

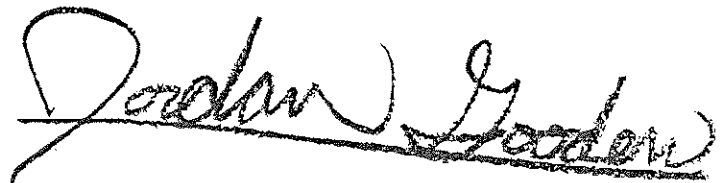
JORDAN GOODEN
1375 N. MCCLINTOC
CHANDLER AZ 85226
MAY 23, 2005

GREG BAKER PROGRAM MANAGER
RESTORATION PROGRAM
MONTROSE SETTLEMENT
501 W. OCEAN BLVD. SUITE 4470

DEAR, MR. BAKER

I REALLY THINK YOU SHOULD KEEP ON
KEEPING ON WITH THE BALD EAGLE
PROJECT. THERE ARE ONLY ROUGHLY 70,000
BALD EAGLES LEFT ON EARTH. WOULDN'T IT
FEEL GOOD TO POPULATE MORE? BALD
EAGLES ARE BEAUTIFUL ANIMALS. WHY
WOULD YOU NOT WANT TO MAKE MORE? YOU
NEED 110% OF CATALINA ISLAND TO BE
BEAUTIFUL, CURRENTLY IT IS ONLY 100%.
BRING IT UP. I WAS DEEPLY MOVED DURING
MY STAY AT FOX LANDING. I DIDN'T SEE 1
BALD EAGLE.

SINCERELY,
JORDAN GOODEN



Morgan Hammel
1375 N. McClintock Dr.
Chandler AZ, 85226
May 23, 2005

Greg Baker Program Manager
Montrose Settlement Restoration program
501 W. Occan Blvd. Suite 4470
Long beach CA. 90802

Dear Mr. Baker

Saving the Bald eagles is important to America's birds.
Keep the funding, so we can save America's eagles.
So they can reproduce and have a lot more eagles.
If the fundraiser goes away, then we won't have any more eagles on Catalina Island.
So please keep the funding then we can have more eagles.

Sincerely,

Morgan Hammel

Christopher Wicker
1375 N. McClintock
Chandler, AZ 85226
May 23, 2005

Greg Baker, Program Manager
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program
501 W. Ocean Blvd, Suite 4470
Long beach, CA 90802

Dear Mr. Baker:

People should keep fundraising so all people can see bald eagles when they go to CIMI. I think fundraising is a great idea because eagles are endangered animals. So we are asking a big favor, please save bald eagles! We want to be able to see them when we return to the island.

Sincerely,

Christopher Wicker

Jacob Dull
1375 N. McClintock
Chandler, AZ 85226
May 23, 2005

Greg Baker, Manager of the Restoration Program
Montrose Settlement
501 W. Ocean Blvd., Suite 4470
Long Beach CA 90802

Dear Mr. Baker,

It is important to keep the bald eagle program. I won't get to see one ever if you don't keep this program. I hope the bald eagle can stay. They are the best. I'm glad that people have fundraising. Please keeps this program going strong! THANK YOU.

Sincerely,

Jacob dull

Preston Clement
13 N. McClintock
Chandler, Arizona 85226
May 23, 2005

Greg Baker; Program Manager
Restoration Program Montrose Settlements.
501 w. ocean blvd. suit 4470
Long Beach, CA 90802

Dear Mr. Baker,

It is important to keep the bald eagle program because it is very interesting. When I went to Catalina Island it was very fun. When I was at Catalina Island I didn't see any bald eagles. I want Mr. Baker to keep this program because it is fun to see bald eagles when I go to CIMI. I want to continue to learn about the bald eagles. If we don't keep the program, bald eagles won't be here.

Sincerely,

Preston Clement

From: Shark Attack
To: Greg Baker; msrp@noaa; gov
Date: 5/23/2005 3:19:17 PM
Subject: Montrose Settlements Restoration Program

The Catalina bald eagle program must be continued. To stop it before the eagles are completely re-established would be to waste the monies already spent. The other programs I am sure have value, however if the eagle program should be allowed to find additional funding before money is withdrawn then more programs could be considered. Please do not stop this well conceived and worthwhile program.

Shark Attack
sharkattack361@earthlink.net
EarthLink Revolves Around You.

May 16, 2005

Greg Baker, Program Manager
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program
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Long Beach, CA 90802
562.980.3236
Email: msrp@noaa.gov

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College of Letters, Arts
and Sciences

Wrigley Institute for
Environmental Studies

Anthony F. Michaels
Director

Dear Mr. Baker:

I write to urge you and your committee to continue to fund the restoration of the Bald Eagles on Catalina Island and to expand, not contract, your commitment to improving the island and ocean ecosystems around Catalina Island. I direct the Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies at the University of Southern California. We operate a research laboratory on Catalina Island where we support research, education and outreach on a wide range of issues and by faculty and students from many different universities.

The overall goals of the Montrose Settlements Restoration Program as stated in settlement documents, are:

- 1) To restore, replace, rehabilitate or acquire the equivalent of the injured natural resources and the services that those resources provide; and,
- 2) To compensate for the interim lost services of the injured natural resources while those resources are recovered.

I think that these goals can best be achieved by continuing the Bald Eagle Restoration Program on Catalina Island into the foreseeable future. In addition, I ask for further consideration of the Restoration Alternative that restores peregrine falcons to the Southern Channel Islands, including Catalina Island. And finally, I feel strongly that marine fisheries enhancement work should be considered for the near shore environment of Catalina Island, an alternative that is not even discussed in the plan as it now stands, but seems more consistent with your charge than similar activities on islands much further away.

I strongly and respectfully disagree with the Natural Resource Trustee's preferred Alternative 2, which not only proposes ideas that are not as directly linked to the loss of natural resources due to the DDTs and PCBs contamination (e.g. wetland recovery and implementation of Marine Protected Areas in the Northern Channel Islands), but also directs significant portions of the settlement funds away from the sites of injury to disparate sites in the Northern Channel Islands and Mexico.

I think that it is critically important to focus the restoration efforts in the locations where the damage was and continues to be greatest, the Palos Verdes

Shelf and Catalina Island. Millions of people visit Catalina Island and enjoy its natural beauty and wildlife. This is the offshore ecosystem that is truly “public”. These visitors deserve to be able to experience wild Bald Eagles, Peregrine Falcons and healthy coastal oceans. To pull back from the existing commitments when so many people experience their benefits seems at odds with your charter, common sense and fairness.

The eagles on Catalina do still require strong management efforts, a sign of the ongoing damage caused by the DDT. There are early signs that some of the eagles are nearing levels of DDT where they can reproduce on their own. Further, they probably inhibit the introduction of Golden Eagles and may prevent the kind of devastations to the Catalina Island Fox that we have seen on the northern Channel Islands. Please don’t abandon them at this critical point.

I understand that there are worthy restoration activities on many locations around California. State taxpayers have provided large bonds and annually provide funding for many of these priorities. I know that there are budget pressures within the agencies represented by the Trustees. However, I think that you hold these Montrose Settlement funds in public trust and I urge you to look more broadly than the worthy initiatives of your own agencies. Please recognize that publicly-accessible lands are also valuable when held by private owners and that the kind of public-private partnerships found on Catalina are an excellent model for management on a much wider scale. The damage is on these lands. Please use these settlement funds to address DDT-related damage here rather than in Mexico or on non-DDT related activities elsewhere.

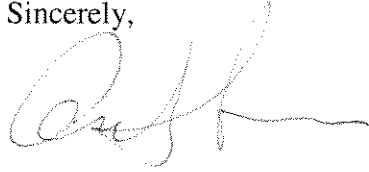
The Catalina Bald Eagle program only costs about \$270,000 per year. The amount you are spending to study eagles on other island would cover this effort for more than a decade. The amounts you envision for your other projects are much larger per unit of success than the Catalina Eagle project. Public-private partnerships are an efficient way to leverage your funds. In fact, the \$6 million you would have left after funding the NCI Feasibility Study would provide an endowment that could fund Catalina Eagles indefinitely. These are still relatively small components of the funds you have to disperse. Once the Catalina Eagles are healthy, this endowment would still be more than available to fund the conservation needs of the future.

Finally, it is interesting that the scientific work done with bald eagles on Catalina Island was the most compelling evidence that eventually lead to the negotiation of the Montrose Settlement. It would be a travesty of justice if this Island, the one place millions of people can view their national symbol in a natural island setting, was abandoned.

I strongly urge the Trustees to reconsider your current recommendations, and to create an alternative that 1) accomplishes ongoing bald eagle restoration on Catalina Island, 2) establishes funding for peregrine falcon restoration, and 3)

establishes a program to restore marine fisheries an the waters around Catalina Island – site of the greatest negative impacts from Montrose dumping. I understand that these are difficult management decisions and I hope that you can see the huge value in supporting the ecosystems of this special island.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anthony F. Michaels', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Anthony F. Michaels
Director
USC Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies

RESOLUTION NO. 05-15

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF AVALON URGING THE MONTROSE
SETTLEMENT RESTORATION PROGRAM
COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE FUNDING OF THE
CATALINA ISLAND EAGLE RESTORATION
PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, Catalina Island once had a thriving bald eagle population which was decimated by the illegal off-shore dumping of millions of gallons of pesticides for a period of decades by Montrose Chemical Company of Torrance and other polluters; and

WHEREAS, a program to restore bald eagles to Catalina Island has resulted in the successful release of 89 bald eagles on Catalina Island since 1982, with 20 of the bald eagles making Catalina Island their home and others relocating as far north as Canada; and

WHEREAS, Catalina Island is the only Channel Island where significant numbers of private citizens can see the bald eagle in a natural habitat, thereby allowing residents of Catalina Island and our more than one million annual visitors to experience first hand the beauty of the bald eagles; and

WHEREAS, outreach programs by the Catalina Island Conservancy continue to inform and educate the public about the plight of the bald eagle and the need to protect and conserve it and other natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the proposal to stop funding the Catalina Island bald eagle restoration program is based upon concerns that bald eagles will not become self-sustaining and yet a feasibility study is underway which may demonstrate that some of the bald eagles will soon be able to reproduce on their own; and

WHEREAS, discontinuation of the bald eagle restoration program on Catalina Island may have serious negative consequences, including the loss of all bald eagles currently inhabiting Catalina Island, thereby foiling decades of efforts and wasting hundreds of thousands of dollars of settlement monies, and the potential surge of golden eagles which may move in and decimate the endangered Catalina Island fox;

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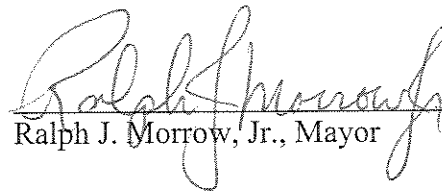
NOW, THEREFORE the City Council of the City of Avalon does determine, find and resolve as follows:

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Avalon hereby registers its opposition to the proposal to end funding of the Catalina Island bald eagle restoration program.

Section 2. The City Council of the City of Avalon hereby urges the Montrose Settlement Restoration Program Committee, at a minimum to delay action until the results of the pending feasibility study regarding self-sustenance are completed.

Section 3. The City Manager is directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to the Montrose Settlement Restoration Program Committee.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of May, 2005.


Ralph J. Morrow, Jr., Mayor

ATTEST:

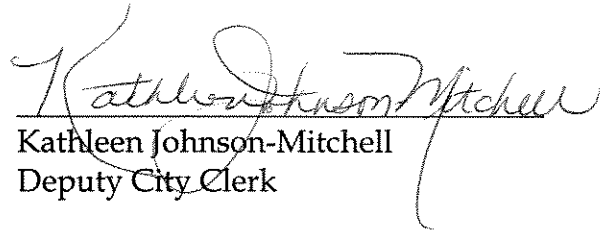

Shirley Davy, City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES)
CITY OF AVALON) SS.

I, KATHLEEN JOHNSON-MITCHELL, DEPUTY CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF AVALON, CALIFORNIA, do hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct copy of Resolution No. 05-15 was duly passed, approved and adopted by the Avalon City Council at its regular meeting of Tuesday, May 17, 2005, by following vote, to wit:

AYES: Four (Council Members O'Connor, Regalado, Kennedy, Mayor Morrow)
NOES: One (Mayor Pro-Tem Winslow)
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None

DATED this 17th day of May, 2005.


Kathleen Johnson-Mitchell
Deputy City Clerk

Gray Baker

JAMES A. EDDY
1562 Royal Blvd.
Glendale, Ca. 91207
818 244-9027

5-17-05

Members Montrose Settlements Restoration Program

Re: Catalina Bald Eagle Restoration

I have enjoyed Catalina as a camper, visitor, sailor and supporter, starting in 1936. As a camper we watched the eagles soar and marveled at their majesty.

In later years as a camp counselor we taught youngsters about the birds of the island, the eagles being the most spectacular.

Then there were no more eagles to see and describe.

Recently with your support a few eagles are now seen soaring over the mountains of Catalina. While we have a few they are insufficient to perpetuate the species on their own. I am convinced if you cease to support the program they will soon again disappear.

I urge you to continue funding, for at least five more years, the Eagle program for Catalina Island.

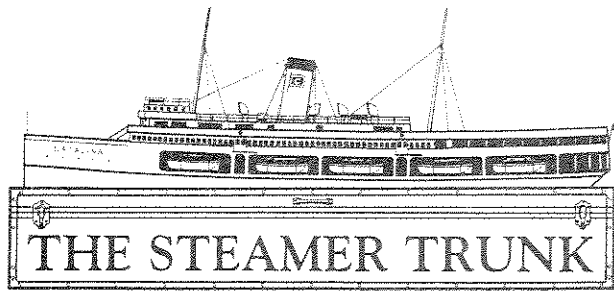
Most sincerely,

James A. Eddy

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NATURAL RESOURCES-SWR



May 18, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker,

We have enjoyed seeing more eagles on the island every year - this year has been especially good. Please don't abandon the eagle restoration program now - we may be turning a corner.

Sincerely,

Sue Pitalo, owner

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May 19, 2005

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program

Dear Sir;

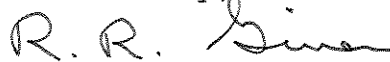
I am writing as a scientist, naturalist, and educator, and as Chair of the Board of Benefactors of the Santa Catalina Island Conservancy, to ask, no, to implore, you, to reconsider your plan to withdraw funding from the Santa Catalina Island Bald Eagle Program. I have read your proposal to do so and, although it certainly has merit and would expand your Restoration Program, I firmly believe that this is not the time to "pull the rug out from under" the highly-successful Catalina Program. We are just on the brink of determining whether or not the eagles can reproduce on their own and maintain a Catalina population; which is the main purpose of the Catalina Project and which, when successful, will certainly impact the other Channel Islands and, equally important, will establish that type of restoration plan as viable on a global scale.

As you know, we are being scrutinized world-wide, not only for the scientific accomplishments but, also, as one of the first truly successful cooperative efforts between a traditionally vilified industry and a conservation organization. The Catalina project is certainly unique in ecological restoration science, thanks to the Montrose support.

Additionally, there are obviously many more facets of your Catalina support program to consider, such as the possibility that the Bald Eagles deter the invasion of the Golden Eagles, which could, in turn, endanger the just-recovering Island Fox population.

Your continuation of support monies will be well and wisely used to continue this project to its successful conclusion and I again urge you to reconsider withdrawing your support funding at this time.

Most Sincerely;



Robert R. Given, Ph.D.
Professor/Science Department
Marymount College

Chair of the Benefactor Members
Santa Catalina Island Conservancy

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May 20, 2005

Greg Baker, Program Manager
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program
501 W. Ocean Blvd. Suite 4470
Long Beach, CA 90802

I have been working as a wildlife biologist on the Channel Islands since the year 2000. As a biologist and someone that appreciates the Channel Islands for their natural beauty, I fully support any rehabilitation of wildlife that has been damaged by human intervention. It has come to my attention that the Montrose settlement proposes to cut the Catalina Island bald eagle project funding. I strongly feel this is irresponsible on the part of Montrose settlement. I don't feel the need to express the reasons here as they have all been touched in the recent Montrose settlement plan.

Regardless of the findings of the northern Channel Islands bald eagle project, I fully support the continuation of the Catalina Island bald eagle project. It seems that with all infrastructure in place on Catalina the cost to continue the project would be a small price to pay for a bird such as the bald eagle, our national bird. Also with the record hatch this year in the incubation facility that the Institute for Wildlife Studies has developed it would appear that there may be hope in the future for this island.

Sincerely,



Thad A. Manuwal
P.O. Box 481
Avalon, CA 90704

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Berlin
8311 Delgany Avenue
Playa Del Rey, CA 90203

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May 17, 2005

Greg Baker, Program Manager
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program
501 West Ocean Boulevard, Suite 4470
Long Beach, CA 90802

Dear Mr. Baker,

As one of the million-plus frequent visitors to Catalina, I, along with my family, enjoy the breathtaking beauty of the bald eagles that have been returned to the island.

As you know, these amazing creatures are endangered and have been restored with the help of funds from the Montrose Settlement which addressed environmental damage caused by extensive DDT and PCB dumping through the 1970s. Alternatives currently proposed by the Montrose Natural Resource Trustees would cease funding of bald eagle restoration on Catalina Island, the island hardest hit by this dumping and THE ONLY natural setting in Southern California that we can go to enjoy these magnificent birds.

PLEASE take action to influence Montrose Settlement Restoration Committee Members and Trustees that rather than allocate funding to the Northern Channel Islands and as far south as Mexico, their moneys are best spent on eagle restoration, efforts to help restore peregrine falcons, and restoration of the marine fisheries on and near Catalina Island.

Public comment ends May 23rd. Please act before then. The favor of your reply regarding this important issue would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

(Mrs.) Sherie Berlin

Program Manager Greg Baker
Montrose Settlements Restoration Program
501 W. Ocean Blvd., Suite 4470
Long Beach, CA 90802

RE: Catalina Island Restoration Program

Dear Mr. Baker,

This letter is a sincere plea to continue funding Catalina's Bald Eagle restoration and allocate funding for Peregrine Falcons and Marine Fisheries restoration. There are many crucial issues at stake, some of which are as follows.

Abandoning your efforts now would hinder the abilities of the bald eagles to reproduce as their eggs still contain elevated DDT levels.

The disappearance of bald eagles from Catalina may occur if they are not able to reproduce over the next few years, which could impact all of the Channel Islands.

Over one Million visitors come to Catalina each year to enjoy the natural resources of the island including having access to bald eagles in a natural setting.

Damage from DDT and PCBs directly affected Catalina the worst. Settlement monies were not meant for addressing the impacts of introduced predators and invasive plant species.

The endangered Catalina Island Fox is federally listed as an endangered species and Catalina is the only place in the world where it is found. Abandoning the restoration program could allow Golden Eagles to decimate the Island Fox population.

The Bald Eagles that are being produced on Catalina Island are a potential source population for recovery of Bald Eagles elsewhere.

Catalina is the most cost-effective investment as the recovery effort includes the human intervention necessary to ensure the protection of the Eagle habitat and outreach efforts that inspire the public to support and protect the Eagles.

Please create an Alternative that continues to provide funds for Bald Eagle restoration work on Catalina, ensuring that these magnificent birds will fly free for millions of Catalina visitors to enjoy today and throughout future generations. Our children and grandchildren should have a right to view Bald Eagles too!

Sincerely,



Kelsey Cochran

Cc: Ann Muscat
Mel Dinkle
Catalina Island Conservancy

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Barbara Jo King
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School,
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker:

I am writing to tell the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagle Program not to be taken off of Catalina Island. Your company made the problem, so you need to fix it. Please don't stop funding money until at least 50 eagles are on the Island.

I learned so much about the eagles and I still want to learn more but without the eagles I can't learn any more. I love seeing ^{them} out in the hills.

I appreciate that you don't want the eagles to die but I still want to see the eagles. When I am down the coast the most thing I want to see are the eagles. I wish your company never dumped the D.D.T. because now that is why the eagles can't hatch on their own. If Pimu and Lefty are taken off Catalina oh man I'm going to be mad. If you try to fix it that will be fine with me but what's not okay with me is the eagles getting taken off the Island. Oh can we at least keep the healthy pair? Maybe we can put the eagles in a big cage thing that's really big and looks like they are in the wild and put healthy fish in the water that has no D.D.T. Now do you understand how important the eagles are to me.

Please will you keep the program going?
I'm beggin you I love the eagles
hear.

Most Sincerely,
Barbara Jo King

David Castro
3rd Grade B-12

Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrase Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr Baker;

I am writing to you to
convince you to keep helping the
eagles. Why did you dump the
D.D.F. in the ocean.

I want the eagles to stay.
They're like brothers to me.
With out them I would have
half a heart because the animals
are what I care the most
about.

Dr. Sharpe risks his life to
save the eagles on Catalina.
A lot of what I know about
the eagles I learned from
him. Please let him keep his job
on Catalina.

Sincerely
David Castro

Gabriela Hernandez
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, Ca. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker:

I'm writing to persuade you to keep the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagle Program. Your company made the problem so you have to fix it.

I enjoy having the Institute for Wildlife Studies on Catalina Island. I also enjoy visiting Pimu and Lefty. Eagles are really easy to learn about.

Love,

The eagle is our national bird. Please don't stop funding until there is a healthy population of eagles. Dr. Sharp risked his life

working with the eagles. We all hope that we can keep the eagles here so people can see them. Since one pair of eagles is near to hatching a healthy egg soon others might too.

Ganagn Acherman
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, C.A. 90704

Mr. Greg Balter
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach C.A. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Balter;

I am writing to you because
I think the Institut for Wildlife
Studies Eagle project can work.
Your the one who dumped the
D.D.t. so you should fix it.
Can't you let us have fifty
eagles? If we are tring to
save the eagles keep the
money coming to Catalina.

I like the eagles because there
so nice and when I was at
the hills, I watched a lot of
eagles! Eagles are also very
easy to learn about. Just please,
please, please don't take away
are eagles.

Dr. Sharp risks his life to save
eagles, just help.

Sincerely, Canaan, Acherman.

Brent Ezell
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;

I am writing to you to try
to get you to keep funding the Eagle
Program on Catalina. Your company
created this program so you should
keep our program since your company
is a multi 1,000,000,000 dollar company.
Plus the eagle is our mascot.
I bet if you ride her you would
not want the eagles to die ever.

Pls reconsider about the program
if you move them to the Channels
it inds nobody will be a bill to
in joy them. please think or gain about
the program.

most Sincerely
Brent Fzell

Montana Troeger
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;
I am writing to persuade
you to keep the Institute for
wildlife Studies Eagle program
funded on Catalina Island. I
think you should think a second
time about what you did to the
eagles and what you did in the
water to cause the problem.

I appreciate that you want to help
the other Channel Islands, but I
think you should help us until

we at least have 40 eagles.
How would you like it if the
U.S. Government took away your
Company? I have feelings for the
eagles and would like to keep
them on the island unlike you.

I enjoy seeing the eagles they are
a part of this island. The eagle is
our national bird and nobody
wants to lose it I am sure of
that.

I am very unhappy about
this.

Most Seriously Montana
Troeger

Zack Upton
3RD Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker:

I am writing to persuade you to keep the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagle Program funded on Catalina Island. Since you dumped the D.D.T to pay it off at least help the eagles by continuing to give money to the Eagle Program.

Everyone on Catalina loves the eagles so keep giving money so people on Catalina can enjoy the eagles longer. You know what I fee

great when I see a eagle
soaring in the sky everyone on
Catalina does dont you see if we
dont see the eagles again we'd be
nothing. So keep on funding to FWS!
You know what I think Mr. Sharpe's
job is a success: to keep the eagles
healthy and alive.

All I'm saying is you should keep
on funding money for the eagles
Mr. Sharpe and all of us.

From,
Zack Upton

Gabriel Saldaña
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, C.A. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, C.A. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker:

I am writing to convince you to keep the I.W.S. program funded on Catalina Island. Can you please keep funding money for the eagles?

S dump it you fix it that's how it goes. I know you are a big company so I trust you to be able to. When I see all that D.D.T. in the water at San Pedro

Boy I get disgusted! It just doesn't make any possible sense! Would you like it if the United States bird was gone? Huh? I care about the eagles everyone on Catalina does. I always like to visit Pimu and Lefty. They are just two of the many eagles that are depending on us. This is a serious thing. Think about it. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,
Gabriel Saldaña

Vanessa Sanchez
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA.
90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;

I'm writing to persuade you to keep Institute for wildlife Studies Eagle Program funded on Catalina Island. I think you should think a second time.

Since one pair of eagles is near to hatching a healthy baby, soon others might too! Please don't stop funding the money until there are at least fifty eagles. Your Company made the problem so you have to fix it!

I enjoy seeing the eagles when I hike. I've learned a lot about them from Dr. Sharpe. I visit Pimu in his cage. When I'm down the coast I can see the eagles flying overhead. Eagles add excitement to my life on Catalina.

Please reconsider keeping Dr. Sharpe's eagle program on Catalina Island!

Most Sincerely,
Vanessa Sanchez

Marisa Morones
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;

I am writing to you to encourage you to reconsider keeping the Institute for Wildlife Studies Program funded on Catalina Island. I think you should think a second time, because you really didn't have a right to dump the D.D.T. You made this huge problem.

Please don't stop funding money until there are at least fifty eagles on the island.

Eagles are so important to us because many places don't have eagles. I really like the eagles because when I see them I feel so happy inside. I hope that you can see all that we know about eagles is because of the Eagles Program on Catalina. We all hope they could stay here so people could see this wild, beautiful creature.

Please reconsider keeping Dr. Sharp's eagle Program on Catalina Island.

Katie McAlaavey
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary School
Avalon, Ca. 90704

Mr. Gregg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, Ca. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;

I'm writing to persuade you to keep the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagle program funded on Catalina Island. You dumped the D.D.T so your responsible to clean it up. You should think! Catalina is nothing without are eagles! You don't know how sad I would be if I came home and I saw

no eagles! What would you do, take away Pimu and Lefty! I'd be furious! I challenge you to find a way to cover up those D.D.T barrels!

I've got a question. How would you like it if there were no more eagles at all? Well guess what? That is how Catalina kids would feel! Don't you love it when you see an eagle soaring through the sky? How would you like it if you never saw them again?

Eagles are the national bird why would you take them away?

P.S.

Please don't take the eagles of the Island

sincerely,

Katie McAlevey

Rebekah G. Sutherland
3rd Grade B-12
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Mr. Greg Baker
Montrose Settlement
Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. G. Baker;

I'm writing to you because I want to persuade you to keep the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagle Program funded on Catalina Island. You should think again how important the eagles are to locals and Islanders.

If you do not fund money the eagle population on Catalina will be zero. You will be making another mistake. I live at Middle Ranch I see eagles

every day is that going to stop? I love to see the eagles. IF you take them of the Island every body will be Sad that there are no eagles and we will blame your company. It would be a disgrace to work for your company. Please help keep the I.I.W.s. Eagle Program going.

Please think again to help save these beautiful creatures. Thank you for your time. Think.....

Resident of Catalina Island
Rebekah Sutherland,

P.S. Think, Think, Think ext.

Think

Leia Moyses
3rd Grade B-12
Avalon Elementary
Avalon, CA. 90704

Mr. Greg Baker
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Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker:

I am writing to encourage you to keep the Institute for Wildlife Studies Eagles. It was your fault in the first place. You're the one who made the problem so fix it!

If you take before you do that think about one last time. How about if someone took you away from your home how would you feel? If you do that will be very frustrating for everybody on the Island.

I hope you know what I'm saying to you so please don't take them away.

Leia Moyses

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Leia Moyses

Martina Machado
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Mr. Greg Baker
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May 4, 2005

Dear Mr. Baker;

I'm writing to you to convince you to let us keep our eagles on Catalina. You think over again about our eagles.

Please don't stop funding money until there are at fifty eagles that can stay with us. You dumped the DDT then you have to fix it. It is not right for you to take our eagles away from us to Channel-

Islands. Since one pair of eagles hatch others might too. When ever I go to Middle Ranch I go see Pima. When I'm down the coast I see eagles. I also see them a the Quarry.

I learn a lot about eagles. The eagle are important,

I love enjoying them outlin the hills.
They are very cool, please let us keep them.

Sincerely,
Martina Machado.

Julia Hernandez-Lopez
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Mr. Greg Baker
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Long Beach, CA. 90804

May 4, 2004

Dear Mr. Brek ;

I am writing persuade you to think please, a second time about stopping money to the Institute of Wildlife Studies. Please don't stop funding money until there are at least 50 eagles. Your Company made the problem so you need to fix it !

Now I am going to tell you my feelings about the eagles. I like the eagles. I enjoy seeing them and, learning about them. I visit Pima and visit all of the eagles when I go to the mountains of Catalina I search for the eagles.

I hope the eagles stay here so people
can see this wild, beautiful creature, forever.

Sincerely,
Julia Hernandez

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May 3, 2005

Dear Sirs,

We want you to ask the Restoration program why aren't you paying Dr. Sharp to switch the eagle eggs. The eagles are one of the most important tourist attractions. The eagles are the main bird of Catalina. SO please keep working with Dr. Sharp.

Sincerely,
Austin Beviold