

February 8, 2008

Supervisor Jimmie Yee
700 H Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: Markis Use Permit

Dear Chairman Yee:

The League of Women Voters of Sacramento County recommends that you approve the appeal by the Save the American River Association and deny the Markis Use Permit Development as currently proposed. We believe the project as proposed is inconsistent with the intent of American River Parkway Plan and the County's Parkway Corridor Combining Zone ordinance.

As we did before your Board in September 2004 we support the County Planning staff recommendation of a minimum 50 foot setback from the existing bluff edge for the proposed development. We also believe the Markis Use Permit development Environmental Impact Report should be revised to include the 2004 Planning staff alternative.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Roseanna Torretto
President