

Fall 2008 Newsletter for Transition Habitat Conservancy

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Transition Habitat Conservancy is dedicated to preserving open space and natural wildlife habitat along the San Gabriel Mountain / Mojave Desert boundary

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Photo by Gerry Snyder

Board of Directors:

Jill Bays
Roberta Dewey
Tara Matthews
Robert Plank
Carol Hill- **NEW**
Bert Bays- **NEW**

***We want to thank all of our new members!
You are amazing!***

✚ What's Been Happening?- More Capacity Building and Fundraising!

- ✚ 987 Acre Grant Application submitted for preservation in Pinon Hills!**
- ✚ Two new directors added to our board, THC welcomes Carol Hill and Bertrand Bays**
- ✚ Membership drive kick-off September 25th at Red Mango with almost everyone joining**
- ✚ Bertrand and Jill Bays attend National Land Trust Alliance Conference in Pittsburgh**



- ✚ THC presents history and plans at CSD Parks Meeting**
- ✚ THC attends Prop 84 funding workshops for River Parkways Grants**
- ✚ THC's booth at Phelan Phun days a success**
- ✚ Students design and silk screen 3 shirt designs, great gift items, \$20 donation/shirt**
- ✚ New Web software and Web design by Bert Bays can be seen on our web site, check often**

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DID YOU KNOW?

Upper Sheep Creek Wash is where our Aquifer infiltrates most of our drinking water



*Excerpt from study by USGS John A. Izbicki · John Radyk · Robert L. Michel
Along Sheep Creek Wash, the most rapid infiltration occurs in upstream reaches near the mountain front. Sheep Creek Wash flows as a result of precipitation and runoff in the San Gabriel Mountains, and surface flows in the wash are larger and more frequent near the mountain front. The alluvial deposits near the mountain front consist of cobbles and gravel in a matrix of coarse sand, and few subsurface clay layers impede the downward movement of water.*

-----**BECOME A MEMBER- Sign up today**-----

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Help preserve lands in the desert

YOU CAN PARTICIPATE !

Become a member*****All members enjoy

A periodic newsletter/Volunteer Opportunities

Event notices/Educational programs/ Join at any level you can

\$35 Individual

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