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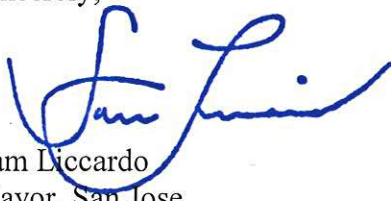
Dear Santa Clara Valley Open Space Authority,

I enthusiastically support the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society's (SCVAS) proposed grant application for the development of a citizen science and environmental education program at Laguna Seca in Coyote Valley.

SCVAS has been a valuable partner in our efforts to preserve and protect Coyote Valley. They were deeply involved in the successful campaign against Measure B and for Measure C in 2018, as well as the campaign for Measure T which ultimately provided the funding to purchase nearly 1,000 acres in North Coyote Valley for preservation purposes.

The organization has a long history of impactful advocacy and education in our valley, and this grant will allow them to extend their successful youth and adult education program to a part of our City that has not previously benefitted from their work. I have high confidence that SCVAS will promote and inspire students' and the public's appreciation of this unique natural area.

Sincerely,



Sam Liccardo
Mayor, San Jose