

A LEGACY OF CONSERVATION

2000s



2000



Using 12 funding sources Coal Canyon's southern acquisition is preserved and stops a housing project.

2001



Coal Canyon's northern property is secured, stopping an outlet mall.

2002



Turnbull Canyon is protected in the Puente Hills by the Habitat Authority.

2003



Local cities fund a scientific poll that finds broad support for conservation.

2004



Six communities formed HOSEC to protect the Aera Energy lands with \$500,000 budget.

2005



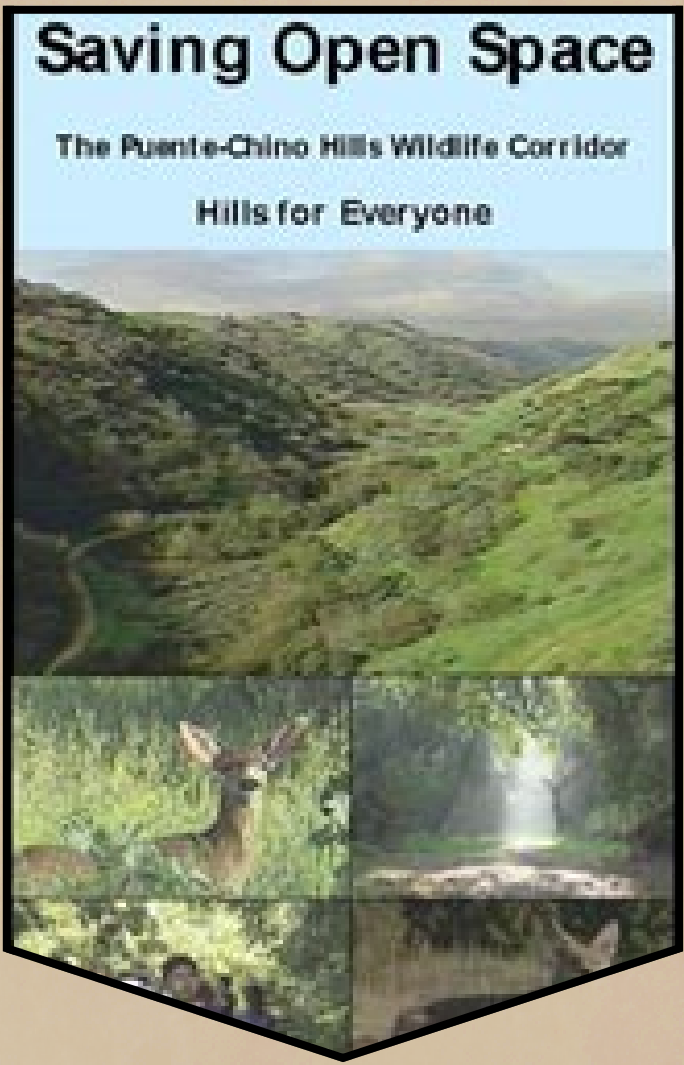
A study of the Missing Middle is funded by HFE to document the land's ecological value.

2006



HFE helped negotiate mitigation to buy and restore land in the OC sales tax measure run by the Transportation Authority.

2007



Drs. Bill and Jill Kowalik produced the educational DVD "Saving Open Space" on the Wildlife Corridor.

2008



HFE litigated the destructive Canyon Crest/Madrone project in Brea and the developer offered HFE a \$1M to go away.

2009



From a 1982 HFE settlement, SoCal Edison finally removed seven miles of obsolete powerlines and poles.



The devastating 2008 Freeway Complex Fire burned more than 30,000 acres, 300+ homes, and 95% of the State Park. This prompted HFE to participate in the Carbon Canyon Fire Safe Council. The fire also offered a chance to remove the non-native *Arundo donax* (giant reed), which is an ongoing project to restore Carbon Creek.

