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Carla F. Danforth  
Pima County Regional Flood Control District  
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**RE: Current draft of Pima County's Regulated Riparian Habitat  
Mitigation Guidelines**

Dear Ms. Danforth:

As per the January 27, 2010 meeting of Pima County's Mitigation Working Group, the Coalition for Sonoran Desert Protection would like to formally submit our support for the current draft of the Regulated Riparian Habitat Mitigation Guidelines. We appreciate the additional detail included in the current draft describing the "Conservation Plan" option for larger developments. The information contained within that section is acceptable to us and as the document is currently written, we support its adoption by the Board of Supervisors.

Thank you again for including us on the Mitigation Working Group and we look forward to our continued work with Pima County as you develop Regulated Riparian Habitat Off-site Mitigation Guidelines.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carolyn Campbell".

Carolyn Campbell  
Executive Director