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Mission Viejo, CA 92691

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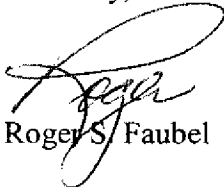
Dear Mayor Kelley:

Thank you for your support and confidence in selecting Faubel Public Affairs for the Crown Valley Parkway Public Outreach Program. I also want you to know that it was terrific to have four votes in favor of our team. It meant a great deal to both Kate and me.

The process the staff administrated was rigorous and highly competitive. The interview panel included two outside evaluators and was tough but fair. We worked hard to earn the number one spot. I edited the RFP submittal and took care to offer the city the best possible outreach program. So it is with regrets that I must withdraw from the process. I want to ensure that the project gets the limelight and attention it deserves, not the consultants. Sadly, a small group of gadflies are engaged in ad hominem attacks which I will not dignify by way of a response. The focus on this project is paramount and I don't want to be a detraction to the Council and staff.

The City is in good hands with you at the helm. Again, I thank you for being a true professional and not letting past politics influence your vote. We have a wonderful city and you can be assured that I will continue my volunteer efforts for all residents and visitors.

Sincerely,



Roger S. Faubel

cc: Council Members
Kate Keena
Dennis Wilberg