



June 7, 2021

Mayor Kamei and Members of the City Council
City of Mountain View
500 Castro Street
Mountain View 94041

Re: Council Meeting, June 8, Agenda Item 4.11 – Approval of Destination: Home Grant

Dear Mayor Kamei and Members of the City Council:

The LWV enthusiastically supports measures to increase the supply of safe, decent, and adequate housing for all Californians. Therefore, we are pleased to see the grant being offered by Destination: Home which will help the City support the Santa Clara County Community Plan to End Homelessness. We compliment the City for its ongoing policies that help to prevent homelessness, especially the City's consistent support of increasing the stock of affordable housing to decrease the number at risk of becoming homeless. Additionally, we applaud the City's ability to leverage outside private and public resources to address the needs of its most vulnerable residents.

We look forward to the City's developing its Measure A housing plan as well as using these grant funds to support the City's existing housing response framework. We urge the City to accept this general grant from Destination: Home.

(Please send any comments about this letter to Donna Yobs at dmyobs@yahoo.com).

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