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Comments for Public Posting: I am 100% against the Arroyo Seco Water Reuse Project as it currently stands. There are alternative and natural solutions for this project which could clean the water and lessen the environmental impact. Los Angeles park land cannot be given away forever by Los Angeles Recreation and Parks to complete this project. This is in violation of the Los Angeles Charter. Over 140 mature trees will be cut down to complete this project. This will decimate a natural wildlife habitat and local ecosystem. This will also have a detrimental impact on both local residents as well as visitors to a Los Angeles park. WE NEED MATURE TREES FOR THE ECOSYSTEM. That shouldn't even be up for debate! 20 Million gallons of water will be captured annually to water the South Pasadena golf course. FOR A GOLF COURSE? IS THAT A JOKE IN THIS STATE THAT IS ALWAYS IN A DROUGHT??? This is unacceptable. Additionally, 60% of the total amount of water that is planned to be captured annually (175 Million gallons) will not be returned to the Arroyo Seco. Again, unacceptable. The Indigenous communities, including the Kizh Nation, must be consulted and included in the development of this project. The pollution this project claims to be cleaning from the Arroyo Seco must be eliminated at the source. This should have already been implemented, reviewed and tested and retested for source contamination prior to any plans being created. The South Pasadena section of this park has been in in desperate need of maintenance for years. This begs the question if South Pasadena will be able to maintain a project of this size for years into the future. Please plan for the general public as a whole, not just those few who want to golf. What a sad state of affairs.