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San Diego Board of Port Commissioners 3165 Pacific Highway San Diego, CA 92101

RE: Letter of Support for the SkyCharger Trucking as a Service E-Hub project at POSD Parcel 1

Dear Chair Castellanos and Port Commissioners,

I am writing to offer strong support from San Diego Working Waterfront for SkyCharger's E-Hub project proposal. This project will help make electric trucks available for all, including Independent Owner Operators (IOOs) and small fleet truckers who are at risk of being left behind in the required transition to zero-emission trucks.

Formed in 1989, the San Diego Working Waterfront (formerly the San Diego Port Tenants Association) is a coalition of businesses and industries dedicated to enhancing trade, recreation, commerce, and tourism on San Diego Bay's tidelands, while protecting the area's environment.

Working Waterfront membership includes representatives of manufacturing; ship building and repair; shipping and trade; marinas; commercial and sports fishermen; energy; the cruise ship industry; yacht clubs, aerospace and airport industries; the hospitality industry, including hotels, restaurants and retail merchants; as well as the U.S. Navy.

The E-Hub project is an innovative project that will demonstrate to our diverse membership that transportation electrification is possible for all today, while providing clean air, jobs, and many other benefits to our portside communities.

I urge the San Diego Unified Port District to partner with this important, groundbreaking project.

Regards,

Shann Cloward

Sharon Cloward, President San Diego Working Waterfront