



February 21, 2018

Chris Cannon
Director of Environmental Management
Los Angeles Harbor Department
425 South Palos Verdes Street
San Pedro, CA 90731

RE: Letter of Commitment to the Los Angeles Harbor Department for Participation in the California Energy Commission Sustainable Freight Transportation Projects Grant Funding Opportunity (GFO-17-603)

Dear Mr. Cannon,

This letter confirms West Basin Container Terminal's (WBCT) commitment to participate as the demonstration partner in the Los Angeles Harbor Department's proposed application under the State of California Energy Commission's Advanced Freight Vehicle Infrastructure Deployment Grant Funding Opportunity to test and demonstrate advanced inductive charging infrastructure, which includes ten stations in the equipment corral, two opportunity stations in the break area and a battery storage system for energy management and cost mitigation (i.e. to mitigate demand charges). WBCT has committed to provide \$1.1 million in cost-share to the procurement of ten zero-emission yard tractors in a joint project with the US EPA and SCAQMD. Additionally, WBCT will receive funding from USEPA and SCAQMD of \$1,787,500 toward the purchase of the vehicles. Those funds will also be a part of the project and are budgeted as match funding. These units will operate in revenue service for a 12-month demonstration, fueled with the infrastructure proposed under this application. WBCT commits to provide cash (\$1.1 million for the yard tractor test fleet) and in-kind support in the form of driver, maintenance and management labor. The value of this labor support was not quantified or rolled into the overall cost of the project, but WBCT's efforts in this regard will be invaluable to this project.

We look forward to working with the Los Angeles Harbor Department and the OEM project team to demonstrate advanced infrastructure and equipment technology in new port applications and serve as a zero-emission pathway model for other ports and industrial facilities throughout California, the nation, and the world.

If you need any additional information, please feel free to contact our Regional Equipment Services Manager, Willy Won at (310)519-2385.

Sincerely,

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