

California Legislature

March 21, 2019

The Mayor and Members of the Irvine City Council
1 Civic Center Plaza
P.O. Box 19575
Irvine, California 92623

RE: Southern California Veterans Memorial Park and Cemetery

Dear Mayor and Members of the Irvine City Council:

On March 11, 2014, the Irvine City Council by an unanimous vote designated the Amended and Restated Development Agreement (ARDA) Site at the Great Park "as the best possible site" for a Southern California Veterans Memorial Park and Cemetery. We ask that you continue to support this shared goal by conveying this particular property to the State.

History demonstrates that the State Legislature supports a Southern California Veterans Memorial Park and Cemetery. Previous legislation, supported by the City, AB 1453 (Quirk-Silva, Statutes of 2014) selected the ARDA Site and allocated \$4.5 million to a Master Development Fund. This measure received unanimous and bipartisan support.

Today, we are ready to work with State and Federal officials to secure funding for the Southern California Veterans Memorial Park and Cemetery. We ask that you stand by your previous commitment to provide a resting place for California's veterans at the ARDA Site.



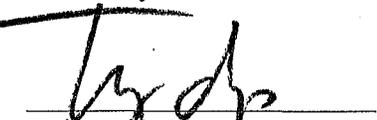
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