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Honorable Members of the City Council
c/o City Clerk City Hall, Room 395

RE: Nomination of Lynnette Kampe as Alternate Rep to the Community Forest Advisory Committee (CFAC) for CD1

Honorable City Council Members,

As Chair of the City of Los Angeles' Community Forest Advisory Committee (CFAC), I'm pleased to accept the nomination of Lynnette Kame as alternate representative to CFAC for Councilmember Eunisses Hernandez in Council District 1.

CFAC was formed in 1993 and is tasked with advocating for the protection and expansion of a healthy and robust tree canopy for the City of Los Angeles and its environs. As members appointed by each Council District and the Mayor's office, our role is to advise City Council and city departments on tree-related policies and help develop programs which protect and expand the city's urban forest for the health and well-being of all Angelenos. We are dedicated to habitat/ecosystem/biodiversity protection and more sustainable land use.

Lynnette Kampe has been serving on CFAC since it began having alternate representatives and was the sole CFAC member from CD 1 following the death of CD 1 CFAC representative Peter Lassen. She has served as CFAC secretary for many years and has been an invaluable and reliable member. Lynnette Kampe is a certified arborist and held significant positions at North East Trees and the Theodore Payne Foundation. She served on our city's First Step to an Urban Forest Management Plan Working Group and has had a long commitment to the betterment of our urban forest. I am grateful for her renomination and appreciate her willingness to serve.

Sincerely,

Joanne D'Antonio, CFAC Chair