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PLUM Committee City Hall 200 N. Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

via email

June 19, 2023

Re: #19 CF 14-0518
Wildlife Ordinance SUPPORT

Dear PLUM Committee:

The Hillside Federation which represents 47 resident associations spanning the Santa Monica Mountains has supported a Wildlife Ordinance since 2014. A few simple modifications to new construction design in the Supplemental Use District will assure that wildlife continues to be able to move across our hillsides and does not become isolated. The cumulative effect of many people making small changes will have a great impact on wildlife's ability to survive and thrive.

Since the arrival of P-22 in Griffith Park more than a decade ago, the people of Los Angeles have shown an increased appreciation for the wildlife in their own backyard. P-22's death late last year only increased their resolve. They have learned the benefits of co-existing with wildlife.

The Hillside Federation strongly urges you to approve the Wildlife Ordinance today.

Sincerely,

**Charley Mims** 

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