## **Communication from Public**

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**Comments for Public Posting:** It has come to my attention that Unite Here Local 11 has filed an appeal regarding the LA Board of Harbor Commissioners' approval of the West Harbor Modification Project. I am writing to respectfully request denial of this appeal and that the City Council support the Board's previous approval, including certification of the SEIR. As this project has been in the works for years, the community has anxiously awaited its evolution and has envisioned what could be of the once popular destination site. This project will bring jobs and economic growth for the community, but will also give San Pedro the attention and exposure it deserves as a lively and culturally rich waterfront town. On many occasions, family and friends have recounted stories with me of having visited Ports 'O Call growing up. These visits created lasting childhood memories of once was of San Pedro before since simply becoming known to us as the "dead-end at the end of the 110". This project, along with all of its attractions, would undoubtedly be just the beginning of San Pedro's positive transformation (new business interests, increased property values, etc.), putting it back on the map and bringing new life and a greater sense of pride for all community members. Thank you for your attention and hopefully, mutual understanding of this project being a pivotal component to San Pedro's future vitality.