

SANTA CLARITA WATERSHED RECREATION AND CONSERVATION AUTHORITY  
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Governing Board Members

FROM: Joseph T. Edmiston, AICP

DATE: August 14, 1997

SUBJ: **Agenda Item XI: Consideration of Resolution of the Governing Board Authorizing Preparation and Presentation of Informational Brochure on Santa Clarita Woodlands Resources, Public Access and Events, Cooperative Public Agencies, and Relationship to Other Potential Parkland.**

**Staff Recommendation:** That the Governing Board adopt the attached resolution directing staff to prepare an informational document on the Santa Clarita Woodlands Park, and direct the Chair to present it to the Los Angeles Regional Planning Commission at its September 3, 1997 meeting, and to any other public body making decisions on projects that may affect the park, its environs, and area trail connections.

The brochure would be prepared in-house by staff, and would contain maps and color photographs highlighting the ecological and recreational significance of the publicly-owned parkland in the Woodlands. Also, potential trail connections and the relationship of adjoining properties particularly the Newhall Ranch High Country would be outlined. Highlighted also would be special events such as the Cowboy Poetry Festival trail ride, Mentryville events, docent-led hikes, and regular public trail use and picnicking.