

ATTACHMENT

October 22, 2025

City of Claremont

Attn: Shelley Desautels and Sustainability Committee Chair

207 Harvard Avenue

Claremont, CA 91711

Subject: Resignation from the Sustainability Committee

Dear Sustainability Committee Chair and Members,

I'm writing to share that I will be stepping down from the City of Claremont's Sustainability Committee, effective immediately.

It was recently brought to my attention that the City will be entering into a contract with my employer, Jacob Green & Associates. To ensure full transparency and avoid any real or perceived conflict of interest, I believe it's best for me to resign.

Serving on this committee has truly been an honor. I'm so grateful for the chance to contribute to our City's sustainability efforts and to collaborate with such thoughtful, passionate people. Claremont's dedication to environmental stewardship continues to inspire me, and I'll remain a proud resident cheering on the important work you all do.

Thank you for your understanding and for your continued commitment to making Claremont a model for sustainability and community impact.

Warmly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Katie M. Distelrath', with a stylized, flowing script.

Katie M. Distelrath