

December 28, 2009

Mr. Kevin McLaughlin  
Community Partnering Program  
Metropolitan Water District of Southern California  
P. O. Box 54153  
Los Angeles, CA 90054-0153

Dear Mr. McLaughlin:

**Topanga Earth Day Festival  
Letter of Support**

On behalf of the West Basin Municipal Water District (West Basin), we are pleased to provide this Letter of Support for the Rock and Stone International Humanities Center's (Center) Topanga Earth Day Festival.

The Center has requested funding in the amount of \$2,000 through the Metropolitan Water District's Community Partnering Program under the Short-Term Special Event/Activity category. The Earth Day event will focus on celebrating, inspiring, encouraging and educating visitors on various environment practices.

West Basin believes this community educational event is worthy of receiving funding from MWD's Community Partnering Program.

We look forward to MWD's approval of the Center's application. If you require further information, please contact Leighanne Kirk at (310) 660-6225.

Sincerely,

Edward C. Little  
President

cc: West Basin Board of Directors