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Los Angeles International Airport/Community Noise Roundtable

1 World Way

Los Angeles, CA 90045

RE: REQUEST FOR THE SGVCOG TO BE ADDED AS VOTING AT-LARGE MEMBER ON THE LAX COMMUNITY NOISE ROUNDTABLE

Dear Mr. Schneider,

On March 18, 2021, the San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments (SGVCOG) Governing Board voted to direct staff to submit a letter to the Los Angeles World Airports requesting the SGVCOG be added as a voting At-Large Member to the Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) Community Noise Roundtable. The SGVCOG is a joint powers authority of thirty-five member agencies that are located in the San Gabriel Valley. The SGVCOG is also the largest and most diverse sub-regional government entity in Los Angeles County.

The SGVCOG acknowledges that the Roundtable aims to reduce and mitigate the adverse noise impacts that users of LAX create on the surrounding communities. Understanding that many of our member agencies have received aircraft noise complaints from their residents and constituents, the SGVCOG hopes to participate in the Roundtable's discussions and foster cooperation between LAX and local impacted communities to achieve noise impact reduction.

In the event that our request to be added as an at-large voting member is approved by the Roundtable, our Governing Board has recommended Walnut City Councilmember Allen Wu to serve as the SGVCOG Delegate and La Cañada Flintridge City Councilmember Keith Eich to serve as the SGVCOG Alternate.

We look forward to working with the Roundtable to promote shared goals of noise reduction and sustainability in the community. Please do not hesitate to contact our Management Analyst, Alexander Fung, at afung@sgvcog.org if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Marisa Creter

Executive Director

San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments