

I-106 Marilyn Downs

- I-106-1** The comment states where they live and expresses concern regarding excessive traffic and inability to evacuate in the event of a fire. Regarding the increase in traffic due to the proposed project, impacts have been adequately analyzed in Section 2.13 Traffic and Transportation and mitigation measures have been provide to reduce or substantially lessen potentially significant impacts. Relative to the concern that increased traffic from the project during an evacuation would result in gridlock, which has been experience in previous evacuations within the project vicinity, the proposed project includes improvements to Deer Springs Road which would increase capacity of the main evacuation route compared to the existing condition. Further, improvements to North Twin Oaks Valley Road and Buena Creek Road would expand capacity of the network to assist evacuation efforts for the surrounding community. Please see **Topical Responses TR-1 through TR-4 and HAZ-1**.

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