

Riverside Local Area Formation Committee (LAFCO)
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Re: Case Nos. 2008-20-1&3
2008-21-1&3

Dear LAFCO Commissioners:

I am a resident of the area and I am in favor of the Annexation Proposal by the City of Temecula to annex the open space acreage south and west of the City up to the San Diego County line.

The City's sphere of influence already extends below the City's incorporated area, and I believe that Temecula should have local control and a final say in what development takes place within the annexed land.

SDSU's Ecological Reserve with scientific experiments benefiting California and the Country is located in this open space, as is the last link in a very important wildlife corridor. As the closest neighbor, decisions about how to protect this land should be within the City's purview.

I ask you to vote "Yes" on Temecula's Annexation Proposal.

Best regards,