

I-173 Veronica Guzman-Dow

- I-173-1** The County acknowledges the comment as an introduction to comments that follow. This comment is included in the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project. No further response is required or necessary.
- I-173-2** The comment expresses concerns quality of life is in trouble and that if the project is approved it will increase the number of cars that use Deer Springs Road. As stated in Section 2.13 Transportation and Traffic on page 2.13-48, the proposed project is expected to generate 28,862 new trips per day. This comment is included in the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project. No further response is required or necessary.
- I-173-3** The County acknowledges the comment letter, and notes it expresses general opposition to the project, but does not raise any issue concerning the adequacy of the Draft EIR.
- The comment also states that the project will create more noise, traffic, and pollution. The comment addresses general subject areas, which received extensive analysis in the Draft EIR. See Section 2.10 Noise, 2.13 Transportation and Traffic, and 2.3 Air Quality. The comment does not raise any specific issue regarding analysis in the Draft EIR; therefore, no more specific response can be provided or is required. The County will include the comment as part of the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project.
- I-173-4** The comment states that the project will disrupt the commenter's peace and quiet. The comment addresses general subject areas, noise, which received extensive analysis in the Draft EIR in Section 2.10 Noise. The comment does not raise an issue related to the adequacy of any specific section or analysis of the Draft EIR, therefore, no more specific response is provided or required. The County will include the comment as part of the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project.
- I-173-5** The comment states that the project will disrupt wildlife habitats. Potential impacts to habitat have been adequately analyzed in Section 2.4 Biological Resources. The comment addresses general subject areas that received extensive analysis in the Draft EIR, and does not raise any specific issue regarding that analysis. Therefore, no more specific response can be provided or is required. The County will include the comment as part of the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project.

Comment Letter Responses

- I-173-6** The comment states that blasting will create vibrations, noise, and dust. The comment addresses general subject areas, which received extensive analysis in the Draft EIR. For evaluation of impacts resulting from noise and vibration impacts, refer to Section 2.10, Noise, and for impacts resulting from dust, see Section 2.3 Air Quality. Also see **Topical AQ-1 and AQ-2** and **Topical Response NOI-1**. This comment is included in the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project.
- I-173-7** The comment asks if someone has taken the construction proposal and studied what will happen to the existing residents' quality of life. The County acknowledges the comment and notes it raises economic, social, or political issues that do not appear to relate to any physical effect on the environment. The County will include the comment as part of the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project. No further response is required because the comment does not raise an environmental issue.
- I-173-8** The comment asks the County to protect the community, and that they have worked so hard they deserve peace and quiet and no additional pollution. The County notes the comment provides factual background information and does not raise an environmental issue within the meaning of CEQA. The County will include the comment as part of the Final EIR for review and consideration by the decision-makers prior to a final decision on the project. No further response is required because the comment does not raise an environmental issue.