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Re: Addendum to Parma Park Sustainable Trails Project Phase I Report for Recent Trail Route Modifications

Dr. Brent Leftwich, subcontracted by Cardno, Inc., submitted a Phase I cultural resources Report for the Parma Sustainable Trails Project to the City of Santa Barbara Department of Parks and Recreation in August of 2018. The report, *Phase I Archaeological Resources Report: Parma Park Sustainable Trails Project, Santa Barbara, California* (Leftwich 2018), details the background research, record search results, field survey, and Native American consultation process associated with this Phase I assessment. In brief, the project area consisted of multiple linear segments composed of newly proposed trail routes and existing route segments to be retired. Dr. Leftwich surveyed all existing routes as a single transect, while proposed routes were surveyed using a short zigzag to create a 5-meter wide buffer. Approximately 80-90% of the project linear segments exist in areas where the natural ground slope is greater than 20 degrees, which is inconducive to prehistoric site formation. No archaeological or cultural resources, prehistoric or historic were observed during the intensive Phase I linear surveys. As a result of the Phase I assessment, Dr. Leftwich recommended no archaeological monitoring or additional cultural resource testing. Mitigation measures were limited to the standard language regarding unanticipated archaeological discoveries.

After the original Phase I report was submitted, the City of Santa Barbara completed minor realignments of the proposed trail routes primarily to avoid sensitive oak trees within the park. Attached is an updated Figure 4, which replaces Figure 4 in the original Leftwich (2008) Phase I Report, depicting the current, post-revision trail system. Most significantly, a short 30-foot segment where P1 runs south to intersect P3-ADA in the western end of the park has been realigned. Further realignments are small and shift the proposed trail routes only a couple of feet in select locations to avoid oak tree root zones. These smaller shifts do not appear on Figure 4 as the scale is too large to register them.

All recent realignments of the proposed trail routes fall within the transect corridors of the original Phase I survey. Therefore, these route modifications do not necessitate additional background research or field survey. The recommendations and mitigation measures detailed in the original Phase I report (Leftwich 2008) remain valid despite the recent proposed trail realignments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brent Leftwich", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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Attached:
Figure 4. Trail System (revised)

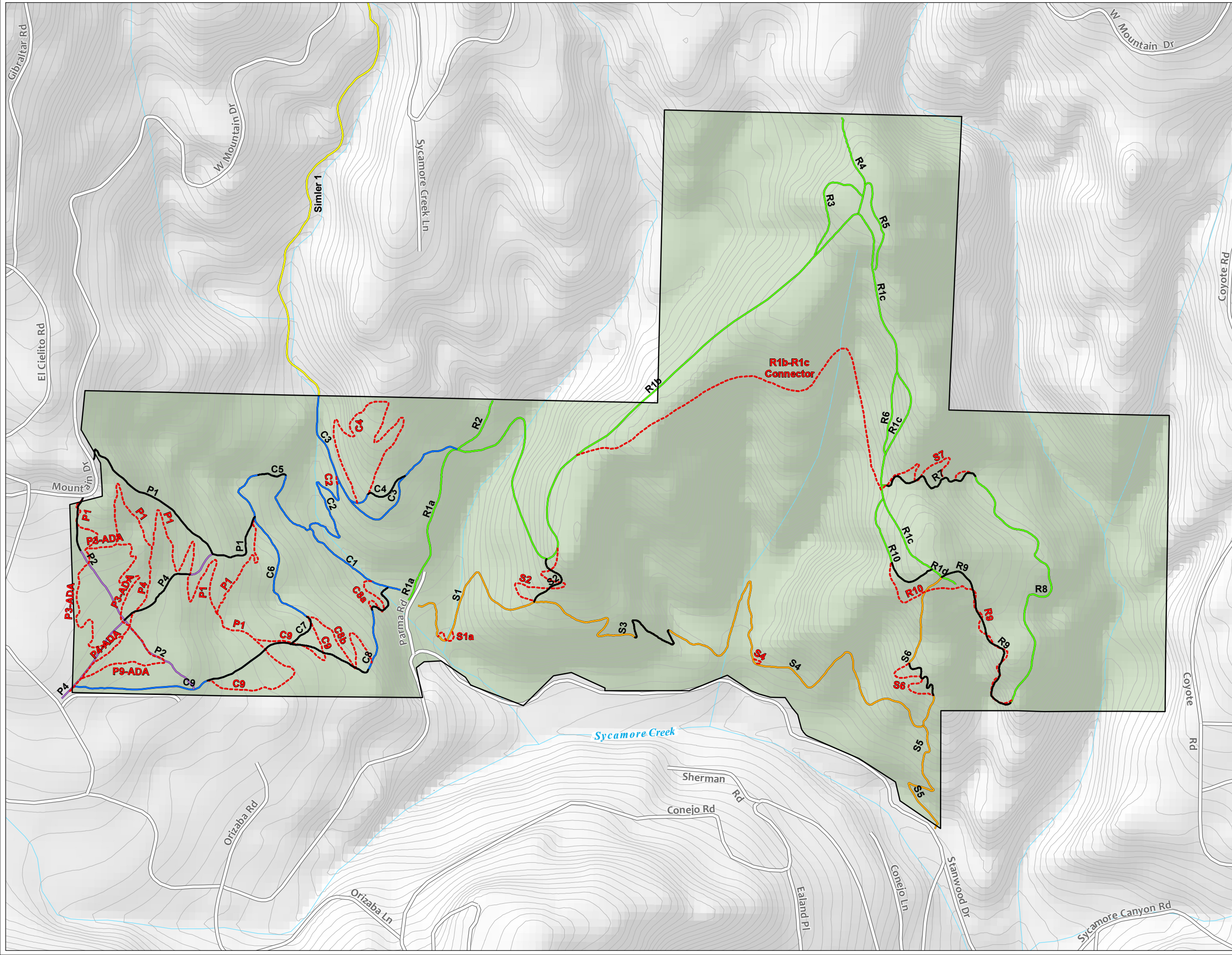
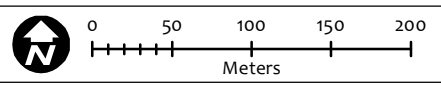


Figure 4
Trail System

Parma Park
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- Legend**
- Park Boundary
 - Stream/River
 - Local Road
 - Contour (10ft interval)

- Trail System**
- Creek
 - Plateau
 - Private
 - Ridge
 - Stanwood
 - Trail Realignment
 - Retired Trail



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