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Honorable Mayor Tim Brown
City of San Clemente
100 Avenida Presidio
San Clemente, CA 92672

Dear Tim,

On Thursday November 13, 2014 the ACCOC City Selection Committee meets to fill an OCTA board seat for District 5. By way of this letter, I ask for your city's vote. Our district appointed me to the OCTA board in 2012, and I wish to continue representing us for another 2 year term. Your vote would be a vote for:

A strong voice for South County: You can count on me to provide leadership for the \$500mm El Toro Road to SR-73 project which is under design and affects over 340,000 motorists daily. I am also firmly committed to safe, on-budget and on-time delivery of the \$249mm I-5 freeway expansion between the Ortega and Avenida Pico exits that is underway. The District 5 Regional Bicycle Plan is unfolding, and I promise to play an active role matching local needs with regional opportunities.

The power of local funding: Of the \$15.9 billion dollars expected to be generated through Measure M2, a full 32% goes to local use. I'll continue to encourage the use of local dollars in our district for traffic signal synchronization, street widening and repairs, and other uses. I'm also an active supporter of the transit circulators used so effectively by several of our cities.

The value of continuity: Wall Street has stressed the importance of continuity on the OCTA Board, which is a relevant factor this particular cycle where 9 seats are "in play".

A high level of commitment: I can be depended on to invest the time needed to represent District 5. In addition to serving on the OCTA board, I chair the OCTA Regional Highways Committee, am a member of the Executive Committee, Transit Committee and Environmental Oversight Committee. This experience has and will continue to provide an excellent foundation for decision-making at the board level.

I respectfully ask for your vote and look forward to seeing you at the meeting on November 13, 2014, 4:30pm at the Hilton Hotel located at 3050 Bristol Street in Costa Mesa.

Sincerely,

Lori Donchak
OCTA Boardmember, District 5
San Clemente City Councilmember

cc: City Council