

SAMPLE LETTER

San Francisco Recreation and Park Commission
501 Stanyan Street
San Francisco, CA 94117

Dear Members of the San Francisco Recreation and Park Commission,

I write to you in support of the Recreation and Park Department staff recommendation to allocate Open Space Fund contingency reserve money for restoration of the Interior Greenbelt's Historic Trail and trailhead.

By reopening the Stanyan Street trailhead more than half a mile of trail will be restored linking the Cole Valley neighborhood to the 61 acre UCSF Open Space Reserve and the miles of trails within it.

The Mount Sutro Stewards have proven themselves to be a worthy partner by working closely with the Natural Areas Program and providing skilled volunteers for trail and habitat restoration projects.

We urge you to vote in support of this project and the thousands of hours of volunteer time that will be donated toward work in the Interior Greenbelt. This is the type of project that should be undertaken with a partner that can contribute much needed resources in a time of limited funding. Your investment will be matched with sweat equity and ongoing community stewardship.

Sincerely,