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LA League of Conservation Voters endorses Cliff Numark for Torrance City Council

L.A. COUNTY – The Los Angeles League of Conservation Voters (LALCV) – which has supported pro-environment candidates in Los Angeles County for more than three decades – today announced its endorsement of Cliff Numark for the Torrance City Council in the upcoming June 8th election.

“Throughout his life - in academic, business and policy circles - Cliff Numark has demonstrated his commitment to, and understanding of, key environmental issues like alternative-fueled transportation, energy efficiency and mass transit,” said LALCV President Anthony Rendon. “On the Torrance City Council, Numark has delivered as an environmental leader.”

As a Councilmember, Numark initiated the first comprehensive audit of the city’s energy and water usage, which could significantly reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save up to \$500,000 annually. He also initiated a measure to encourage homeowners to install solar panels on their homes. As Transportation Committee Chair, Numark has overseen the re-branding of the Torrance transit fleet, including the purchase of nearly a dozen hybrid-electric buses - while also working to expand ridership by keeping bus fares low for seniors and students. He ensured that Torrance was included in a grant application to develop a South Bay bicycle master plan, initiated the city’s International Climate Action Day proclamation and persuaded Vons to donate more than 1,000 canvas bags to participate in the “Brag About Your Bag” day, encouraging shoppers to avoid single-use bags.

For more information on LALCV’s endorsements - including links to endorsed candidates’ websites - please visit www.LALCV.org.

About the Los Angeles League of Conservation Voters

Founded in 1976, the Los Angeles League of Conservation Voters (LALCV) is dedicated to electing municipal leadership in Los Angeles County to preserve, protect and enhance the environment. LALCV has helped elect more than 100 pro-environment officials throughout the county. LALCV endorsements are determined by its all-volunteer Board, which is composed of L.A. County residents committed to advancing environmental priorities. For more information on LALCV, its endorsements and its additional political activities, please visit www.LALCV.org.

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