

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: We have the opportunity to utilize nature-based solutions to provide both safe floodwater control and a park-like atmosphere that can be utilized by all members of the community, at the same time rebuilding groundwater systems to help deal with drought and the effects of climate change we will be faced within the future.

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Name: Tara Sitser

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Comments for Public Posting: We have the opportunity to utilize nature-based restoration of the Sepulveda Basin which would create a 2,000-acre space providing improved groundwater recharge, reduced regional flood risk, enhanced wildlife habitat, and increasing biodiversity. Nature-based solutions will provide both safe floodwater control and a park-like atmosphere that can be utilized by all members of the community. More cement in the area will not provide the tools needed to deal with drought, depleted water supplies and the effects of climate change that are already affecting our population and our cities. We urge you to move this through the committee process as efficiently as possible.

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Name: Shona Ganguly

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Comments for Public Posting: The Sepulveda Basin is a critical part of the Los Angeles River and riparian habitat in the City of Los Angeles. Nature-based restoration of the Sepulveda Basin would create a 2,000-acre space, providing surrounding communities with greater access to nature and recreational facilities. The restoration would also improve groundwater recharge, reduce regional flood risk, enhance wildlife habitat, increase biodiversity, and improve climate resilience.