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To Whom It May Concern

RE: Las Huertas Creek Prudent Line Study

ESCAFCA is conducting an engineering study and analysis of Las Huertas Creek between Tecolote Road to the Open Space boundary. This study will predict how the creek will behave over 30 years and a one-percent [100-year] storm event. ESCAFCA has contracted with two engineering firms to conduct this study.

Essential elements of this study are field surveys and measurements, soil and rock samples, vegetation identification, photographs, and the gathering of other information. This will be done by 2-3 person crews over a period of four or so days, in early February, 2010 These crews will be from Wilson and Company, Inc. Engineers and Architects, or from Tetra Tech, and will be so identified.

Study results will include the following:

- The drawing of lines on each side of the creek within which it would not be prudent to build,
- Recommendations for naturalistic erosion control measures,
- Recommended construction or modification of structures, such as road crossings,
- Measures to protect and/or safeguard the pipelines.

A minimum of three public meetings will be held to review the draft study, probably in late spring of 2010.

If you, or anyone else you know, can contribute data, photos, videos, or other information on past flood events, it may make a valuable contribution to the study. Such information can be provided to a member of the field team , or by calling one of the numbers listed below.

Should you have any questions or information, please call one of the following:

- Steve Salazar, Wilson &Co, 948-5136
- Angela Valdez, Wilson & Co, 948-5119
- Larry Blair, ESCAFCA Executive Engineer, 821-1386

Thank you for your interest and cooperation.

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