



File: 33661
Regnart Creek

September 6, 2019

Mr. Roger Lee, Director
Public Works Department
City of Cupertino
10300 Torre Avenue
Cupertino, CA 95014

Re: Regnart Creek Trail

Dear Mr. Lee:

Santa Clara Valley Water District (Valley Water) staff has been working closely with City of Cupertino (City) staff for over a year to provide consultation and feedback on design parameters for a planned trail along Regnart Creek that meet City operational needs to accommodate public access while respecting Valley Water flood protection and stream stewardship needs. Valley Water has a long history of supporting joint use of its lands for public recreational purposes where they are compatible with our flood protection, water supply and stream stewardship missions.

Valley Water staff recently provided comments to the City on 65 percent draft plans. City staff continues to engage with us to address our concerns in a mutually satisfactory manner. Valley Water staff is committed to continue our partnership with the City to resolve remaining issues related to the design of appropriate public recreational amenities on Valley Water lands. Once design issues have been resolved, a joint use agreement with the City can be presented to our Board of Directors for consideration.

We appreciate the continued efforts of City staff on this project and wish to convey our support of the City's efforts to deliver recreational trail improvements in partnership with Valley Water.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Usha Chatwani".

Usha Chatwani, P.E., CFM
Engineering Unit Manager
Community Projects Review Unit

Cc: U. Chatwani, M. Richardson, N. Nguyen, S. Tippetts, L. Bankosh, C. Houston, Y. Arroyo, File

