From: david hadlen < davidahadlen@yahoo.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:04 PM

Subject: Resolution 12-0002-S82 (Agends Item 48, August 28, 2012) To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I strongly support the above-referenced resolution in opposition to the various proposals to extend the 710 Long Beach Freeway.

From: **Jeanie Joe** <<u>sewjoe2@aim.com</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:58 PM

Subject: No 710 please To: <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u>

Hi:

As a long-time South Pasadena resident, I have always been mystified as to why so much money is poured into funding a freeway that would crush cities, towns, businesses, homes, LIVES! It has been proven many times over that a freeway does not improve traffic flow; in fact causes a inoperable cancer along the route it demolishes.

Please Los Angeles City Council, put this to rest and tell Metro to quit spending taxpayer's hard earned money on such a detrimental project.

Sincerely, Jeanie Joe From: **Sandra Grinnell** <<u>shg1942@att.net</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:56 PM

Subject:

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org
Cc: SANDY <<u>shq1942@att.net</u>>

I SUPPORT COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Sandra Grinnell 331 Anita Drive Pasadena, Ca. 91105 From: **Sherry F. Bove** <<u>sbove@hablaw.net</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:55 PM

Subject: Oppose 710 Expansion
To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I AM IN SUPPORT OF COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Sherry F. Bove, Esq.

99 Annandale Rd.

Pasadena, CA 91105

626-432-1702

From: Mary P. Davis < mpdavis@cheme.caltech.edu>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:54 PM Subject: 710 freeway Resolution To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I will not be able to attend the Los Angeles City Council meeting tomorrow, but I would like to add my support for Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, Aug 28, 2012) and opposition to ALL 710 Freeways and Highways.

Mary P Davis Pasadena, CA From: <gemmarquez@sbcglobal.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:45 PM

Subject: Support of Councilman Huizar's Resolution

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

This email's intent is to support Councilman Huizar's Resolution regarding 710 Extension.

Best,

Gemma Marquez :ighland Park Resident Sent on the Sprint® Now Network from my BlackBerry® From: Susan Gilliland < gillilandsusan@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:08 PM

Subject: support of Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 and OPPOSITION to ANY plan for 710

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear City Clerk,

I am writing to state my SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND MY OPPOSITION TO any of the plans for the 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS anywhere.

thank you. best regards Susan Gilliland, PhD Pasadena, CA 91105 From: Johnson, Kristin (NBCUniversal) < Kristin.Johnson@nbcuni.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:13 PM

Subject: Opposition to 710 Extension Freeways and Highways

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to support Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 which opposes all 710 extension freeways and highways.

Extending the 710 freeway, an idea proposed before my parents were even born, does not make sense in a modern community. The City of Los Angeles does not need another freeway. Extending the 710 will not do anything to reduce congestion for local commuters. All it will do is increase traffic and cause more pollution in surrounding areas. My generation wants to live in a neighborhood, a place where you can have a real sense of community, where you can walk your dog to grab a coffee at the local cafe and meet your neighbors - not to live in a place where in order to leave your house you must sit on a freeway for hours.

Please support Councilman Huizar's resolution and the residents of east Los Angeles and do not allow Metro to build a freeway, a highway or a tunnel.

Kristin Johnson Resident of West Pasadena From: **Ethan Ayer** <a yer.ethan@gmail.com > Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:14 PM

Subject: I oppose the 710 freeway proposals

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I am a permanent resident of the Garvanza neighborhood. I live on 6566 Elder St.

I SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSE the plans For the extension of710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Ethan Ayer

From: Barbara Ito < barbarai@fia-insurance.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:15 PM

Subject: Support for Councilman Huizar's resolution #12-002-S84 To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" < june.lagmay@lacity.org>

We are in support of councilman Jose Huizar's resolution to oppose all proposals being studied by Metro to complete the 710 freeway. Please end these ridiculous plans and stop wasting the tax payers money on a 50 year old folly!!

Thank you, Philip and Barbara Ito Pasadena, CA. 91105

From: **Kevin Narramore** < <u>kevinnarramore@aol.com</u>>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:17 PM

Subject: COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I'd like to state my STRONG SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Dr. Kevin Narramore Pasadena, CA

From: Philip Ito <philipi@fia-insurance.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:21 PM

Subject: NO ON THE 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

IN OPPOSITION TO THE 710 FREEWAY AND IN SUPPORT OF COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-002-s82, PLEASE DO NOT LET THE IDEA OF ANY OF THE PROPOSED ROUTES ON THE SURFACE OR BY TUNNELING PROCEED. PUT A STOP TO THESE INSANE IDEAS. OUR EDUCATION SYSTEM CAN USE THE DOLLARS MORE, AND WOULD NOT DISRUPT THE CITIZENS!

RESPECTFULLY...

PHILIP ITO PASADENA, CA From: Charles Miller < chasmiller@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:35 PM

Subject: SUPPORT - COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

To: June.lagmay@lacity.org

I would like it entered that I SUPPORT COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) in OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

The choices are bad for L.A. County's fiscal viability and for the health of those in my area of Los Angeles.

Thank you.

Charles Miller 6433 Crescent Street Los Angeles, CA 90042 From: terry krupczak < tkrupczakcpa@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:34 PM

Subject: support for councilmans Huizar's resolution 12-002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org
Cc: unitedagainst710@gmail.com

Dear Sirs,

I am unable to attend tomorrow's city council meeting; however, I wanted to let you know that I strongly urge the city council to approve Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-002-S82.

We do not need more freeways and Highways to deal with our traffic issues. We need:

- 1. A better heavy freight system from the ports to distribution facilities. this will reduce truck traffic and make our overall situation better.
- 2. More light rail like the Gold and Red line. A well thought out lite rail transportation system is more in keeping with the 21^{st} century solution.

Again, I strongly oppose any further extension of the 710 freeway/highway.

Thank you for your support.

Terry Krupczak

A resident of Pasadena and long-time worker in downtown Los Angeles

From: John McCormick < john215@earthlink.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:27 PM

Subject: Support for Councilman Huizar's Resolution

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

My name is John McCormick and my wife And I live in Council District 14 And we wish to endorse Council Member Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82.

We oppose any new 710 freeways or highways.

Sincerely, John McCormick Margarete Hahner 432 Lewis Street Los Angeles, CA 90042 323-256-6533 From: Norma Pierson < npierson@ruleco.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:29 PM

Subject: SUPPORT Councilman Jose Huizar (resolution no. 12-0002-S82)

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Cc: mayor@lacity.org

Please alert the Los Angeles City Council that if I didn't have a client meeting I would be attending the council meeting tomorrow and would be **WEARING RED TO SUPPORT THE NO ON ANY 710 EXTENSION** and to support Council approval of Jose Huizar's resolution No. 12-0002-S82.

Please also note my request for an audit of the Measure R Funds that have been "raided" by CalTrans and Metro Rail for consultant costs on how to spend our very hard earned incomes thru taxation on construction fantasies from the <u>last</u> century. Where are our transit plans for 30 years from now?? What is our quality of life future??

I and many of my friends and acquaintences voted Yes on Measure R FOR TRANSIT – IE TRAINS – NOT MORE FREEWAYS!!!!!

- Can I get from Pasadena to Disneyland by rail?
- Can I get to any beach in CA by Rail?
- Can I get from Pasadena to Glendale by rail (in under 4 hours??)
- Can I get to Palm Springs by rail?
- Can I go skiing to Mammoth Mountain by rail?
- Can I get to Culver City (this little community has incredible restaurants and is an extremely "cool" destination.
- Can I get to Harold & Belle's by rail?

Thank you for your time.

NO ON 710 EXTENSION

Norma Pierson 637 Wapello St. Altadena, CA 91101 626.222.9548 From: Anne Sirota agsirota@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:35 PM Subject: Oppose the 710 extension

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am a resident of Northridge and I am writing to oppose the extension of the 710 freeway in any form--surface, tunnel and highway routes currently being studied by Metro, including H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5, F-6, and F-7.

Anne Sirota 19409 Plummer Street Northridge, CA 91324 From: < Olecja@aol.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:39 PM Subject: Re: 710 Freeway Extension

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Ms. June Lagmay, City Clerk City of Los Angeles

Dear Ms.Lagmay,

As Chair of the City of South Pasadena Finance Committee, I am in full support of COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS. Unfortunately, I am unable to attend in Person.

Carrie Adrian

From: James Filippatos < iames_filippatos@yahoo.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:50 PM

Subject: No 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Dear Council Members,

We are writing to let you know that we support Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-s82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesda, August 28, 2012) and are strongly oppossed to any proposed expansion of the 710 Freeway. Our family has lived in the Los Angeles area for about 100 years and we hope to stay here. We've never needed the expanded 710 freeway to thrive in and contribute to our communities.

Annihilating long-established and well-functioning communities by plowing freeways through them, over them or under them destroys great neighborhoods, significant and beautiful portions of God's creation, thousands of peoples' livelihoods and their homes, among many other things. Given the growth in this area over the last 50 years, we simply can't expect that a new freeway is a feasible option or an honest solution for a range of perceived problems.

We strongly urge you to oppose the 710 expansion. The formation of effective public policy is difficult -- and our communities will support good, if imperfect, solutions proposed by you and other public servants. And we certainly understand the need to support inter-regional collaboration and solutions. The 710 expansion options, though, should be removed from your agenda so we can all move on to identify a real and sustainable solution to the perceived problem of a freeway "gap."

Thank you -- and please let us know if you have any questions or want to talk further.

Regards, James & Tasia Filippatos 139 Annandale Road Pasadena, CA 91105 (626) 529 3729 From: Carol Osborn < carols4u@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:48 PM

Subject: We support Councilman Huizar's resolution

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear Los Angeles City Council:

I fully support Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82, Agenda Item 48 for tomorrow's L.A. City Council meeting.

We in Pasadena AND SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES stand OPPOSED TO 710 FREEWAY AND TUNNEL (F-7) ALTERNATIVES that have been put forth by Metro.

Yours truly,

Carol Osborn 1519 Cheviotdale Dr. Pasadena, CA (323) 257-7238 carols4u@sbcglobal.net From: Lynn Rapaport < lr004747@pomona.edu>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:48 PM

Subject:

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Lagmay,

I am writing to support Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) to oppose the 710 freeway, highway, and tunnel extensions.

As a resident of West Pasadena, I am totally opposed to the proposed freeway extensions (particularly F6,F7, F11, and F5). This would have a negative impact on the quality of life and neighborhood that Pasadena treasures. It would also negatively impact the Arroyo and its communities, which are Pasadena landmarks. When Los Angeles has such poor public transportation, it makes more sense to try to improve that then to add to the increase of freeways and freeway congestion. This freeway extension proposal seems very short-sighted, and more focus should be placed on increasing public transportation. Moreover, none of this should be at the expense of the high quality and beauty of the Arroyo and its surrounding communities.

The freeway extensions proposed in these areas will be extremely damaging to Pasadena, and I oppose them!

Best wishes, Lynn Rapaport, Henry Snyder Professof of Sociology Pomona College 420 N. Harvard Ave. Claremont, CA 91711

Resident: 814 S. Arroyo Blvd. Pasadena, CA 91105 From: Krista.Hosseinzadeh < Krista.Hosseinzadeh@knobbe.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:45 PM

Subject: Support for Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>
Cc: "babakh@yahoo.com" <babakh@yahoo.com>

We would like to be on the record as supporters of Councilman Huizar's resolution identified above. This is an important milestone toward 21st century transportation progress. We must change our mindset that freeway projects are the only cure.

I commute back and forth between Pasadena and Orange County every day. It wouldn't occur to me to be selfless enough to ruin the lives of those in neighborhoods that would be destroyed by a major freeway project in order to make my life easier.

Respectfully Submitted,

Krista and Babak Hosseinzadeh Annandale Rd. Pasadena.

From: Andrew Leavenworth < dancehealer@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:00 PM

Subject: Support of Resolution 12-002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to express my SUPPORT for COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Best regards,

Dr. Andrew Leavenworth 8909 W. 24th Street Los Angeles, California 90034-2009 From: Audrey O'Kelley <aokelley@msn.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:00 PM

Subject: NO 710

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I commend Councilman Jose Huizar and support his resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) opposing all 710 freeways and highways including H2, H6, F5, F6 and F7. As a Pasadenan, I find F7 particularly abhorrent as it would course through our city in an area filled with vulnerable populations (many, many schools, Ronald McDonald House, Huntington Hospital and Medical complex) and Pasadena's major regional retail draw, Old Pasadena. Regarding the F7, it is time to release to private ownership the homes lining that corridor. While this will not bring back the historic neighborhood that was destroyed by the Cal Trans highway some 30 years ago, we can at least, ameliorate the existing commuter car traffic currently running there.

It is time to apply 21st Century transportation solutions and forget the alternatives proposed to cut through El Sereno, South Pasadena, Highland Park and Pasadena that dump traffic and pollution onto the surrounding communities.

Thank you,

Audrey O'Kelley Pasadena, California From: Vasquez, Martha < mvasqu01@lausd.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:55 PM

Subject: OPPOSITION 710 Freeway and Highways

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Please take my Opposition to the 710 Freeway into consideration.

Marta Vasquez, Assistant Principal, Elementary Instructional Specialist Los Angeles Unified School District

Email: mvasqu01@lausd.net <mailto:mvasqu01@lausd.net>

Lorena Elementary School, TEL <u>323 268-1128</u> FAX <u>323 264-9437</u> Sheridan Elementary School, TEL <u>323 263-9818</u> FAX <u>323 261-4710</u>

From: Vasquez, Martha

Sent: Mon 8/13/2012 2:19 PM To: mjomsky@cityofpasadena.net

Subject: Please consider my comments in Aug 13, 2012 mtg, as I may not be able to attend.

Thank you

Dear Pasadena City Council Members and METRO/CalTrans,

I am writing today as a resident of San Rafael area to express my strong opposition to the 710 extension project. I have lived here for 14 years and moved here because I have the opportunity to engage in recreational activities. I belong to the California Triathlon Group and Pasadena/Highland Park is where we run, bike and swim. The 710 Expansion will destroy the quality of air we breathe as thousands of trucks will transport their goods via a historic and beautiful community. The quality of air will only bring allergies and activate asthma in many of the athletes and families that use the Rose Bowl, Pasadena Aquatic Center, Highland Park pools as a recreational outlet.

Please take my concerns into consideration before passing on this measure that will devastate many families and athletic organizations.

Thank You,

Marta Vasquez

Marta Vasquez, Assistant Principal, Elementary Instructional Specialist Los Angeles Unified School District

Email: mvasqu01@lausd.net <mailto:mvasqu01@lausd.net>

Lorena Elementary School, TEL $\underline{323\ 268-1128}$ FAX $\underline{323\ 264-9437}$ Sheridan Elementary School, TEL $\underline{323\ 263-9818}$ FAX $\underline{323\ 261-4710}$

From: Andee Nathanson < andico777@me.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:01 PM

Subject: full support of Councilman HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

(agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

We in La Crescenta . and everyone in the Foothills .. LA Crescenta, La Canada, Pasadena, South Pasadena, Tujunga and Sunland are in complete opposition to any hookup to the 710 Freeway.

We are completely backing councilman Huzar's resolution.

This is for myself and my husband Rick Nathanson. We will be there at the meeting tomorrow in full support.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. See you tomorrow!

Sincerely,

Andrea Nathanson

From: VAN WEBSTER < vanwebster@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:03 PM Subject: Huizar Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Hello Ms Lagmay,

I am writing to express my my support for Councilmember Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (addenda item 40 on Tuesday, August, 28, 2012. I oppose all Metro proposals for surface and tunnel routes for connection to the 710 Freeways and Highways.

Best wishes,

Van Webster 6323 Repton St. Los Angeles, CA 90042 From: VAN WEBSTER < vanwebster@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:03 PM Subject: Huizar Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

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Best wishes,

Van Webster 6323 Repton St. Los Angeles, CA 90042 From: Monica Campbell < monicacampbell29@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:09 PM

Subject: 710 Issue

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

To Whom it May Concern,

I am in SUPPORT of COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Thanks you, Monica Campbell Homeowner 26 San Miguel Rd Pasadena, CA 91105 From: **Glenn Rothner** < <u>grothner@rsglabor.com</u>>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:14 PM

Subject: Tomorrow's Meeting - Agenda Item 48

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Glenn Rothner Rothner, Segall & Greenstone 510 South Marengo Avenue Pasadena, CA 91101

Tel: <u>626-796-7555</u> Fax: <u>626-577-0124</u> From: Charlotte Simpson < charlottewsimpson@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:14 PM

Subject: Opposition to all SR-710 Freeway Extension Routes

To: June.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear Los Angeles City Council:

I am writing to express my support of Agenda Item No: (48) 12-0002-S82 that is opposed to all SR-710 Freeway extension routes by highway and/or freeway, including all tunnel routes. I attended Friday, August 24's City Council meeting, but I am unable to attend Tuesday's meeting, so I would like for my express my support for thisthrough email.

Thank you very much,

Sincerely,

Charlotte Simpson

5311 Granada Street Los Angeles, CA 90042

323-868-1776

From: Charlotte Simpson < charlottewsimpson@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:14 PM

Subject: Opposition to all SR-710 Freeway Extension Routes

To: June.lagmay@lacity.org

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Thank you very much,

Sincerely,

Charlotte Simpson

5311 Granada Street Los Angeles, CA 90042

323-868-1776

From: Margaret Gonder < mgonder@qnet.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:16 PM

Subject: Councilman Huizar's resolution #12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear Ms. Lagmay,

I wish to express my strong support of Councilman Huizar's resolution #12-0002-S82 which is item 48 on the August 28, 2012 agenda. This resolution is in opposition to all 712 freeway and highway proposals.

I do support the exploration and use of more environmentally efficient transportation alternatives which will not negatively impact any neighborhoods.

Sincerely,

Margaret Gonder-Odell 1370 Chamberlain Road Pasadena, CA 91103 From: <<u>C21randman@aol.com</u>>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:16 PM
Subject: NO on 710!!!
To: <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u>

NO on 710!!!! Thomas R. Huteson, Century21 Arroyo Seco Los angeles

From: < lebowitz@onebox.com > Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:19 PM

Subject: I OPPOSE ALL extension proposals for 710 Freeway.

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

As a west Pasadena resident, I am writing to you to express my very strong opposition to all proposed extensions of the 710 Freeway, whether it be above or below the surface. What all these proposals have in common is that they will result in the destruction of our beloved neighborhood and will have deleterious effects upon the local environment. They do not represent sane or sensible solutions to very serious issues and should be discarded. Thank you, Stephen H. Lebowitz, MD 814 S Arroyo Blvd Pasadena, CA 91105

Stephen H. Lebowitz, MD lebowitz@onebox.com - email (888) 293-4668 -FAX From: **DianebDIXON** < <u>dianebdixon@gmail.com</u>>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:27 PM

Subject: Support for Councilman Huizar's 710 Freeway Resolution 12 0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

<u>SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on</u> Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

My husband and I are 30 year Pasadena residents strongly opposed to any 710 freeway extension that would destroy historic neighborhoods and small businesses as well as create economic dislocation and hardshipnfor thousands of people-- families of all economic levels. You will be hearing from Pasadena residents in attendance at tomorrow's Council meeting-- a community united in opposition to this brazen and ill considered proposal by Metro Transportation.

Please know that there mere proposal of these freeway routes has ALREADY created economic uncertainty and negative financial impact in our lives and in our community.

A unanimous vote by the Los Angeles City Council to support the people of Pasadena would demonstrate community goodwill and common sense government.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Diane B and Patrick R Dixon

Diane Brooks Dixon mobile: <u>626.695.1160</u> land: 626.744.9244

From: Joan Probst < joan.probst@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:22 PM

Subject: Huizar Resolution To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I SUPPORT COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND I STRONGLY OPPOSE 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Joan Probst 472 Lewis St. Los Angeles, CA 90042 From: Diane Rhodes Bergman < dianerhodesbergman@yahoo.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:28 PM

Subject: Agenda Item 48

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Hello. I'm writing to express my strong support for Resolution # 12-0002-s82, Councilman Jose Huizar's resolution opposing disrupting long-established neighborhoods and increasing the pollution in our city to extend the 710, which is nothing more than a 60 year-old solution to a modern problem.

In 2012, the Metro should be considering intermodal or other more resident and environmentally-friendly alternatives. It's 2012!

Thank you,

Diane Rhodes Bergman

From: Craig Bergman < craig@evolution.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:28 PM

Subject: Support for Resolution 12-00020-S82

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Cc: Diane Bergman < dbergman@laopera.com >

Please know that as a citizen of the Los Angeles area, I am completely opposed to 710 freeways and highways and fully support councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012).

Sincerely,

Craig Bergman Senior Director of Quality

www.evolution.com

1055 E. Colorado Blvd., #340 - Pasadena, CA 91106 626.993.3326 Direct - 626.993.3301 Fax

From: alix reeves < alixreeves@earthlink.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:26 PM

Subject: Re: We Support Councilman Huizar!

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Cc: LACC <alixreeves@earthlink.net>

Dear City Clerk,

Please note that an overwhelming number of Pasadena residents are in support of Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND HIS OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS. His courage and his efforts in saving so many neighborhoods are wholeheartedly appreciated.

As Californians, I believe we can do better than to destroy neighborhoods, trees, historic homes, and our environment in the name of transportation. We can lead the way with cutting edge solutions that will pave the way for the rest of the nation. Let's not resort to the senseless destruction of much loved neighborhoods in the name of better drive times, lets instead embrace 21st Century solutions that inspire others.

Sincerely,

Alix Reeves Pasadena Resident From: Susan Mcclymonds < susanmcclymonds@yahoo.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:30 PM Subject: Opposition to 710 extension plans

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I am writing in support of Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 opposing all surface and tunnel freeway and highway routes beign sutdied by Metro.

Please support Councilman Huizar's resolution.

Regards,

Susan E. McClymonds 1404 Chamberlain Road Pasadena, CA 91103

From: Betsy Snyder < Betsysnyder@earthlink.net > Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:29 PM Subject: Resolution 12-0002S82 To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I wish to support Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 that no 710 Freeway go through Pasadena!

Elizabeth Snyder

From: Margo Jim < locashima@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:42 PM

Subject: support of resolution To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

This email is to state my support of councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82. (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2012)

As a long-time resident of the NorthEast area I oppose the extension of the 710 freeway, above ground, below ground or by any other means!

Sincerely, Margo Jim 1207 W. Avenue 37 Los Angeles, CA. 90065 From: Riener Nielsen < RNielsen@amapm.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:38 PM

Subject: OPPOSITION TO THE 710 ROUTES BEING STUDIED BY METRO/CALTRANS

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

As a lifelong resident of the Los Angeles area of over 50 years I vigorously oppose all the surface and subsurface and tunnel routes being studied by Metro to extend the 710 (or 10) freeway to the 134 or 210 freeways.

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Riener Nielsen,

From: Ronald Vanderleeden < vanderleeden@earthlink.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:37 PM Subject: 710 freeway extension

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I wanted to register my support for Councilman Huizars's Resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012 and to emphatically state my opposition to any extension of the 710 freeway through Pasadena or any of the surrounding communities. It is time to stop the madness and move on to real 21st century solutions to our transit issues.

Sent from my iPad

From: Kimberly Sutton < usckimberly@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:36 PM

Subject: I oppose the 710 To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am in support of Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82, and strongly oppose the surface and tunnel freeway/highway routes currently being studied by Metro. I live in the San Fernando Valley and work as a child welfare Social Worker. I frequent the communities of Pasadena and South Pasadena and am very concerned about the devastating effects the 710 Freeway would have on the area.

Thank you Kimberly Sutton From: Charla Thompson < charlat@me.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:45 PM

Subject: For the Council To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to express my support for Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82. Building to extend the 710 freeway, either above ground or via tunnel, is a preposterous and outdated idea. The real issue here is the movement of freight. Push Metro to come up with rail solutions to move freight in and out of the city and thereby reduce the number of trucks on ALL our highways, rather than build MORE highways just to appease the truckers.

Thank you, Charla Thompson

SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

From: Manvi, Sati R < sati.r.manvi@csun.edu >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:45 PM

Subject: Greetings

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I have a home near Sanrafieal close to Ave 64. I hope you will drop the idea of running a freeway through avenue 64. It could ruin our neighborhood forever. I am working late so I cannot attend the meeting in person tomorrow. I trust you will make the right decision. Thanking you in advance

Sati.R.Manvi

From: Florence Lee < florencelee82@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:45 PM Subject: No 710 extensions or highways

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

This email is in support of MCouncilman Huizar's Resolution 12-003-582. I am totally opposed to any 710 Freeway and highway extensions/construction and ask Los Angeles City/County to do the same.

Florence Lee 429 Avenue 64 Pasadena, CA 91105 From: Kim Wolfe - mailing services < kawolfe@earthlink.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:56 PM

Subject: Support for CM Huizar Resolution to oppose SR710

To: June.lagmay@lacity.org

To Whom it may concern:

Re: Agenda Item No: (48) 12-0002-S82

I am in support of CM Huizar resolution to oppose all SR 710 routes including the F-7 tunnel.

The lack of appropriate and timely outreach to the Public by Metro in these impacted areas is just (for lack of a better word) disgusting. The Public has a right to know when their homes, neighborhoods, quality of life, business, schools are in possible jeopardy.

I applaud CM Jose Huizar for standing tall and listenging to his constituents and I hope the full City Council follows suit.

The cost of a 4.5 mile tunnel is not something the taxpayers need to pay for in this economy when the outcome is not certain and if we compare it to the Big Dig in Boston, it could bring our city to the brink of bankruptcy if not worse.

Please oppose all SR 710 routes including the F-7 tunnel. Sincerely, Kim Wolfe Los Angeles, CA 90042

From: Marge Hanna < mhanna@margehanna.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:52 PM Subject: Extension of the 710 freeway

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am urging the City Council to pass Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0001-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012). I am completely opposed to any form of extension of the 710 freeway by highways or a tunnel. It would be extremely detrimental to the health and welfare of all families living along the 210 freeway and would, contrary to the indication of the Metropolitan Board of Directors, bring in many, many more trucks from the two major ports in L. A.

I thank you for your time and the consideration of the City Council.

Marjorie E. Hanna

From: Schiffman, Paula M < paula.schiffman@csun.edu>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:53 PM Subject: resolution #12-0002S82

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Dear City Clerk Lagmay,

I am a homeowner in Los Angeles Council District 14. I would like to go on-the-record with my strong support Councilmember Jose Huizar's resolution # 12-0002S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) that opposes all surface and tunnel 710 freeway and highway routes that are currently being studied by Metro (including the H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5, f-6, and F-7).

Thank you for your attention,

Paula M. Schiffman, Ph.D.

address: 271 Thorne Street, Los Angeles, CA 90042

From: **Gray, Eric** < <u>Eric.Gray@nbcuni.com</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:06 PM

Subject: I OPPOSE all SR710 Freeway and Highway alternatives

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>, "mayor@lacity.org"

<mayor@lacity.org>

Dear Mr. Mayor & City Clerk

I'm sending this note to emphasize that my wife and I, Pasadena residents, strongly oppose all SR710 Freeway and Highway expansion alternatives, including the H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5, F-6, and F-7. We urge you to support councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-s82 and show your commitment to our community by voting to oppose these freeway and highway expansion alternatives on Tuesday. Your Transportation Committee unanimously opposed these routes in their recent vote and I hope the full council will do the same. Extending the 710 via freeway, highway or tunnel will irreversibly destroy the communities of Pasadena and South Pasadena, bringing increased traffic on both existing freeways and surface streets, increased noise & devastating air pollution. Our families and children will suffer and the quality of life in our neighborhoods will be forever compromised. Please join me, and ALL of my friends and neighbors, in voting to oppose the above referenced freeway alternatives during your Tuesday session.

Thank you very much for your consideration and support.

From: Gary Smith < gsmith@wordandbrown.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:19 PM

Subject: 710 Freeway

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Building more freeways is totally inconsistent with the Democratics plan of expanding green energy and non gasoline based rapid transit. Pasadena is one of the most recognized cities in California and completing the GAP on the 710 will certainly detract from the quality of Pasadena as well as the surrounding communities.

It is time that this topic be put to rest FOREVER.

Gary Smith 167 San Miguel Rd. Pasadena, CA. 91105 From: <<u>regi707@yahoo.com</u>>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:21 PM

Subject: Huizar's resolution

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

This email is in support of MCouncilman Huizar's Resolution <u>12-003-582</u>. I am totally opposed to any 710 Freeway and highway extensions/construction and ask Los Angeles City/County to do the same.

Regina An 429 Avenue 64

Regina □ Sent from my iPhone

From: Ruth Melissa < ruthynbobby@earthlink.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:28 PM

Subject: 710 Routes

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

To: The Honorable Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa and Members of the Los Angeles City Council

We wish to state our support for Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48) that opposes all surface and tunnel freeway and highway routes currently being studied by Metro, including the H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5, F-6, and F-7.

We applaud the Transportation Committee of the Los Angeles City Council for their approval of Councilman Huizar's resolution and strongly urge members of the Los Angeles City Council to do the same.

Sincerely, Robert and Ruth Melissa 1631 Poppy Peak Drive Pasadena, CA 91105 Phone/Fax: 323-254-9407

Email: ruthynbobbly@earthlink.net

From: Rich Silverman < richsilverman@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:44 PM

Subject: Agenda Item No: (48) 12-0002-S82

To: "June.lagmay@lacity.org" < June.lagmay@lacity.org>

Dear Los Angeles City Council:

I am unable to attend tomorrow's City Council Meeting, but I wanted to express my emphatic support of Agenda Item No: (48) 12-0002-S82. As you know, this item is opposed to all SR-710 Freeway extension routes. This includes highway and tunnel routes -- all routes.

There is no middle ground here. I strongly oppose the construction of any 710 extension, as agenda item (48) 12-0002-S82 makes plain. The only solution here to a problem that doesn't exist is clearly no solution at all.

The people of the affected communities have spoken and not a soul wants this extension to take place.

Sincerely, Rich Silverman From: < leni2020@aol.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:50 PM

Subject: Agenda Item No: (48) z12-0002-S82

To: "June.lagmay@lacity.org" < June.lagmay@lacity.org >

I urge you to vote for any motion that STOPS Metros flawed process and outreach, the costs are unknown, and ultimately prohibitive, the known impact on surrounding communities is awful! The supposed solution to traffic and transport is unattainable with these arcane ideas that are unsuitable for the 21st century.

Leni Ferrero

From: Carol Teutsch < cbteutsch@comcast.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:44 PM Subject: RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Please register my strong support for Huizar's resolution opposing freeways/highways/tunnel throughout NE LA as passed unanimously by the transportation committee today and as will be considered tomorrow by LA City Council.

We want better use of our transportation tax dollars than what Cal Trans/Metro are proposing with a focus on transit and active transportation options.

Carol Teutsch 841 Moon Ave Los Angeles, CA 90065 323 352-8079 From: **janet meskin** <<u>riverwomandances@sbcglobal.net</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:56 PM Subject: No 710 Fwy

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear City Clerk

I'm stating my support for Coucilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) and opposition to 710 freeways and highways.

Janet Meskin 919 Elder Ct LA 90042

From: Kathy Heath Bell < kathyaheath@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:04 PM

Subject: 710 NEWS Los Angeles City Council Vote 8/28/2012

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to voice my SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Thank you for your help.

Kathy Bell Studio City 91604 From: John C. Bell < ibell@bellfin.com > Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:10 PM Subject: Councilman resolution To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am a resident of Pasadena in zip code 91105. I support Councilman Huizar's resolution.

From: **J C** < lastradioman@yahoo.com> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:11 PM

Subject: Support for Councilmember Huizar Resolution 12-0002-S82 To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I support Councilmember Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82.

Thanks,

J. Coote 808 N. Ave 66 Los Angeles CA 90042 lastradioman@yahoo.com From: Rupert Hemmings < rhemmings@laopera.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:43 PM

Subject: 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

June

I am writing to express my complete objection to any extension of the 710 through Pasadena or South Pasadena. I am a long time resident of Pasadena and I see nothing positive for the citizens of the city in extending a super highway through some of Southern California's most beautiful civic landscape.

Thanks you

Rupert

Rupert Hemmings 213 864 4578 From: **jcypis** < <u>icypis@earthlink.net</u>>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:12 PM

Subject: 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

I COMPLETELY *SUPPORT* COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND AM *COMMITTED TO OPPOSING 710 FREEWAYS AND TUNNELS.*

J. Cypis

From: awhitex1@netzero.com>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:47 PM
Subject: 710

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

We support Jose Huizar in his opposition to any plan to extend the 710 Freeway.

Ann & Gary White

From: **Jack Dibb** < <u>olddibber@yahoo.com</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:09 PM

Subject: 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

<u>I SUPPORT COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSE 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.</u>

Jack E. Dibb

From: Lisa Martinez < tripaintpony@yahoo.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:14 PM

Subject: 710

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Ms. Lagmay-

I am a Pasadena resident. I am unable to attend the 10am meeting on 8/28, but I wnated to state my support for Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48) and opposition to 710 freeways and highways. These proposals should not be allowed under ANY circumstances in ANY neighborhood.

Thank you, Lisa Martinez From: William Kea < wmpkea@yahoo.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:15 PM Subject: Opposition to Metro Plan

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I want to support Councilman Jose Huizar's resolution and your opposition to ALL SURFACE AND TUNNEL FREEWAY AND HIGHWAY ROUTES currently being studied by Metro, including the H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5, F-6, and F-7.

Please consider lending your support to this resolution.

Thank you,

William Kea, PhD, JD LTC, MS, USAR From: Blanche Sindelar < bcsindelar@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:31 PM

Subject: NO on 710 extension To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to let you know I support COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS. Thank you.

Blanche Sindelar

From: < lmushegain@aol.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:28 PM

Subject: Support of Item 48 w/ addition of F-7 Route

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear Los Angeles City Councilmembers,

I am writing to express my support for the adoption of Item 48, 12-0002-S82, to oppose SR-710 North routes along alternatives H-2, H-6, F-2, F-5 and F-6 and any above-ground freeway that would cut through the City of Los Angeles. In addition, I implore you to also include opposition to F-7, as additionally opposed by the Los Angeles Transportation Committees in their committee meeting of Monday, August 27, 2012.

Sincerely,

Lorig Mushegain Pasadena Resident, Garvanza Adjacent From: **Jeff Wang** <<u>wangs4@yahoo.com</u>>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:04 PM
Subject: Councilman Huizar's Resolution

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

To Whom It May Concern:

I am a concerned resident of La Canada Flintridge and fully support the City Councilman's resolution 12-0002-S82 which opposes ALL surface and tunnel freeway and highway routes currently being studied by Metro on the 710/210 extension discussions.

This extension is an bewildering to those involved given the potential harm to many children in the La Canada area which have schools located UNDER and around the 210 freeway (St. Francis, Flintridge Preparatory and La Canada High School). Increased traffic can be bothersome, but increased risk to our children is absolutely unacceptable. Add to that the enormity of the cost of this project (which will undoubtedly overrun any estimate that has been provided), and it seems fairly obvious that Metro should be spending its time and energy and limited resources on more out-of-the-box solutions for our future transportation needs.

It is refreshing to finally see a group that realizes this antiquated approach and is willing to step up and say enough is enough. Our children deserve better. For that I applaud you and encourage the Council to pass this resolution to stop any work on the 710/210 extension.

Regards,

Jeff Wang Concerned Resident City of La Canada Flintridge From: Martha Bell <mfbell@charter.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:39 PM
Subject: Councilman Huizar's Resolution

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I support Councilman Huizar's Resolution, 12-0002-S82, and opposition to the 710 Freeways and Highways.

Martha Bell 808 S. San Rafael Ave Pasadena, CA 91105 Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:34 PM
Subject: I OPPOSE ANY highway or tunnel SR-710 alternative!

To: "councilmember.parks@lacity.org" <councilmember.parks@lacity.org" <councilmember.labonge@lacity.org" <councilmember.rosendahl@lacity.org" <councilmember.rosendahl@lacity.org" <councilmember.rosendahl@lacity.org" <councilmember.koretz@lacity.org" <councilmember.koretz@lacity.org" <councilmember.garcetti@lacity.org" <councilmember.perry@lacity.org" <councilmember.perry@lacity.org" <councilmember.perry@lacity.org" <councilmember.zine@lacity.org" <councilmember.zine@lacity.org" <councilmember.zine@lacity.org" <councilmember.zine@lacity.org" <councilmember.alarcon@lacity.org" <councilmember.alarcon@lacity.org" <councilmember.englander@lacity.org" <councilmember.englander@lacity.org" <councilmember.englander@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org

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<zev@bos.lacounty.gov>, "MarkRidley-Thomas@bos.lacounty.gov" <MarkRidley-Thomas@bos.lacounty.gov>

I OPPOSE any SR-710 highway or tunnel alternative, in any city, whether surface, cut and cover or tunnel.

The only so-called "need" for a highway option comes from freight truck traffic - instead I support a clean rail option for freight and light rail plus improved bus service for people.

Metro's remaining F-7 option suffers from these severe flaws:

Prohibitive cost

From: <bergstressers@sbcglobal.net>

- Negative and unknown impacts to El Sereno, Alhambra, Pasadena and surrounding communities
- Lack of technical analysis by Metro
- Caltrans incompetence and waste in fiscal and fiduciary management
- Risk of replicating the Boston's "Big Dig"cost overruns and construction damages
- Lack of credibility of consultant company CH2M-Hill, known to have defrauded the L.A. DWP on the Owens Lake project

Judy Bergstresser 1945 Meridian Avenue South Pasadena, CA 91030 From: margaret chew < mchew999@aol.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:55 PM Subject: NO 710 Fwy. extension!

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org, SmithMi@metro.net, leahya@metro.net,failingd@metro.net, quonf @metro.net, fifthdistrict@lacbos.org,talin.mangioglu@sen.ca.gov, portantino@assembly.ca.gov

Cc: 710study@metro.net

To Whom It May Concern:

As citizens of Los Angeles county, we would like to support Jose Huizar's resolution to **oppose** the extension of the 710 Fwy. via tunnel routes, freeway or highway routes! The environmental impact would be disastrous and unhealthy for all of our citizens! Douglas and Margaret Chew



Stephen A. Del Guercio, Mayor Laura Olhasso, Mayor Pro Tem Michael T. Davitt David A. Spence Donald R. Voss

August 27, 2012

Mayor Antonio Villaraigosa and City Council Members City of Los Angeles 200 N. Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Re: SUPPORT OF RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (Item 48)

Dear Mayor and City Council Members:

The City of La Cañada Flintridge supports your amended Resolution 12-0002-S82 opposing the F-7 Alternative. We have long opposed any highway alternative (below or above the ground) as a solution to the problem of congestion in the 710 extension north area. We believe that such a solution is a 20th century solution to a 21st century problem.

As you are aware, Metro staff is recommending only five alternatives for consideration within the EIR/EIS: No Build; TSM/TDM; BRT 6 with further refinements; LRT 4 with further refinements; and/or F-7 (freeway tunnel).

Therefore, the only highway alternative remaining is the tunnel. For residents of your City and for residents of ours, we believe the F-7 Alternative poses very serious environmental risks. Additionally, the tunnel is estimated to cost billions, and yet no cost/benefit analysis has been conducted. Metro's own study showed that the tunnel would operate at a Level of Service F (at peak times) in the very near future. Therefore, billions of dollars would potentially be spent for a project that would likely not show a positive impact, and would possibly show a worsened impact, with respect to resolving the congestion issue.

Additionally, Metro, thus far, has made no attempt in the environmental process to study freight-to-rail to reduce goods movement through the area, stating that they believe that only a small number (3%) of trucks will reach the project area (despite the fact that the planned 710 corridor south would have 12 lanes with dedicated truck lanes). Metro has not yet shown what assumptions have been made to substantiate the small number of trucks they claim will reach the project area nor have they demonstrated how past studies are flawed.

If the F-7 tunnel was built, we believe it would mean that some of your neighborhoods would be disturbed in the building of the tunnel portal, and once constructed, traffic would be idling there (based on Metro's own conclusion that gridlock would occur). Residents supposedly relieved of congestion would likely suffer the same or even increased congestion and air pollution.

From: HOWARD RUDNICK < howard_r6692@sbcglobal.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:18 PM

Subject: support of councilman Huizar's opposition to extension of the 710

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing in support of Coucilman Huizar's opposition to the 740 freeway. RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48). Any form of this freeway extension will be devastating to communities it touches. I live a couple blocks from the proposed H2 route up ave 64, and can't imagine this. I don't want to see any extension destroying other neighborhoods. Think gold line, not tunnel. thanks-Howard Rudnick

From: Susanna Meiers < lolium9@earthlink.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:17 PM

Subject: Support for Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing to state that I am in full support of Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 that there be no construction whatsoever-above or below ground of the 710 Fwy Connector. Sincerely,
Susanna Meiers
1216 N. Avenue 63
Los Angeles, CA 90042-1412
lolium9@earthlink.net

From: Bill and Vicki Kea < wkea01@charter.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:26 PM Subject: Resolution No. 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Since I may not be able to attend the 08/28/12 meeting, I am writing to support Councilman Jose Huizar's resolution to oppose ALL surface and tunnel freeway and highway routes currently being studied by Metro, including H-2, H-6, F-2, F-6, and F-7.

Each and every councilmember has the unique opportunity to be part of a historic event that could change how Los Angeles travels for the betterment of its citizens and the county's citizens. I stand with all communities in my belief that freeways, highways, and tunnels are not the answer.

Thank you for this opportunity to be heard.

From: < ianrik@earthlink.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:30 PM

Subject: RESOLUTION 12-0002-s82 WE SUPPORT THE RESOLUTION

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

We wholeheartedly support Councilman Huizar's resolution opposing any and all freeways, highways and tunnels in association with The 710. Any and all proposed extensions are not needed and will only destroy neighborhoods, natural habitats, businesses and will undermine millions of dollars' investments toward improvements in air quality spent in the last few decades.

We don't need old technology (freeways and tunnels) but rather, modern solutions such as active routes (bike lanes, etc), mass transit. The cost of tunnels in particular would not be money spent wisely and the dangers inherent within earthquake zones will present potential astronomical and devastating results, both in terms of dollars and lives at risk.

Please know that very few residents want or need any extensions to the 710. Taxpayers prefer to see elected officials spend our tax dollars on constructive and forward thinking projects. When taxpayers are unhappy with the way officials spend our money the end result will be electing new representation.

Respectfully, Jan van diver Rick Kaplan From: Larry Garcia < larry.a.garcia@sbcglobal.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:34 PM

Subject: Support for Resolution #12-0002-S82

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

TO MEMBERS OF THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE OF LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL:

MY NEIGHBORS AND I STRONGLY SUPPORT MR. JOSE HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION NO. <u>12-0002-S82</u> OPPOSING ALL SURFACE AND TUNNEL, FREEWAY AND HIGHWAY ROUTES CURRENTLY BEING STUDIED BY METRO.

IT IS TIME TO GO INTO THE 21ST CENTURY AND USE RAIL.

MARY GARCIA LA LOMA ROAD PASADENA, CA. 91105 From: **sherrylstein** <<u>sherrylstein@aol.com</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:33 PM

Subject: Support for Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I cannot attend the meeting, but wish to register my strong support of Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82, and opposition to the 710 freeways and highways, which would so negatively impact our communities and neighborhoods.

Thank you,

Sherry Stein Pasadena From: **Janet Ervin** < <u>jervin626@gmail.com</u>> Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:52 PM

Subject: Support for Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am writing in support of my neighbors in El Sereno, Highland Park, Mount Washington, Glassell Park and Eagle Rock. I urge the Los Angeles City Council to approve Councilman Huizar's proposed resolution. It not only demonstrates a committment to preserve these historic parts of the City, it puts transportation planners on notice that they need to find 21st century solutions for both moving freight from the ports and providing commuters with alternatives for increased mobility. Additional freeway construction will do neither.

Janet Ervin
Public Works Retiree
City of Los Angeles

From: caitlin williams < cndwilliams@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:38 PM

Subject: Support for Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear City of Los Angeles County Clerk,

I am writing to express support for Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-002-S82. I am in complete opposition to any extension of the 710 freeway. My opposition includes freeway AND highway options. Extension of the 710 freeway, in either freeway and highway, will adversely and deeply effect the residents of Councilman Huizar's district.

Caitlin Williams



August 27, 2012

The Honorable Antonio Villaraigosa Mayor, City of Los Angeles

The Honorable Members of the City of Los Angeles City Council

Ed Reyes
Paul Krekorian
Dennis Zine
Tom LaBonge
Paul Koretz
Tony Cardenas
Richard Alarcón
Bernard Parks

Jan Perry
Herb Wesson
Bill Rosendahl
Mitchell Englander
Eric Garcetti
José Huizar
Joe Buscaino

Re: San Rafael Neighborhoods Association Statement In Opposition To 710 Freeway/Highway/Tunnel Extensions (And Supporting Resolution No. 12-0002-S82, August 28, 2012 City Council Agenda Item No. 48)

The San Rafael Neighborhoods Association (SRNA) strongly opposes any SR-710 freeway, highway, and tunnel proposals that would result in the waste of taxpayer dollars and the needless destruction of homes, businesses, parks, schools, and open space. We join in the multitude of concerns raised by the No 710 Freeway Extension Coalition and other concerned citizens in the City of Los Angeles and surrounding communities.

The SRNA supported Resolution No. 12-0002-S82, as originally proposed, because it would have clearly stated the City of Los Angeles' opposition to many of the proposed SR-710 freeway and highway routes (specifically, the "H-2", "H-6", "F-2", "F-5", and "F-6"). Our preference, however, is that the City of Los Angeles oppose **all** proposed SR-710 freeway and highway alternatives (including the so-called "tunnels"), and we applaud the recent amendment to Resolution No. 12-0002-S82 that would include the "F-7" tunnel route.

The SR-710 freeway extension is contrary to the City of Los Angeles' transportation vision, which is to promote "a vibrant city through enhanced mobility." The SR-710 extension is based upon plans that are more than sixty years old, from a time when many

From: Sim Tuzun. Davidson < sim@solventdreams.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:22 PM

Subject: Support for Huizar's Resolution for NO 710

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Dear City Clerk

I'm a resident of Highland Park, owner of two houses in the historic Garvanza area. I support Councilman's Jose Huizar's resolution 12-0002-s82 and oppose the 710 freeways and highways in any form.

Thank you,

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From: tony danz < tonydanz@earthlink.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 4:06 PM Subject: Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I am e-mailing you to say that I fully support Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48) on 4-28-12. As a resident of West Pasadena, any continuation of the 710 Freeway, surface or tunnel is not an option. Metro/ CALTRANS have been working on this for 40 years to no avail! It must be stopped now! Councilman Huizar's Resolution will help tremendously towards that reachable goal. Thank you Tony Danz.

From: John Vandercook < john@reimagineyourhome.com>

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 5:36 PM Subject: Resolution 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

I Support Councilman HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

Thank You.

John Vandercook

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From: **John Picone** <<u>j.picone@yahoo.com</u>>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 1:08 PM

Subject: SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

To: "june.lagmay@lacity.org" <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Lagman:

My wife and I fully support Councilmember Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 (Agenda Item 48 On Tuesday, August 28, 2012) And Opposition To 710 Freeways And Highways.

The reasons for our opposition could go on and on. Instead, I will be brief:

- 1. Metro's flawed process and extraordinarily poor outreach
- 2. All the routes Metro has chosen to-date have extreme flaws
- 3. In particular, the prohibitive cost of F-7 in addition to the negative environmental impact to the community of El Sereno.
- 4. The total lack of technical analysis by Metro to recommend this route

By the way, why is Metro involved in building freeways and highways? Isn't their function to build and manage the light rail and bus system?

Thanks.

John and Laurie Picone 1620 Poppy Peak Drive Pasadena, CA 91105 From: May Rigler < mayrigler@me.com > Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:12 PM

Subject: SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Honored City Clerk,

I'm a resident of Highland Park/ Garvanza and the mother of a 18month old boy. I have been living on Avenue 63 for 14 years and I want to thank the City Officials for all the good things that were done to our neighborhood in the last years. Garvanza Park is one of the latest additions that make our community grow strong. Me and all my neighbors will keep on fighting against the extention of the 710 Fwy, we can not accept our community to be destroyed by a 6 lane Fwy. I fully support our councilman Jose Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 and I'm proud that he serving our community. Thank You,

May Rigler

From: Peter [mailto:prowan1@yahoo.com] Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 05:47 PM

To: <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u> <<u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u>>
Subject: SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82

> I support Coucilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Aug. 28, 2012) that opposes 710 highways and freeways.

Peter Rowan 323-240-8096 From: Janet Sporleder < ian.sporleder@gmail.com >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 2:42 PM

Subject: 710 extension
To: <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u>

I want to express SUPPORT FOR COUNCILMAN HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS. The area needs transportation projects that are designed to move trucks and cars off our streets instead of encouraging more traffic with all the noise and air pollution it brings. We need railroads for cargo coming into the ports and we need public transportation projects that enable people to leave their cars at home.

Please share my thoughts with the Council.

Janet Sporleder 1399 Cheviotdale Drive Pasadena, CA 91105 From: Gloria Henderson [mailto:gghenderson@att.net] Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 05:54 PM To: june.lagmay@lacity.org <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Subject: 710 extension

I support Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 and firmly oppose all 710 freeways and highways. Gloria Henderson 440 Elmwood Dr. Pasadena, CA

From: Gquin626 [mailto:gquin626@aol.com] **Sent**: Monday, August 27, 2012 05:58 PM

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Subject: Oppose 710

This is to inform you that I am in complete agreement with Councilman Huizars Resolution 12-0002-S82 and oppose the expansion of the 710 freeway which will only bring congestion and displacement of homes in the area. Giselle Q*u*intero

From: Gary Pia [mailto:garyepia@yahoo.com] Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 06:03 PM

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Subject: No 710 Freeway

I cannot attend the August 28, 2012 LA City Council meeting. But I want to express my strong support of for Councilman Huizar's resolution 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48) and my opposition to 710 Freeways and Highways.

Gary Pia City Treasurer City of South Pasadena 626-233-2645 From: Cueponcaxochitl Dianna Moreno [mailto:<u>cueponca.xochitl@ucla.edu</u>]

Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 06:10 PM

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Cc: Marie Salas < marielna@sbcglobal.net >

Subject: 710 extension opposition

Dear City Clerk,

Please support Councilmember's decision to oppose the 710 extension through El Sereno.

Thank you! Cueponcaxochitl Dianna Moreno Sandoval xicanna.wordpress.com From: <gemmarquez@sbcglobal.net>
Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 12:44 PM

Subject: 710Extension
To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

Please allow this email correspondence to be logged in as "No to 710 Extension" in all its possible alternatives. No to surface and No to tunnels!

I thanks you in advance.

Gemma Marquez Highland Park Resident Sent on the Sprint® Now Network from my BlackBerry® From: Michele & Paul < bootspikejj@earthlink.net >

Date: Mon, Aug 27, 2012 at 3:06 PM

Subject: 710 Extension
To: june.lagmay@lacity.org

We are residents of Pasadena in the 91105 area code and we wish to make it clear we are in support of Councilman Huizar's Resolution 12-0002-S82 opposing the 710 Freeway extension

possibilities currently being studied by Metro.

Work keep us from being present at the meeting tomorrow but we will be wearing red in our hearts.

Michele Miner and Paul Perri Pasadena, California **From**: Miriam Strysik [mailto:mistrysik@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 06:16 PM

To: <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u> < <u>june.lagmay@lacity.org</u>>

Subject: 710 Extension

Please vote no on above ground AND tunnel. Why is there no option to add rail for goods movement from the Long Beach port? I do not get how the sales tax that was supposed to be for ALTERNATIVE forms of transit is being using to study these 20th century non-options. I will be sure to vote against the extension of this measure. I live in Glendale. The noise, pollution etc. would be great. Also a tunnel of this length has never been built. The longest one ever built in Boston I believe had huge cost overruns. We've razed enough neighborhoods. Good on San Rafael that they stood up but I bet there are lower cost ways to get a lot of this done. Seems like special interests - contractors, union jobs etc. I'm not a union hater but something is fishy here. Thanks for listening.

Miriam Strysik Glendale 626 564 7858 From: Rick Nathanson [mailto:ricknath@aol.com]
Sent: Monday, August 27, 2012 06:20 PM

To: june.lagmay@lacity.org <june.lagmay@lacity.org>

Subject: full support of Councilman HUIZAR'S RESOLUTION 12-0002-S82 (agenda item 48 on Tuesday,

August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

(agenda item 48 on Tuesday, August 28, 2012) AND OPPOSITION TO 710 FREEWAYS AND HIGHWAYS.

We in La Crescenta . and everyone in the Foothills .. LA Crescenta, La Canada, Pasadena, South Pasadena, Tujunga and Sunland are in complete opposition to any hookup to the 710 Freeway.

We are completely backing councilman Huzar's resolution.

This is for myself and my wife, Andrea Nathanson. We will be there at the meeting tomorrow in full support.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. See you tomorrow!

Sincerely,

Rick Nathanson 2849 Harmony Place La Crescenta, CA 91214