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April 16, 2008

The Honorable Gary Miller
United States House of Representatives
2438 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515-0542

Dear Representative Miller:

As a local elected official representing South Orange County, I write to express my unwavering support for the federal funding of the Crown Valley Parkway widening project within the City of Laguna Niguel through the FY2009 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development and Related Agencies Appropriations bill.

The widening of Crown Valley Parkway from Cabot Road to Interstate 5 will provide much needed traffic congestion relief in our community. As you know, Crown Valley Parkway is the city's primary access point to the Interstate 5 freeway and carries approximately 65,000 vehicles per day. Significant development has been planned east of the Interstate 5, which will increase traffic volumes to 72,000 by the year 2010 and over 90,000 by the time the development will be completed.

This critical project of local and regional significance will reduce congestion, improve traffic flow at this major arterial and improve overall regional mobility. Therefore, I strongly urge you to include funding for the Crown Valley Parkway widening project in the FY2009 appropriations bill.

Sincerely,

Pat.
PATRICIA C. BATES
Vice Chair, Board of Supervisors
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*Gary,
Thanks
for all you
do for us!
Warmest
regards
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The Honorable Dianne Feinstein
United States Senate
331 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0504

Dear Senator Feinstein:

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The Honorable Barbara Boxer
United States Senate
113 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510-0504

Dear Senator Boxer:

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A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Pat.", written over a horizontal line.

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