

WORK PLAN

The proposal includes two projects, a comprehensive irrigation retrofit/upgrade and a lighting retrofit located at the municipally-owned Dad Miller Golf Course (owned by the City of Anaheim). The golf course is a 100-acre property located near the I-5 (Santa Ana Freeway) and immediately adjacent to the Tiger Woods Learning Center (a facility that serves low income youth in Southern California). Utility providers are the City of Anaheim for electricity and the Orange County Water District (OCWD) for water. The proposal's projects are more fully described as follows:

Project #1: Irrigation Retrofit/Upgrades

The irrigation retrofits will occur on 75-acres of the property and build upon previous work at the Dad Miller Golf Course. In 2012 and 2013, course upgrades were completed including installing a new central computer and new satellites in the field. These upgrades have helped staff manage the water system more efficiently but the course still operates using a block system, which is extremely inefficient from both a water and energy perspective. A block system requires staff to "run everything" within a large block even when only a small area of the golf course needs watering. For example, areas near the sidewalks and golf cart routes need more frequent watering due to high traffic use (both pedestrians and wheels running off the paved path and onto the course). These areas need more frequent watering than the large fairways. However, we are required to run the irrigation system for an entire blocked area (including fairways) when in practice, we only need to be watering the areas near pavement.

The current water use for the 75-acre area using data provided by the Orange County Water District is approximately 125 million gallons per year, or 383 acre-feet.

The project proposes to retrofit the current block system by converting the entire golf course area to a single head controller and installing a new updated main line with lateral lines. This will allow maintenance staff to run specific heads (for example, just a fairway head), which in turn will provide significant water savings in the long-term. The proposed water savings is estimated to be 25 million gallons per year, or roughly 77 acre-feet. The estimated project life is 30 years (based upon industry standards), which will yield 750 million gallons of water saved over 30 years, or 2,300 acre-feet.

Project #2: Lighting Upgrades

The lighting upgrades will be located on the driving range and throughout the entire clubhouse and parking lot facilities. The work also includes retrofitting the 30 light poles on the driving range that are approximately 90' tall. The driving range light poles are metal halogen or incandescent, retrofitted to use 1,000 watt bulbs. The current energy use is 138,787 kWh and we expect a 56% reduction in energy use after the lighting upgrades are installed. The proposed retrofit is to convert to Light Emitting Diode (LED) technology. LED technology provides for lower energy consumption, a more robust design and longer lifetime, which will be a benefit to the golf course since the project will reduce energy use, reduce routine repair and replacement, and reduce long-term maintenance. Lighting design shall consider peak periods of energy usage and optimize energy reductions, while continuing to provide for optimal visibility.

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Project Proponent/Partner (if applicable)

Not applicable. The City of Anaheim will be responsible for all tasks associated with this project. The City will contract with qualified vendors as appropriate but the City will be responsible for all oversight including compliance with all grant requirements.



Dad Miller Golf Course Overview System Map (see attachment for detailed system maps)

Red shading represents areas defined as disadvantaged according to the CalEnviroScreen, SB535 DACs (CalEPA.ca.gov/EnvJustice/GHGInvest/)



WORK PLAN TASKS

TASK 1. PROJECT ADMINISTRATION AND GRANT ADMINISTRATION

This task includes all actions necessary to manage the project to include ensuring adherence with the budget and schedule and also managing all grant proceeds in compliance with DWR and City regulations and policies. The schedule anticipates that a grant agreement will be executed with the State by July 1, 2015. Proposed sub-tasks include:

Sub-task 1.1—Grant Kick-Off Meeting and Execution of Grant Agreement

The City will meet with DWR staff (via conference call) to review the grant agreement, discuss expectations and timelines, review procedures for consultant procurement, invoicing and reporting, auditing checklist (Appendix D from Guidelines), and next steps. The City will document the meeting's minutes and action items. The City will process the grant agreement through the City Attorney's office and City Council and provide a fully executed copy of the grant agreement to the DWR.

Deliverables: -Meeting agenda and minutes
 -Fully executed Grant Agreement

Sub-task 1.2—Project and Grant Management

The City will conduct monthly project team meetings with selected consultant(s) and contractors and internal support staff to monitor project progress, prepare for upcoming tasks, debrief on completed tasks, conduct problem-solving, and ensure the project remains on schedule and within budget. DWR staff will be invited to these monthly progress meetings, if desired. The City's project manager will develop a schedule of monthly check-in/progress meetings and arrange for a conference call line for all parties to participate. The project schedule will be used as the standing agenda item for all calls. A qualified finance/accounting staff member will be assigned to attend all meetings and coordinate/complete all financial reporting forms, as required. This will include preparing and submitting all reimbursement requests and grant completion forms. It is estimated that the City will seek reimbursement from DWR no more frequently than quarterly. The project manager will be responsible for completing and submitting required quarterly progress reports, program completion reports, water management status reports, and post-performance reports and forms (as required). The project manager may delegate project reporting to the successful contractors; however, the project manager will be responsible for reviewing and signing all reports submitted to the DWR. Records Retention will be 3 years after final payment is made by DWR, or longer if required by DWR.

Deliverables: -Schedule of monthly check-in or progress calls
 -Request for reimbursement forms and documents
 -Printouts from the Grant Review and Tracking System (GRanTS)
 -Water management status reports (if applicable), due by April 30, 2016 and annually no later than June 30 of every year
 -Quarterly progress reports forms and documents
 -Project completion report forms and documents (within 90 calendar days of project completion)
 -Grant completion report forms and documents (within 90 calendar days of submitting the Project Completion Report)

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- Post-performance reports and forms (reporting will depend on type of project as defined by DWR staff)
- Records retention for specified time (per grant contract)

TASK 2. PROJECT #1: IRRIGATION RETROFIT/UPGRADES — DESIGN AND ENGINEERING

Sub-task 2.1—Issue RFQ, Procure Consultant, Kick-off Meeting

The City will prepare and issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) and select a consultant to guide the planning, design, and engineering process. City-approved procurement procedures will be followed and the City Council will approve the selection of the consultant. City staff and the Consultant will meet to review the project's goals, objectives, tasks, and timeline; the City's expectations; and DWR grant requirements. The Project Kick-off Meeting will outline the plan for completing all tasks. The Project Kick-off Meeting will be led by the City, and all key staff (City and Consultant) will be required to attend.

- Deliverables:
- Request for Qualifications document developed and posted/advertised
 - List of proposals received, reviewed, and ranked (interviews may be scheduled for highest ranking proposals)
 - Executed agreement with successful design and engineering consultant
 - Agenda and meeting minutes from kick-off meeting
 - List of tasks necessary for successful completion of design and engineering

Sub-task 2.2—Design and Engineering Work

The selected contractor will develop all design and engineering plans to enable the City to advertise for installation of the proposed irrigation system. The design plans shall incorporate, at a minimum: 1) optimize water-energy reductions, 2) provide for consideration of water evaporation caused by diurnal and seasonal temperature changes, 3) determine if central computer and satellites are adequate to accommodate for conversion from block system to single valve; 4) determine stages of pre-construction and construction, as necessary, to minimize irrigation disruption and golf course business disruption.

- Deliverables:
- Design plan meeting minutes
 - Photos and aerial documentation, as necessary
 - Design plans at the 30%, 80% and 100% final stages for City review and feedback
 - List of necessary permits (see sub-task 3.2)
 - Preliminary and final cost estimates
 - Construction drawings
 - Request for proposal document to enable City to solicit construction contractors

TASK 3. ENVIRONMENTAL (CEQA)/ENVIRONMENTAL PERMITS/CONSTRUCTION PERMITS

Sub-task 3.1—California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA)

The selected contractor (from sub-task 2.1) will be responsible for conducting all environmental reviews. Activities will include addressing any possible environmental impacts and determine compliance pertaining to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). No significant impacts are expected and therefore the project is expected to be exempt, per CEQA.

- Deliverables:
- Documents that satisfy the CEQA process

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- Coordination with DWR and other State agencies (if applicable) to obtain their review completion and sign-off as the Responsible Agency
- Written concurrence from the State of Lead Agency's CEQA document and State notice of verification of environmental permit submittal

Sub-task 3.2—Environmental Permits/Construction Permits

Consultant, on behalf of the City, will research and determine what permits are necessary for successful completion. Contractor will acquire any necessary environmental permits or construction permits on behalf of the City. Permits that are anticipated at this time include: City of Anaheim Building Permit (for lighting project only) and a right-of-way access permit through the City's Department of Public Works. Construction drawings will need to go through the City's plan check process.

Deliverables: -Signed permits, as required
-Successful plan check process (approval)

TASK 4. PROJECT #1: IRRIGATION RETROFIT/UPGRADES — CONSTRUCTION AND IMPLEMENTATION

Sub-task 4.1—Issue RFQ/RFP, Procure Consultant, Kick-off Meeting

The design and engineering consultant, acting as the construction manager, will prepare and issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ/P) and assist the City staff in selecting a consultant to perform the construction and implementation of the project. City-approved procurement procedures will be followed and the City Council will approve the selection of the construction consultant. City staff, the construction manager and the successful construction contractor will meet to review the project's goals, objectives, tasks, and timeline; the City's expectations; and DWR grant requirements. The Project Kick-off Meeting will outline the plan for completing all tasks. The Project Kick-off Meeting will be led by the construction contractor, and all key staff will be required to attend.

Deliverables: -Request for Qualifications/Proposals document developed and posted/advertised
-List of proposals received, reviewed, and ranked (interviews may be scheduled for highest ranking proposals)
-Executed agreement with successful construction contractor
-Agenda and meeting minutes from kick-off meeting
-List of all tasks necessary for successful completion of the installation work (step-by-step list required)

Sub-task 4.2—Pre-Construction, Mobilization, and Construction/Installation

The successful construction contractor will arrange for all pre-construction activities, mobilization, and construction/installation. These activities, at a minimum, will include:

1. Replace or upgrade the main controller and/or satellites, if needed to accommodate the new system
2. Prepare soil for line retrofits, in stages, as necessary, to limit any disruption of irrigation
3. Replace/repair existing lines and/or install new lines to accommodate upgrade from block system to single valve, in stages, as necessary, to limit any disruption of irrigation
4. Install single valves on lines, in stages, as necessary, to limit any disruption of irrigation

5. Replace soil or mend soil in stages, as necessary to avoid disruption in irrigation
6. Connect main controller and satellites to upgraded sprinkler system

TASK 5. PROJECT #2: LIGHTING UPGRADES—SELECT DESIGN-BUILD CONTRACTOR

Sub-task 5.1—Issue RFQ, Procure Design-Build Contractor, Kick-off Meeting

The City will prepare and issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) and select a design-build contractor to guide the planning, design, engineering, and installation of the lighting upgrades. City-approved procurement procedures will be followed and the City Council will approve the selection of the contractor. City staff and the design-build contractor will meet to review the lighting project's goals, objectives, tasks, and timeline; the City's expectations; and DWR grant requirements. The Project Kick-off Meeting will outline the plan for completing all tasks. The Project Kick-off Meeting will be led by the City, and all key staff (City and design-build contractor) will be required to attend.

Deliverables: -Request for Qualifications document developed and posted/advertised
-List of proposals received, reviewed, and ranked (interviews may be scheduled for highest ranking proposals)
-Executed agreement with successful design and engineering consultant
-Agenda and meeting minutes from kick-off meeting
-List of tasks necessary for successful completion of design, engineering, and installation work (step-by-step list required)

Sub-task 5.2. PROJECT #2: LIGHTING UPGRADES—SURVEY/INVENTORY EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE, INSTALLATION OF NEW LIGHTING SYSTEMS

The selected design-build contractor will develop complete design and engineering plans for the lighting upgrades. The contractor will determine the adequacy of the current electrical system and identify an optimal lighting benchmark that provides for maximum energy reduction while optimizing visibility. Existing light poles will be assessed to determine replacement needs. The contractor will also consider fixture options based on a variety of factors including expected fixture life; photometric performance; color (different products produce various shades of "white" light); optical control relating to lighting trespass, sky glow, and glare; maintenance; warranty; and style and finish. Various types of system controls will also be assessed including basic photocells, motion sensors, dimmers, and advanced panels, or a combination of these depending on need.

The design-build contractor will manage and implement all mobilization and installation activities. These activities, at a minimum, will include:

1. Develop an installation schedule
2. Schedule and procure necessary fixtures and equipment required for installation
3. Upgrade power and electrical systems, as needed
4. Replace/repair existing poles and/or install new poles to accommodate upgrade from current lighting to LED lighting. Installation shall occur in stages, as necessary, to limit any disruption of business
5. Install upgraded LED lighting fixtures in stages, as necessary, to limit any disruption of business

- Deliverables:
- Design plan meeting minutes
 - Photos and aerial documentation, as necessary
 - Design plans at the 30%, 80% and 100% final stages for City review and feedback
 - List of necessary permits (see Task 7)
 - Preliminary and final cost estimates
 - Installation plans
 - Signed permits and approved plan check
 - Successful implementation and Certificate of Completion

TASK 6. MONITORING AND PROJECT PERFORMANCE

This task provides for all monitoring and performance requirements as established by the DWR during the grant agreement development process. At this time, the City believes the monitoring plan will be for one year post-construction based on the type of projects proposed. The water and energy savings are not estimated to change from year-to-year and therefore only one year of reporting is expected. The proposed irrigation retrofit/upgrade project is not expected to affect surface water quality and therefore there is no provision for including a monitoring component that allows integration of data into the California Environmental Data Exchange Network.

Sub-task 6.1 Project Monitoring Plan (PMP)

The monitoring plan consists of conducting a pre-construction analysis of water and energy use at the golf course and also calculating the energy use associated with the water use (pumping and transmission). These estimates will be developed in partnership with the Anaheim Public Utilities (APU) who provides energy to the golf course and the Orange County Water District (OCWD), who provides water to the golf course. Both the APU and the OCWD have provided support letters (attached). The pre-construction calculations will be compared to the one-year post construction calculations and a Project Monitoring Plan will be submitted to the DWR. The design and engineering consultant for the irrigation project and the lighting contractor will be responsible for preparing and completing the respective components of the Project Monitoring Plan which will include, at a minimum the following elements. The PMP will be submitted to the State prior to the disbursement of funds for construction or monitoring activities.

- Baseline (pre-project) water use and energy use
- Proposed savings
- Brief discussion of how water and energy savings will be monitored
- Methodology of monitoring
- Frequency of monitoring
- Location of monitoring points
- Performance targets

Sub-task 6.2 White Papers for Association Distribution

The Dad Miller Golf Course project enjoys wide support from a variety of golf organizations and associations who are interested in learning more about the water and energy savings associated with this project. Each construction contractor will prepare a one page (front and back) white paper describing the improvements and their subsequent water and energy savings benefits (and resulting

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GHG reductions). At a minimum, the white papers will be submitted to the following organizations (see support letters attached herein):

- United States Golf Association
- Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (17,000 members)
- California Alliance for Golf
- California Golf Course Owners Association



CITY OF ANAHEIM
MAYOR TOM TAIT

November 26, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
The Natural Resources Agency
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Attn: IRWM Financial Assistance Branch, Water-Energy Grant Program
Re: Water-Energy Grant Project for Dad Miller Golf Course

Dear Ms. Peters:

As the Mayor of Anaheim, I strongly recommend funding from the Department of Water Resources, Water-Energy Grant for our city-owned Dad Miller Golf Course. The grant proceeds will be used to improve the irrigation and lighting systems at the golf course.

The City of Anaheim is California's 10th most populated city and Orange County's second largest city. Anaheim is a renowned world-wide tourist destination and we serve over 336,000 residents and provide hospitality to Orange County's 40 million visitors per year. The task of providing water, power, and services to a large population, local industries and a huge tourism industry is extremely important. The improved irrigation system would lower demand for water and the upgraded lighting will decrease energy consumption.

In accordance with Senate Bill 535 (De Leon), Anaheim is seeking additional consideration, which provides for assistance to communities that are severely impacted by environmental pollution, lower socioeconomic levels, public health concerns, and environmental degradation. A large portion of the Dad Miller Golf Course is located in a disadvantaged community as defined by the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment.

As a high profile internationally-recognized community, we are in a position to inspire other projects and we can serve as a role model for sustainable practices. I urge your favorable consideration of our grant application and I hope you will call on me if you have questions about our proposed project.

Regards,

Tom Tait
Mayor of Anaheim

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November 24, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
The Natural Resources Agency
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Re: Department of Water Resources, Water-Energy Grant Project

Dear Ms. Peters:

The Orange County Water District (OCWD) provides water to over 20 cities and water agencies and serves 2.3 million customers. The OCWD is dedicated to providing low-cost reliable water and implementing projects that further environmental stewardship. Water is a precious commodity for Orange County and water conservation requires a cooperative effort from all users: residential, commercial, industry and government. As you know, in the recent year, Governor Brown has declared a statewide drought emergency and has asked all Californians to reduce water use by 20 percent.

It is our understanding that the City of Anaheim is seeking grant funding to make irrigation upgrades at the Dad Miller Golf Course (owned by the City). The City of Anaheim has already imposed restrictions on water usage in an attempt to provide relief during our recent drought and we applaud this additional effort to conserve water. The proposed reduction of water use at the Dad Miller golf course (expected to be 2,300 acre feet over the life of the project) is tremendous due to the large landscaped areas and the continual need to irrigate.

Golf courses are both high-profile and high-demand water users. Additionally, the irrigation efficiency of most golf courses are challenging due to inconsistent water retention caused by the uneven terrain and slopes that make the game of golf challenging and rewarding. OCWD recommends that the Department of Water Resources award the Water-Energy grant funds to the City of Anaheim. Any water saved by the project will remain in the groundwater basin for future uses, which will benefit the region and State of California.

Sincerely,

Michael R. Markus, P.E., D.WRE, BCEE, F.ASCE
General Manager
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City of Anaheim
PUBLIC UTILITIES DEPARTMENT

November 20, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
The Natural Resources Agency
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
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P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001
Attn: IRWM Financial Assistance Branch, Water-Energy Grant Program

Re: Dad Miller Golf Course, City of Anaheim, DWR, Water-Energy Grant Project

Dear Ms. Peters:

Thank you for your consideration of our application for this exciting grant opportunity. The City of Anaheim is applying for grant assistance for the Dad Miller Golf Course, offered by the Department of Water Resources, Water-Energy Grant Program. Grant funding will enable irrigation and lighting upgrades that align with the Water-Energy Grant objectives. The project proposes to replace dated incandescent lighting with more efficient light emitting diode (LED) technology and re-configure the current irrigation system with a more efficient watering system. The Dad Miller Golf Course is owned by the City of Anaheim and is located within the Anaheim Public Utilities (APU) service area.

Water use and lighting requirements at golf courses tend to be high due to the large amount of landscaping and the need for visibility. Since California is also experiencing a severe drought, the need to conserve water is especially important to APU. Any water saved by the project will remain in the groundwater basin for future uses by other resident and businesses in the area. An upgraded irrigation system is expected to save approximately 2,300 acre feet of water over the lifetime of the project. The LED lighting project will decrease greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by lowering power usage.

The City has been a long-time leader in providing innovative solutions in both water and electric utilities. APU was established in 1894, as the very first municipal electric company in Southern California, and provides electric and water service to the Disneyland Resort, Anaheim Convention Center, the Honda Center, and Angels Stadium. We take pride in providing reliable power and water to California's 10th most populated city, local industries and our tourism industry, which supports over 20 million visitors each year.

While encouraging our customers to continue to seek efficient and economical use of local precious resources, it is important that we, as a City, do the same and lead by example. After careful review of all grant applications received, I hope you will agree that the City's proposed project is important for the City, region, and State of California.

Regards,

Dukku Lee, P.E.
Public Utilities General Manager

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November 20, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
PO Box 942836
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Re: USGA Support for City of Anaheim Water-Energy Grant Application

Dear Ms. Peters:

The City of Anaheim invited me to write a letter of support for their proposed irrigation and lighting project at the Dad Miller Golf Course. The proposed project is expected to result in a significant savings of both water and energy use, and we fully support the project.

The United States Golf Association (USGA) has a long history of supporting turfgrass and environmental research to assist golf courses to use less water and conserve natural resources. In fact, we launched a new web site focused on the issue of water use and conservation (Golf's Use of Water Resource Center: www.usga.org/water). The site features an interactive map featuring case studies, best management practices, and other valuable information as it relates to golf courses and water use.

I will be very interested in monitoring the progress with the project and hope to include the information as a case study for our Water Resource Center website. Again, I am happy to provide this support letter and please feel free to call me if you have any questions about the USGA and how we are working to help conserve water and energy resources across the country through our educational and technical assistance programs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick J. Gross". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Patrick J. Gross
Southwest Director
USGA Green Section



Golf Course Superintendents Association of America

November 20, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Re: Support for City of Anaheim Grant Application

Dear Ms. Peters:

On behalf of the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA), I am happy to support the City of Anaheim's grant application that has been presented to your agency for funding consideration. The proposed project is to upgrade an outdated block-type irrigation system at the Dad Miller Golf Course to a more efficient system that will eliminate over-watering and in turn conserve water and energy resources. Their proposed lighting upgrades will also reduce energy consumption.

The GCSAA is the professional association for the men and women who manage and maintain the game of golf's most valuable resource - the golf course. We are headquartered in Lawrence, Kansas, and provide education and information to more than 17,000 members in more than 72 countries. We operate the Environmental Institute for Golf, which is a collaborative effort of the environmental and golf communities with concentration on researching and educating best management practices of environmental stewardship on the golf course. We also provide extensive education on agronomy and offer a self-study course called W.A.T.E.R. for Efficient Water Management. This course focuses on water conservation through improved irrigation application.

I emphasize all of this to underscore how our organization, and what we do, aligns with both your goals as a State agency and the City of Anaheim's proposed project. We would be very happy to learn from you and the City how the project advances to implementation through completion and actual water and energy savings achieved. This information would be extremely helpful to our organization and we may find ways to incorporate your data into our training programs or newsletters. To that end, I encourage your support of the City's application.

Sincerely,

Jeff Jensen

GCSAA Southwest Field Representative

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November 18, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Re: Water-Energy Grant for Dad Miller Golf Course

Dear Ms. Peters:

Over the years, the California Golf Course Owners Association has recognized the need for water conservation and has urged all golf courses to adopt "Best Management Practices" and minimize irrigation needs. The City of Anaheim is proposing a project that is consistent with the interests and goals of the California Golf Course Owners Association, and therefore we would like to extend a recommendation for the proposed irrigation and lighting upgrades at the Dad Miller Golf Course.

An improvement of the irrigation system is necessary since over-watering causes a large amount of wearing of the turf, which limits the mobility of golf carts, and decreases the walkability of the course. The efficient lighting will give better visibility and service. The improved watering system and new lighting will make the golfing experience more pleasurable and enjoyable for visitors while at the same time ensuring long-term sustainability for future generations.

The Dad Miller Golf Course is perfect for long-time and first-time golfers. Golf is a great sport to enjoy the outdoors in a relaxing setting, especially within the "hustle and bustle" of the highly urbanized City of Anaheim. The sport fosters friendship, recreation, and encourages a healthier lifestyle. The Dad Miller course is a frequent destination for many senior citizens and the golf club also encourages and nurtures the interest of the sport among junior members with programs designed for children.

We would enjoy seeing the Dad Miller Golf Course upgraded and hope you will award the City grant funds to implement the proposed changes.

Sincerely,



Marc Connerly
Executive Director, CGCOA

CALIFORNIA ALLIANCE FOR GOLF

- The United Voice for the Golf Industry -

November 17, 2014

Ms. Laura Peters
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
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Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Re: Water-Energy Grant for Dad Miller Golf Course

Dear Ms. Peters:

Over the years, the California Alliance for Golf has recognized the need for water conservation and has urged all golf courses to adopt “Best Management Practices” and minimize irrigation needs. The City of Anaheim is proposing a project that is consistent with the interests and goals of the California Alliance for Golf, and therefore we would like to extend a recommendation for the proposed irrigation and lighting upgrades at the Dad Miller golf course.

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We would enjoy seeing the Dad Miller Golf Course upgraded and hope you will award the City grant funds to implement the proposed changes.

Sincerely,



Chris Thomas, PGA
President, California Alliance for Golf
Executive Director & COO, Northern California Section PGA



December 11, 2014
Ms. Laura Peters
Department of Water Resources (DWR)
Division of Integrated Water Management
P.O. Box 942836
Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Re: Department of Water Resources Water-Energy Grant, Anaheim's Dad Miller Golf Course

Dear Ms. Peters:

I am writing to you on behalf of the Anaheim Chamber of Commerce in support of the City of Anaheim's municipally-owned, Dad Miller Golf Course. The City of Anaheim is seeking funds from the Department of Water Resource's Water-Energy Grant for upgrades to the current lighting and irrigation system at the golf course.

The goal of the Anaheim Chamber of Commerce is to promote local business interests in a high profile, internationally-recognized community. The Anaheim Chamber of Commerce is also committed to promoting our valuable tourism and convention industry, while also addressing global environmental concerns regarding greenhouse gas emissions. The upgraded lighting and irrigation project at the Dad Miller Golf Course would be another great step forward in maintaining Anaheim's reputation as a family-friendly and environmentally conscious community.

I understand the project is expected to yield significant water and energy savings. While this is a win-win for the environment and California's precious resources, I cannot underscore enough the importance of the City "leading by example." As the City continues to implement water conservation, energy savings, and emission reduction projects, our businesses and residents will, in turn, learn and hopefully implement similar practices.

I encourage favorable consideration for the City's grant application and I hope to hear good news soon.

Sincerely,

Todd Ament
President & CEO
Anaheim Chamber of Commerce