
- Improve fire safety and better protect our homes from devastating wildfires with extra park ranger patrols on high fire risk days
- Acquire additional open space, and prevent development on the most valuable remaining open lands
- Protect and expand wildlife corridors that are necessary to ensure animals and wildlife can survive
- Keep pollution and trash out of local creeks and reservoirs and improve water quality.
- Keep our communities safe with year-round park ranger safety and security patrols to prevent crime, arson and vandalism

Every penny raised by Measure HH will stay in our community and cannot be taken away by the State or used for other purposes.

A Citizen's Oversight Committee will conduct annual audits to ensure funds are spent properly and only for the above-listed purposes in the hillside areas of Eastern Santa Monica Mountains and Hollywood Hills. A low income exemption is available.

## Please vote Yes on Measure HH

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**NO ARGUMENT AGAINST THIS MEASURE WAS  
SUBMITTED**