

A future park where nature & history converge.

From Hollywood's past, the terminus for a trackless trolley, where Tom Mix rode horses with Wyatt Earp, to Frank Zappa's musical legacy, Laurel Spring's history is woven into our shared narrative.

Please help us conserve this 2.4-acre oasis, containing a rare perennial spring, nestled in Laurel Canyon. It is not just land; it's a shared canvas where wildlife and memories thrive.

Citizens for Los Angeles Wildlife (CLAW) and the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) aim to purchase and preserve this critical habitat, turning it into a local park. With your help, we can preserve the natural beauty of Laurel Spring and its historical significance for generations to come.

Five Reasons to Protect Laurel Spring:

- 1. Laurel Spring is one of only 16 natural water sources in the eastern Santa Monica Mountains. By protecting these vital water sources, we are ensuring wildlife do not have to travel farther to stay hydrated.
- 2. Laurel Spring has a colorful history and cultural significance. In 1907, the Bungalow Inn was built here; a large log cabin that hosted early homesteaders, a County library, a women's club, silent film stars, and many legendary rock musicians. With a natural water source present, it is also likely that Indigenous nations spent time at the spring before European/American expansion into the area.
- 3. Laurel Spring abuts Laurel Canyon Boulevard, and open space on the opposite side of the boulevard has already been preserved. This setting is currently a key wildlife crossing point across the busy thoroughfare. However, if Laurel Spring is developed, this connection point will likely be blocked by new construction and fencing, leaving fewer and riskier alternatives for animals who need to cross the road.
- 4. The Santa Monica Mountains is a biodiversity hotspot, and home to over 8,100 species of plants and animals. In order for the region's wildlife to thrive, we must conserve connective habitat throughout the region, especially land that provides animals routes that lead to crucial water sources.
- 5. We have opportunities for angel donors to receive special recognition, including an invitation to a VIP celebration party for donors of \$1,000 or more.

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Checks can be sent to:

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