



**PUBLIC REQUEST TO ADDRESS
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA**

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Agenda #	Relate To	Position	Name	Comments
The following individuals submitted comments on agenda item:				
10.		Favor	Chad Monk	As a member and Co-Chair of the Los Angeles County Community Prevention and Population Health Task Force, I am writing to express my support for the Board of Supervisors to send a letter to the EPA, supporting adding the former Exide Technologies Inc. site in Vernon and surrounding areas impacted by its operations to the Superfund National Priorities List. I appreciate the leadership and continued commitment of the Board of Supervisors to protect human health and the environment, and I am eager for a robust response in support of the health and well-being of communities surrounding the former Exide facility from the EPA.
			Jennifer V Ganata	Communities for a Better Environment (CBE) is in support of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors sending a letter to the EPA designating Exide and Impacted Neighborhoods as a Superfund Site. In addition, CBE would urge the County to ensure that all impacted communities receive the necessary remediation.
			Jose R Bustillo	Good morning Members of the Los Angeles Board of Supervisors, my name is Roberto Bustillo, I am an organizer with Communities for a Better Environment, and I am calling to support the County's petition to the Environmental Protection Agency to add the Exide Technologies site to the National Priorities List and to treat the site as a superfund site. For years, low-income and people of color communities have been victims of the pollution that Exide created. The state has spent millions to clean up and dismantle the facility, and now it is time for the Federal Government to begin the process of cleaning up the Exide Technologies site.
			Msgr John Moretta	My name is Monsignor John Moretta. I am the Pastor of Resurrection Church in Boyle Heights. I want to support Item 10 from the agenda on September 10. I appreciate the support of Supervisor Solis and this Board to enable the Superfund clean-up of the Exide neighborhood. Since 1914, when the LA Times explained the high possibility of the Exide pollution creating the largest danger of cancer in the greater East LA area, our community has participated in literally hundreds of meetings. To say the least the clean-up has been slow, very slow. I join the Mothers of East LA in the support of the motion to haste the sorely needed clean-up by the Superfund. Thanks, Fr. John

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10.		Favor	Reyna Macias	My name is Reyna Macias, and I am a resident of East Los Angeles and am writing in support of Item #10. I want to thank Supervisor Hilda Solis for requesting this motion to support the placement of Exide on the official Superfund National Priorities List in Spring 2025. Boyle Heights and East Los Angeles have withstood decades of environmental injustices. I request the Board to support this motion for the federal government to recognize this attack on our communities as an environmental justice issue and for the contamination clean up to be completed The Federal government should also contribute to the clean up and relieve the financial burden from local taxpayers.	
			Terumi Garcia	I represent SD1 of Youth Climate Commission, I am a student of Cal Poly Pomona, and a community organizer with CultivaLA in favor of item #10. My own father was born and raised in East LA and has faced many environmental injustices that exist today and still affect our families and communities. The existing contamination and pollution from Exide is a historic problem. Thank you Supervisor Hilda Solis for requesting this motion to support the placement of Exide on the official Superfund National Priorities List in Spring 2025 to get federal relief.	
		Other	Claudia Lanza	I am writing to express favor for the motion, but also to bring light to another battery recycle facility Ecobat (formerly Quemetco) very close to our neighborhood. A suggestion to look into ways of moving that facility elsewhere or shutting it down to prevent a future catastrophe to the health of our most vulnerable communities.	
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