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We object to the proceeding of this report and the Letter of Intent and Self-Certification. Appropriation is not executed. The speculation of funding is incomprehensible. You cannot commit \$1,367 Billion at this time. You expect taxes to be levied before the citizens or property owners even vote which includes:

- Citywide General Obligation Bond 36.58%
- LA County Clean Water, Clean Beaches funding initiative 29.26%
- City Water Quality Assessment 7.32%

That totals 73.16% of this funding commitment. LA County may not proceed with any initiative.

The General Fund commitment is 1.98%.

The remainder includes Competitive Grants with no application filed, philanthropy and even Federal sources when a non-federal match is required.

Enhanced Infrastructure Finance District (EIFD) is not even formed and is speculative at this point.

You have no estimate or funding for remediation.

City Engineer has no authority to sign a LETTER OF INTENT on behalf of the City with the financial obligations necessary for execution.

The SELF CERTIFICATION OF FINANCIAL CAPABILITY FOR DECISION DOCUMENTS requires that the signatory commit:

*I am aware of the financial obligations of the Non-Federal Sponsor for the Los Angeles Ecosystem Restoration Integrated Feasibility Report's Recommended Project; and that the **Non-Federal Sponsor will have the financial capability to satisfy the Non-Federal Sponsor's obligations for that project.***

CAO cannot make this commitment. This would be perjury.

The documents has not been reviewed by the City Attorney.

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