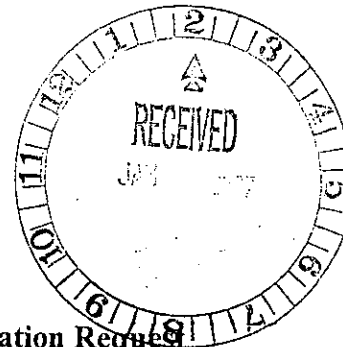


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January 29, 2007

Mr. George Dondero
Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission
1523 Pacific Avenue
Santa Cruz, CA 95060



RE: City of Santa Cruz – Additional FY 2006-07TDA Article 8 Allocation Request

Dear Mr. Dondero:

Please accept this letter as an additional FY 2006-07 TDA Article 8 allocation request for the following project:

1. DeLaveaga Neighborhood Sidewalk Improvements Project (Safe Routes to School) - \$18,364.00

The Public Works Department received a grant of \$341,100 from the Safe Routes to School Program for the DeLaveaga Neighborhood Sidewalks project. A 10% local match of \$37,900 was committed to the project. The project was bid on December 20, 2006 following an extensive public review and approval process. The lowest responsible bid received (\$533,525) far exceeded the available funds for the project. Caltrans has agreed to allocate the maximum funding of \$500,000 for the project from the Safe Routes to School Program and the City has committed \$43,003 in additional local funds. There continues to be a shortfall of \$18,364.00, which the City of Santa Cruz is requesting be provided by its TDA Article 8 funds.

As with all City claims, the City will commit to maintain any facilities provided with these funds for 20 years and will prepare all necessary environmental review for these projects. All of the projects above are consistent with the City Bicycle Transportation and Pedestrian Plans and the RTP.

Please call me (831-420-5422) if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Christophe J. Schneider
Assistant Public Works Director/City Engineer

cc: ~Bicycle/Pedestrian Coordinator
~Transportation Manager
~Finance Department (RG)

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