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Comments:

I support the proposed safety changes at California Blvd / Pasadena Ave intersection near Sequoyah School, but the City Council should be looking at the whole traffic problem, from north to south. I would like to ask what the City Council is doing about the "wishbone" in particular, and the streets along that route.

All the way down St. John, South Pasadena, and Fremont the noise, the high speeds, and the pollution is intolerable. As Caltrans allows scores of houses to remain empty along the corridor with boarded-up windows and dying trees lining the street, this shell of a neighborhood is beginning to feel like a forgotten artifact of the freeway era.

There have been numerous opportunities to fix the problem in the past but we need real leadership today. Our neighborhood supports the city's efforts to acquire the stub from the state, but we need relief now, not 10 years from now. The 710 freeway fighters fought Metro and won. Measure R money should be used now to make our neighborhood safe.

Consent given to read my comments out loud: Yes