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7/12 City Council Meeting - Correspondence

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This correspondence is being submitted in regards to agenda item #1 & #19

Dear Honorable Mayor and City Council:

Thank you for your service in your mission to deliver exemplary municipal services and for the opportunity to provide comment about Agenda Item #1 (Department of Public Works Fleet Vehicles) and Agenda Item #19 (Arroyo Seco Canyon Project).

My comments are below:

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- 3. Agenda Item #1 (Department of Public Works Fleet
- 4. Vehicles):
- 5. I
- 6. oppose the spending of \$672,512 for 17 fossil-fuel vehicles.
- 7. In light of the rapid intensification of natural disasters like drought and wildfire, it's time to lean in and take bold climate action.
- 8. Fossil fuels not only fuel our climate crisis
- 9. but also
- 10. bring about
- 11. particule air particles
- 12. into the air (LA has received an
- 13. <u>F</u>
- 14. for ozone grade,
- 15. F in short-term particulate matter,
- 16. and F in year-round particulate pollution
- 17. according to the American Lung Association). I urge the City Council and the Pasadena Department of Public Works to
- 18. reassess the lineup of vehicles to be purchased.
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- 20.

21. There are

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- 22. plenty of clean-powered vehicles in the market.
- 23. The technology is already excellent and is only going to get better and more affordable. I have driven an electric vehicle (Chevrolet Bolt) for 4 years and can personally attest that it is so much better than a fossil-fuel vehicle: It's powerful, clean, reliable,
- 24. and I save a lot of money (\$900+/year) by opting for clean electricity over gas.

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- 30. Agenda Item #19 (Arroyo Seco Canyon Project):
- 31. I reside by the precious gift of life and habitat that is Hahamongna Watershed Park. As
- 32. someone who cares deeply about stewarding the precious resources around us, I am urging you to
- 33. stop PWP's proposal to construct more ineffective, artificial spreading
- 34. basins. Instead, the City Council and Pasadena Water and Power can
- 35. review nature-based alternatives that the Raymond Basin, by protecting native
- 36. fish and wildlife in the Arroyo and stewarding a living, natural stream as a way to conserve water.

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- 39. Bare grounds cause droughts, erosion, and loss of important local water cycles. The current
- 40. ASCP proposal is short-term and inadequate, and has been proven to be insufficient and not durable, as seen already by the existing and damaged "diversion & intake structures" in the Arroyo Seco.
- 41. Please work with the community to create a long term, climate-resilient
- 42. plan that rehydrates vast landscapes.

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Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to your response and continuing the conversation about considering alternatives to Agenda Item #1 (Department of Public Works Fleet Vehicles) and Agenda Item #19 (Arroyo Seco Canyon Project).

Sincerely, Jennifer

Iraheta, Alba

From:

Joseph Weinberger -

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Keep the Arroyo healthy.

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With the earth warming and California in dire straits in terms of ecological degradation and drought, we owe it to each other and all life to prioritize biodiversity, water health and soil health. I recommend these considerations be at the forefront of your minds as you decide on these matters. Social justice, economic justice and all justice issues are interconnected with the health of our planet, our people, and ALL LIFE. Please consider the larger ramifications of your decisions, for generations to come.

Joseph Weinberger

Supporters of the Pasadena Water Petition - 2

In addition to the 1024 petition signers presented in June, 144 more people have signed the petition.

We believe the Arroyo Seco Canyon Project and Pasadena's 25-year Water Plan will have detrimental impacts on the habitat, wildlife and water resources in Hahamongna and the Arroyo Seco.

We urge the City of Pasadena to protect the natural character of our region's greatest environmental treasures by:

- 1. using a living stream to capture storm flows and protect precious habitat;
- 2. ensuring an adequate environmental flow for fish and wildlife during the dry season; and
- 3. committing to a plan to stabilize and replenish the Raymond Groundwater Basin.

Emily Barbour	90041	
Jeffrey S Wagner	91001	Power to the people and the land!
Mark Kimbrell	91803	
Transition Pasadena	91104	
Neal Turner	91001	
Pieter Kaufman	90065	I recreate in the Arroyo twice or more a week, and spend further time downstream, and as someone who's deeply committed to conservation of southern California's ecology-and especially concerned with the impacts on local wildlife and floraI am completely opposed to this proposed project. The project must be killed.
Rebecca Williams	91106	
Marcy M Harbut	91001	You can be smarter about this. Do your research and stop listening only to those who

stand to make money or keep
their jobs. Do better.

		their jobs. Do better.
Margaret Adachi	91205	
Farzad Seyfnia	91103	
David Pritchard	91104	
Carol Clements	91104	This small river is so important to the environment and people who cohabitate with this small patch of urban wilderness. It needs to be protect, enough damage has already been done buy the decimation of the Devils Gate Dam area.
Peter Wayne	90042	Let the water flow! No more diversions!
Sara Brown	90042	Start thinking sustainably now. Thank you.
Richard Sedivy	90042	
Regan Hutson	91106	I am very concerned that the city is doubling down on the practices that have led to continuing depletion of our ground water resources. They have no evidence that any significant amount of the water diverted to spreading basins ever percolates. Our focus should be on doing more with the water that we are taking rather than justifying taking more.
Elizabeth Boerner	91104	Our world needs to restore what part of nature that we can before it disappears.
Gary Sikkens	91506	There are Rainbows, Newts and other species in the Arroyo. I ve seen them. Please do not proceed with the current plan. I m from Pasadena originally and was born in this great city. It important to me.
Mary Gandsey	91104	I think it s important for each of us to do what we can to reverse the damage our species

Gary Sikkens

Michael Crowley

Janice Loggins

Frank Muniz

Jennifer Pashalides

Mario Mariotta IV has done to the environment. Allowing water in the Arroyo to flow with minimum restriction is an important step to replenish our groundwater and let indigenous species thrive.

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91506 Pasadena originally

Iom from Pasadena originally and was born in this great city. Ito s important to me.

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I support the position as stated 910019 above. Let the River flow~ heal the basin.

91101 This is fantastic hiking. Other cities can have beautiful flowing fresh streams in urban centers, why can twe?

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Pasadena can and should do more to conserve water, before resorting to destroying the environment to create more of a water supply. We need more native plants throughout the city, and especially in folks' yards. The Hahamonga Watershed Park is a valuable natural resource of Pasadena's and we should keep it wild. We need to turn back the clock on environmental degradation in Pasadena and elsewhere rather

natural resource of Pasadena's

91101 and we should keep it wild. We need to turn back the clock on environmental degradation in Pasadena and elsewhere, rather than advance it further. The natural streambed would also sustain our water supply better than barren, artificial ponds. We must integrate ecology and ecosystem conservation into our civil engineering, rather than

		perpetuating this humans-have- dominion-over-everything- regardless-of-the-consequences mentality.
Alan Simpson	91101	Let nature heal itself
Sally Barngrove	91105	
Grace	91101	This is not the environmental leadership we need. This is one of the most unique and wonderful assets Pasadena has.
nick scottrussell	91101	
andrew f bush	90065	Let nature be!
Elsa Saldana	91024	Please consider our position. Thank you.
Philip Davis	91030	We will not tolerate the steady destruction of the natural character and wildlife of the Arroyo Seco and of the future of the Raymond Basin.
Lane Goldszer	90042	Please help protect our vital waterways.
Greg Holcomb	91105	Please protect this valuable land! It is an important part of our amazing city and deserves our stewardship.
Joya Roy	91105	And thank you for all that you do to protect our community for today and for future generations!
Philip Davis	91030	We will not tolerate the steady destruction of the natural character and wildlife of the Arroyo Seco and of the future of the Raymond Basin.
Peter Weinberger	90035	I don t live in Pasadena, but I visit and hike the Arroyo Seco frequently. Destruction of the Arroyo Seco by taking a huge amount of water will be a huge loss to Pasadena and the region. Use the better alternatives to preserve the stream flow.

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Jamie Graham

Aida Ashouri

Andrew Cameron

Rebekah Stepner

Please protect one of the most important water/forest systems in the Los Angeles area.

Water is a vital and limited resource in Los Angeles and each water basin is intimately connected with the health of our ecosystems and our city as a whole, and diverting this precious resource away from how it naturally flows comes with the dire risk of extinction of several species. You can always rework a budget, go back and try again with more money and resources, but

money and resources, but
extinction is forever & frankly
is cascading. How you choose
to move forward in this impacts
not only the animals and
ecosystem but the people who
know this land, and any Los
Angelino who could experience
knowing about this important
ecosystem (as well as the
absence of these species beyond
this area, as this is a vital
spawning ground - it impacts
more than just Pasadena)

Please do better at real action items to conserve water instead of mindless consumption when we are in climate change. You

90027 can t plead ignorance anymore. Taking up water in a city with massive lawns and poor water reuse is extremely irresponsible. Do better.

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We are at a pivotal time in our collective human history where 91106 we have to put the environment first or the next generation will suffer the consequences. It starts

		one community at a time; one decision at a time. We need to make a water system and resources plan that will better protect the wildlife and water resources.
Eve Kessler	91001	Please help preserve this precious resource.
Urte and Donald Barker	91103	We concur with the analysis and recommendations presented by Mr. Tim Brick in Pasadena Now on Thursday, June 3rd, 2021.
Mary Kennington	91101- 3818	destroying the soul of our city and at the same time the beautiful environment surrounding it. When will the council have the courage to face the developers and the state to stop this???
Susan Rozler	91030	Please consider the effects on the nature and creatures of this entire area
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Carol	91711	
Rudy Mena	91776	
Katherine Ohlson	91355	
Dustin Delaney	91104	Please commit to the health of the Arroyo Seco by preserving and enhancing the flow of water through the canyon. This is of utmost importance to my family
Sterling Carl Church	91107	

Kari campbell	91001	Rainbow trout were found Can t we find other ways that don t ruin the wildlife?
Brinton Jaecks	90026	Save the rainbow trout!!!!
Hannah Rosario	91505	
Alan Wiig	02143	
Liz Berger	90006	
Denise Wiles	91776	Stop ASAP
Thomas Wiles	91776	
Sam Salomon	91106	
Atticus Elliott	91105	it is vital as an inhabitant of this earth and this community to take care of its resources & all natural gifts.
Ruth Goldstein	91011	Please do not do further changes to our waters head.
Christine Tringali	91107	
Heidi J Hood Jen Behar	91024 91105	their children after will be better off if you protect what is left of our precious Arroyo habitat. Think long term, not short term and do what is right and vote no on this project. Please preserve one of the most cherished parts of Pasadena - do
	91103	the right thing for our community!
Sanjna Bharadwaj	91106	
Oscar Franco	91001	
Kathryn Harris	91103	
Marisa White- Hartman	91001	
leslie Ladd	91103	

Genette Foster	91106	I object to the Arroyo Seco Canyon Project because it will contribute to further environmental degradation in the Arroyo Seco, decline in groundwater levels, and endanger the health of the Raymond Basin. City Council should instruct Pasadena Water & Power to revise the Final Environmental Impact Report and to recirculate it for review by the members of the public and regulatory agencies.
margaret leahy	91001	Leave it alone and learn how to conserve water!
Jennifer Ramos	91107	
Eric Hanson Adrian Casillas	91104	The mlants were hore first!
elizabeth	91106	The plants were here first!
mcgrath	91104	
Nicole Wood Eden Hogge	91001	Our community needs an immediate and legally binding plan to replenish the Raymond Ground Water Basin. The ASCP is just another denial and postponement of the inevitable and not a sustainable plan of action to secure a reliable water source for a future faced with increasing drought and climate change. It will further the environmental crisis by endangering the native wildlife for which the ecosystem that we are a part of relies on. The ASCP is a temporary solution that will have far greater and longer lasting detrimental impacts. Investing in the ASCP is a waste of time and money that we do not have to waste, we need to be putting these resources into sustainable

Shana Pallotta Noah Jolly	91103 92831	solutions such as replenishing our groundwater, repairing our streams, replanting native plants which are pros at conserving water, catching storm water, and stricter water conservation legislation. Our habitat is priceless; please protect it with water.
Noah Johny	72031	Council Members: It's not worth it to risk the natural habitat of Pasadena that you can't buy back. No matter how much this 25 year decision might be the easy way or the economically
Kristen Ochoa	91103	advantageous way to go, you have to think of the generations to come. You can't get some of these natural resources back if they are destroyed. Please work with scientists to re-do your plan with the priority of natural conservation.
Clarissa	91001	Please heal the basin
Andreas Sautter	90066	I'm in full support of this unique and important habitat. Please do everything in your power to protect it. Thank you kindly.
Amy Thai	90716	Protect the native fish and wildlife in the Arroyo. Let the River Flow. A living, natural stream is a better way to conserve water than artifical spreading basins. ASCP is a foolish investment in the past. Develop a resilient plan for the future. Do better.
Annette O�Brien	91011	I am opposed to the Arroyo Seco Canyon Project. This is a time when protecting ground water and what few streams we have left is more important that ever. If more water is diverted it will adversely affect habitats

and water conservation. The trees and vegetation near our streams are absolutely necessary for carbon sequestration and climate stabilization. We cannot continue to promote and engage in actions that are harmful to our environment. Have we not

learned yet!

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Enough already, Pasadena and the RBWM need to modernize how water is metered. percolated and allocated. Decades have past without using modern, effective, honest measurements all to the detriment of the health of not only the Monk Hill Subarea but the entire Raymond Basin. Once this resource is ruined and subsidence occurs there will be

expensive, imported water. Just can't let this happen!

no going back and all local users will be forced to rely on

Eric Hanson 91104 91001 Letizia Ragusa

marietta kruells

Peter 90026 Segerstrom

Please stop the depletion of the Raymond Groundwater Basin! The ecosystem would get

Sherry Schafer 90026 disrupted, and we need to be moving towards environmental preservation, not destruction.

91773 Johnny vela

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Melissa 90280 Gallardo

90063 Ana Delgado

We need to protect the arroyo 90026 Christine varney secco wildlife!

Esperanza G Jirgensen	91106	Our community needs natural habitats. Natural habitats contribute to a healthy lives for our and the next generations. Please preserve Arroyo Seco/Hahamonga.
Adam Resnick	90026	The Arroyo is an incredible natural resource. Please work to protect the Arroyo Seco for all.
Joan & Andreas Aebi	91107	Please keep the river flowing.
Bonita Dombrowski	91030	We cannot keep our water if we do not keep the environment that sustains it. All rivers, streams, creeks, tributaries, Arroyo shave been home to thousands of species of flora and fauna for millennia. We must restore and support native habitats for fisheries and wildlife and plants. Otherwise, we will lose the very resource that is critically needed our water and the environment that sustains us all. PWP's plan is out of sync with the science and deeply flawed.
Gwendolyn Mathers	91106	We need the city to commit to a plan that preserves our precious habitat and protects native species.
Gregg Oelker	91001	
Darienne Hetherman	91001	Please restore the Raymond Basin and ensure a living Arroyo Seco stream!
Martine Culty	91105	please do not damage more the Arroyo Seco with unnecessary plans
Bryan Hoyos	90026	It is important for our future we protect these vulnerable trout. I understand the current situation with the drought but we must find a way to keep the flow up.
Rebeca ibarra	91106	

Elizabeth Denny	91030	There are so many reasons to adjust this plan. Please listen to us!!
Goetz Wolff	90065	It is a shame that we have to fight to maintain a living stream. And stop the ridiculous dig!
Steve Messer	90041	I fully support the effort to preserve the habitat of a living stream and water flows necessary to sustain aquatic species.
Elizabeth Burton	91106	
Bob Snodgras	91103- 2023	We must save some of the niceties of Pasadena
Frances Goff	91107	
Rachel	91101	Prioritizing our natural resources and biodiversity is undeniably important, and it is all of our responsibility to regenerate and protect our environment.
Jeanne Bellemin	90277	Please protect the wildlife and water resources in the Arroyo Seco. Do not go forward with a plan that will be harmful!!
Susan Pindak	90024	I was a 25+ resident of Pasadena and S. Pasadena and urge you to protect this amazing natural wildlife and water resource.
Eileen Hsu	91106	The citizens of the City and County need to implement the full array of water conservation efforts and policies before considering taking water from fragile ecosystems such as the Arroyo Seco stream. We as a region have not done enough to change our lifestyles and business activities. We continue to be wasteful and irresponsible in our water usage. We cannot carelessly and flagrantly deprive

ecosystems through our own
selfish habits.

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Lisa Vernon	91103	
Matthew Kaplan	91103	
Lorna Brosio	91024	
Caroline Blake	91007	respect existing habitat, wildlife & water resources in Hahamongna and Arroyo Saco
Amy Bernstein	90065	
Ann Kinney- Eittinger	91775	We are at a once-in-a lifetime point in time to protect the natural flow and character of our Raymond Groundwater Basin and Arroyo Seco. We must not squander this chance to do right by Mother Nature. She has the right to be protected by us. It is our obligation to protect her.
robert Nydam	91024	Please protect our local streams and fisheries. The arroyo seco is a heritage stream that has held trout for generations. We should move to designate the stream like the West Fork of the San Gabriel River, as barbless, catch & release in order to protect the trout but encourage fishing.
Robyn Estabrook	91103	
Chiachu	91106	Conserve and save our diminishing natural resources.
Nancy van den Hout	91105	
mark s gangi faia	91502	please preserve what is left of nature in our area - it will greatly aid the many people involved in its restoration.
Diane Knight	91307- 2516	Leave well enough alone!
Deborah Schankler	49684	Live in Michigan. Have hiked Millard Canyon and Fern trail with my husband Family lives

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Dean R Higa	90056 91740	
Ray Long Diane Wagner	90004	Let the River Flow! Heal the Basin!
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Heather Szafranski	90503	Hi, I hope you sieze this opportunity to steward Arroyo Seco and it's trout. What a blessing and privilege to be able to make a difference for generations and wildlife. Thank you for preserving this precious resource. Sincerely, Heather Szafranski
Patrick Reagan	91001	PWP needs to work better to manage the area, not just take more from it. These changes would be a good start. A public awareness campaign to get people to save water - so the area can heal - would make Pasadena look like a good steward.
	91107	Follow the Scientists recommendations & preserve the Ecosystems in this habitat of the Arroyo Seco that need certain levels of natural stream water.
Frances Perez	90028	Don't Drain the Arroyo Don't Drain the Raymond Basin
Laurie ZamudioWhalen	91105	

Cecilia Sweet- Coll	91106	Please do not move forward with the Arroyo Seco Canyon Project or the 25-year Water Plan and protect our native trout and aquatic habitat!
Daniel Clinton	91101	Please provide other alternatives to this climate change issue.
Peter Segerstrom	90026	
Paula Trubisky	91504	
George Reich	91103	
Joyce Locatell	91104	I am against the Arroyo Seco Canyon Project and Pasadena's 35-year Water Plan, the Water System and Resources Plan.
Barbara Ishida		It is up to every city to do what it can to restore and regenerate the environment around us. We can act locally and must act. This is a group effort and not about conserving water (yes, that is important), but about allowing the water to replenish the Raymond Basin and capturing the water by restoring habitat which holds and draws down water.
Kenneth Haber	91001	Steps must be taken to save our natural habits in Hahamongna and the Arroyo Seco. The solution is in your hands. Please do whatever is necessary to preserve our environment and wildlife. Thank you.
Jon Leaver	91105	I urge the council to abandon the ASCP, and redirect the money allocated towards conservation and efficiency. Pasadena needs to aim for an equitable and drought-resilient approach to its water use as temperatures in the region rise.
Susan Rozler	91030	Please protect the hahamonga and the Raymond basin. The

to survive. Is making more basins the best way to save the water? 90065 andrew f bush We have such few potential spaces left that it is scary. Please 92840 Liga Auzins develop this to its fullest potetial. thank you 91106 William Ferry Don t do anything to harm the 90503 life in hahahmongna and Amy Ma Raymond Basin! It's time we start protecting the Marie Massa 90031 environment instead of just destroying it. It will be wonderful to have our "living stream" capturing storm Elayne 91106 flows in order to stabilize & Techentin replenish the Raymond Groundwater Basin! Replenishing the Raymond Ground Water basin would repair the damage caused by decades of uncontrolled development in the greater Pasadena area. Many native plants, like the oaks for which Pasadena is so famous, depend on water tables for nourishment. as do residential and industrial wells in the area. As Pasadena engages with the increasing 91001 Joe Parker impacts of climate change, such as drought and increasing average temperatures in the summer, we need to respond to the climate emergency in ways that heal the earth and the damage done by city urban

wildlife needs the river flowing

development policies rather than continue the devastating policy impacts that have produced climate change. Protecting native habitats, including native

Jim Burns	91775	trout and native plants, is an ideal way to heal the earth. Please adopt responsible policies in a time of climate crisis as you develop your 25 year water plan. The drought isn t going to go away; it s time for Pasadena to seek other sources of water and follow the governor 15 percent reduction. Killing off any chance of ancient steelhead genes in their native waters isn t an answer its a further injustice to where we all call home.
Caroline Amicone	91104	
Robert	91107	
Robert	91107	Spreading basins would lose
Eloise Kaeck	91103	more water than letting the living stream flow. And the fish!
Diane Wagner	90004	Save the trout!!!!!
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JULIE Lewis	91104	
Sheda Morshed	90272	Seems ridiculous that with the changing planet, we're still putting profits before ecological health. Yes, trouts matter. Healthy ecosystems will serve us all for generations to come.
Carol Soucek King	91105	Please protect our region's greatest environmental treasure the Arroyo with the stream running through it nurturing trees and wildlife and US!!!! Carol Soucek King
Graham Leahy	91001	
margaret leahy	91001	Pasadena needs to get the cork out and get Over themselves.
Kat Ross	91001	PASADENA could become known for nature, river

Diane Dickey	90027	revitalization, which would have positive impacts on home values as people can easily access trout streams in their neighborhood. Healing & restoring land is imperative to human wellbeing & living. We must steward These resources that we ignorantly misused. Heal The land heal the people. 100% for this project.
Rebecca ibarra	91106	I am 100% behind preserving the habitat and wildlife in
Roxanne Bartlett	00042	arroyo seco.
	90042	
Jen Ramos	91107	
Dan Leahy	91001	As a long time resident of Pasadena and, now, Altadena, I urge the city of Pasadena to be leaders in long term thinking. Now is the time to make the correct choice for the future of our home. We need to protect our resources and ensure adequate flow for ALL living creatures. It so not a quaint notion to say that we rely on the health of what s around us. It s fact. Let s be a role model for others in the County and state and sustainably manage our water/habitat for all. Please protect our local natural
Susan Josenhans	91108	environment. Once it's gone, it's gone. We are already leaving a wrecked planet for our kids and grandkids. At least save this little corner of the world by ensuring proper flow.
Lizanne Fleming	90042	Over 20+ years of living in and around Pasadena, I have watched as the Arroyo Seco habitat grows ever more distressed. The area provides

precious access to the region's natural environment for recreation, education, and physical, mental and emotional well-being, yet commercial development is encroaching on and/or destroying this natural resource without restraint. We must protect our natural areasincluding critically important water sources—that make this region so beautiful and appealing.

		must protect our natural areas-including critically important water sourcesthat make this region so beautiful and appealing.
Evan Segota	90031	
Sudi McCollum	91206	Please protect the natural character of Hahamongna and the Raymond Basin as urged by the Arroyo Seco Foundation!!
Elizabeth mcgrath	90014	
Margaret Adachi	91205	
Amelia P	91001	The wildlife in the arroyo seco is sacred to the environment and climate in the foothills and must be protected for the earth and neighboring communities.
Gabrielle Mittelbach	90290	I grew up in Pasadena visiting my grandmother's house every weekend and every summer. She often took us to the Arroyo. Please save this environmental treasure. At this point, there is NOTHING more important than saving every speck of our natural wild habitats.
Jen Ramos	91107	
Diane Knight	91307- 2516	Habitats must be supported in an urban environment. This how cool it is to see trout in a city!!!.
Mary Gandsey	91104	
Madlen Sarkisyan	91307	Please let the water flow heal the basin/ we need action now before it stoo late

CJ Miller

Allison Carter

Jennifer Perez

As environmental conditions shift and our precious water sources are growing increasingly scarce this is a huge opportunity to protect and nourish our land and our water. This requires stewardship and thought and care. Water scarcity and environmental degradation is occurring because of our exploits and clearly it is not working. It would be a benefit to all if we took action to be in better relationship with our land in a way that is not purely exploitive. This project is a chance to preserve and renew an extremely precious resource for all of us. I live near Pasadena and spend much time there. This is my desire.

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Our family loves the arroyo! It 90042 is really important to us to protect the natural waterways! I think it's abhorrent that in the midst of climate crisis our local governments have taken liberty to try and privatize land resources under the guise of revitalization projects. There is no revitalization without the preservation and healing of natural public spaces. Natives and Teddy Roosevelt himself would say no to this for it does 91106 not serve the best interest of the people, this land, or our future climate to rape a manipulate currents resources. If we have learned anything from the L.A. river it is that man even with the best of intent causes harm when they attempt to wield nature rather than respect it. Respect this land and the nature as it's

mere undisturbed existence

		serves more purpose and more goo to more people than the Arroyo Seco project ever could. No to the Arroyo Second project.
Carol Clements	91104	As a citizen of this local area I feel it is gift that we are surrounded and privy to such an original natural thriving habitat. We can do better to protect this eco system by ensuring an
Christina Edral	91107	Please save the trout! Pasadena used to be about preserving and it hasn't lately
Suzanne Siegel	90065	I support the Arroyo Seco Foundation's environmental plan to return trout to the Arroyo Seco and protect this important natural resource.
Amy Wan	90039	
Jennifer wong	90012	
Dan Leahy	91001	As a long time resident of Pasadena and, now, Altadena, I urge the city of Pasadena to be leaders in long term thinking. Now is the time to make the correct choice for the future of our home. We need to protect our resources and ensure adequate flow for ALL living creatures. It so not a quaint notion to say that we rely on the health of what s around us. It s fact. Let s be a role model for others in the County and state and sustainably manage our water/habitat for all.

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Jill Anderson

Brian Schwartz 91001 I hike and ride the trail along the arroyo, and I would love to see 90041 Andrew Woll the whole stream returned to a more natural state It is vital that we protect the remaining natural environments in the midst of environmental crisis. The Arroyo Secco is a critical piece of southern 90014 Jamison Karon California s dwindling habitat, and it must be preserved and restored the survival of endangered native species depends on it! There is trout in the waters!! Save the waters! Climate crisis Harpreet Kaur 90254 is here, we need to reverse all projects and your perspectives of progress. Please don t destroy this natural treasure we have in Pasadena. Have you as a council member even walked in the area to see the beauty of it or willing to listen to those educated in why this would destroy the 91107 Patty Mathew ecosystem? Save the environment instead of listening to the money or how it will help your political carrier. Do the right thing and preserve this area. Be known for saving it instead of destroying it. I live in South Pasadena and treasure the Arroyo watershed. Draining it is foolish, and will reduce habitation and tree life that create shade. This arroyos supports the wildlife left in our Gabie Strong region. LA and Pasadena have long suffered from terrible short sighted urbanization. We don t need additional heat islands, fire zones, or garbage canals. We

Allison	Alford	91030	need this arroyo to keep our foothill ecosystem alive! Let the river flow! Protect the native fish and wildlife in the Arroyo. A living, natural stream is a better way to conserve water than artificial spreading basins.
Donna Serrato		90032	Ive read the documents and although the project wants to do some good, I clearly see them sneaking in their evil on the ticket and for that reason I am rejecting the entire project. The fact that their Impact Statement said there are no fish is why I believe the whole project needs to be scrapped and rewritten. Ive lived off the Arroyo Seco for 10+ years and I know for a fact theres fish. Theres better ways to do this. The current project is lazy and flat out a mess. Start over!!!!
Laurie Picone		91105	
Sandra Moreno		91104	Save the arroyo and Hahamonga
Lynn Bossone		90230	Whatever the city can do to protect the waterways is greatly appreciated!
Elizabeth Munoz		91105	Let the river flow! Protect the wildlife and water in the arroyo seco!
Adriana Baltazar		90042	
Karin Benson		90290	Please protect the Arroyo Seco. No to ASCP. Any project in the future has to be sustainable for the Arroyo Seco and its inhabitants.
Richard Luczyski		91104	Once again the State is asking us to conserve more water 15%. The Pasadena city PWP is starting with asking for 10%. Most of us have already taken out our green lawns, they are

Heidi J Hood

Josh Black

now brown lawns, We put in the drought tolerant plants along with new toilets. We still brush our teeth and take shorter. showers. We don't have many people over to use our water, which the city does all day long being a destination city. Our visitors use a great deal of water and those businesses supplying that water get to use their water bills as business deductions, where the rest of us just keep paying the bills and our reward is to cut back even more on our water use, so the city can build even more water guzzler buildings. At some point there will be more demand for water in all these buildings than the supply. What then should we do? Just move away? Richard

Once these habitats are ruined, they rarely come back. You, the council have an opportunity to show that while Pasadena is a big city, it can also think about the long game and protect our environmental treasures for residents now and for generations to come. The

Hahamongna Project was handled poorly. Protect the Arroyo and Raymond Basin. Don't be like the many public officials that served before you and only make short term benefit decisions that leave us high a dry in the long term. Do the right thing.

Take proper action to protect and enable continuous life for the arroyo and the precious water. Growing up my brother and I would hike up the arroyo to catch and release native

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Cindy Mitchell

Jon Sherman

rainbow trout. The bounty of wild life always excited us, from salamanders to rattlesnakes to hawks and great horned owls. It was truly magical having public access to such an abundance of nature.

we return the watershed to its natural state, for the good of animal and plant life as well as 91103 for humans. A natural stream will sustain wildlife, replenish groundwater, and protect a valuable resource for Pasadena

Right now it is imperative that

I live in West Covina but care greatly about protecting the natural habitat and ecosystem!

Therefore, I stand with you in your efforts to protect the habitat, wildlife and water resources in Hahamongna and the Arroyo Seco.

residents.

I fell in love with the natural beauty and wildlife community of the Arroyo Seco when I lived in that area for over a decade. Please be guided by the natural heritage of that amazing watershed! Since moving down to the North County San Diego region, I've become a docent naturalist at the Elfin Forest Recreational Reserve and have observed first hand how the Olivenhein Municipal Water District and the Escondido Creek Conservancy have been working TOGETHER over the years to conserve, protect and

restore the Escondido Creek watershed. Both organizations want to bring back the Steelhead Trout migration in Escondido Creek and are working hand in

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hand to make that dream a reality. It's an example of how this could work for the Arroyo Seco. It's very possible to balance the needs of human beings with the needs of the natural community. Not only possible, but it's the only way forward toward a sustainable, livable future. Please work with and listen to Tim Brick and the vision of the Arroyo Seco Foundation. And listen to your watershed. There is a wonderful example of community stewardship waiting to happen there as well!

Bruce Schwartz	90042	
Wendy Katagi	90013	
Mary Gandsey	91104	
Jer Adrianne Lelliott	90042	Pasadena Water & Power should listen to the community and listen to the Arroyo Seco Foundation. ASCP is a foolish investment in the past. Develop a resilient plan for the future.
Samantha Smith	90042	the proposed plans will negatively affect the wildlife and water resources in Hahamonga and the Arroyo Seco. Heal the Basin.
Geri Johnston	91001	Please protect the stream and the trout
Sandy Greenstein	91103	I support all actions which lead to natural resilience, including reintroduction of trout, in Hahamonga.

The total number of signers is 1168.