



July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

To: The Honorable Rob Bonta  
California State Assembly  
State Capitol, Room 2148  
Sacramento, CA 95814-4900

Re: Support for Assembly Bill 734

Dear Assembly Member Bonta,

The Jack London Improvement District works to promote a vibrant and welcoming Oakland's historic mixed-use commercial waterfront neighborhood. We recognize the profound economic development and vitality that the development of a ballpark stadium would bring to the neighborhood where the Ballpark is developed, and to Oakland in general. AB 734 supports an Oakland A's Ballpark development in meeting high environmental and socially responsible development standards. The bill would be an important policy component to the complex and crucial process of developing a new lasting home for the A's here in Oakland.

We commend your leadership in supporting this potential catalyst for jobs, infrastructure and economic development in Oakland. The Oakland A's are committed to working with the City and its community partners in maximizing positive impact of their privately financed investment of a ballpark stadium in Oakland, and we're committed to working with the A's to leverage the benefit for the community.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Savlan Hauser". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Savlan Hauser  
Executive Director, Jack London Improvement District

*Our mission is to create, promote and maintain an inviting environment for people who visit, live or work in the Jack London District. Through programs focused on beautification, safety and promotion, we foster economic vitality and quality-of-life in Oakland's unique, historic urban waterfront community.*