

March 11, 2016

Mary D. Nichols, Chair
California Air Resources Board
1001 I Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Southern California Consolidation Project's Site Location

Dear Chair Nichols:

Cal Poly Pomona (CPP) is proud of its almost 24,000 diverse undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in our diverse academic programs. Ranked among the top public universities in the western United States, CPP provides a rich academic experience that encourages hands-on learning in every program, course, and activity on campus. Our polytechnic approach and learn-by-doing philosophy make us an ideal venue for the relocation of the ARB facilities and CPP is excited about the possibility of welcoming California Air Resources Board to campus.

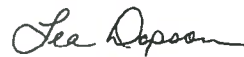
At Cal Poly Pomona, we are deeply committed to student learning and success and to advancing the knowledge, capacity and economic development of the region we serve and the global society we reach. We have a culture of opportunity, optimism, and success on campus and our students graduate career- and workforce-ready. CPP envisions multi-disciplinary partnerships with ARB that expands the breadth of our academic programs. This partnership with ARB offers collaborative opportunities to expose our students to STEM and other fields that make up the ARB skilled workforce and encourages joint efforts between ARB and faculty/staff.

As the deans at Cal Poly Pomona we are pleased to see that our campus and the CSU System are committed to housing ARB. We look forward to hearing the results of the March 17th Board meeting and announcing to our respective students, faculty, and staff that ARB is coming to campus!

Sincerely,



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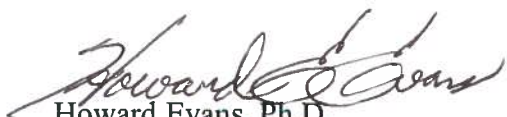
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