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			The following individuals submitted comments on agenda item:	
Agenda #	Relate To	Position	Name	Comments
44.		Favor	Cecilia Mejia	
			Christopher Mathers	
			Dianna Xu	
			Jenna Cobb	<p>I am pleased to support the adoption of the San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors.</p> <p>The San Gabriel Valley continues to face many ongoing challenges— from the lasting impacts of recent wildfires to the ongoing realities of drought, climate change, and inflation. In this context, the San Gabriel Valley's network of tributaries and channels remain a vital yet underutilized public resource with significant potential to improve mobility, expand access to open space, and strengthen community resilience.</p> <p>The San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network (SGVGN) Strategic Implementation Plan (Plan) offers a comprehensive and forward-looking framework to help guide local and regional agencies in transforming LA County Flood Control District channels into a world-class network of greenways that serves as a roadmap to create safer, more accessible, and more connected greenways along the region's waterways. It represents a shared vision for enhancing public spaces, promoting active transportation, supporting environmental stewardship, and ensuring that every community has equitable access to clean, green, and welcoming open spaces.</p>
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SGV Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan | Board Adoption Support Letter
December 04, 2025

Dear Supervisors,

On behalf of Cecilia Mejia, I am pleased to support the adoption of the San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors.

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As our communities continue to plan and strive for a more resilient future, the SGVGN Plan stands as a resource and guide for collaborative action. We support its vision for 130 miles of interconnected greenways that will improve regional connectivity, promote public health, maintain flood protection, and celebrate the San Gabriel Valley's cultural and ecological richness. This framework provides an important opportunity for cities and agencies to work together to shape projects that meet both local needs and countywide goals for sustainability, resilience, and community well-being.

Specifically, we support the SGVGN Plan goals to:

- Promoting equitable practices — ensuring underserved communities have access, engage in decision-making, and benefit from greenway investment.
- Creating recreational opportunities and mobility for diverse users — including youth, people with disabilities, aging populations, bicyclists, pedestrians, equestrians.
- Integrating stormwater management, groundwater recharge, water quality improvements and other multi-benefit green infrastructure.
- Enhancing connections — linking communities, existing bikeways, transit, schools, parks and open space across the San Gabriel Valley watershed.
- Enhancing natural habitats and enriching community-well-being.

I recognize that developing the SGVGN Plan to encompass all 130 miles of the LA County Flood Control District's channels and tributaries represents a significant and complex undertaking. I commend your leadership and the dedication, innovation, and collaboration demonstrated by all partners involved in developing this comprehensive vision.

December 3, 2025

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RE: SUPPORT | Final San Gabriel Valley Network Strategic Implementation Plan & PEIR

Dear Supervisors,

As a place-based community organization dedicated to realizing a more sustainable, equitable, and livable San Gabriel Valley, ActiveSGV is pleased to support the adoption of the San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network Strategic Implementation Plan by the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors.

ActiveSGV was formed in 2010 by a group of residents, public health activists, and community leaders to address an unmet and critical public health need in our region – grassroots support for livable, “complete” streets that provide healthy transportation alternatives, promote physical activity, and create a foundation for healthier communities.

Since 2014 ActiveSGV has supported and worked to realize a healthier, more livable San Gabriel Valley connected by over 100 miles of off-street regional greenways.

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The San Gabriel Valley Greenway Network (SGVGN) Strategic Implementation Plan (Plan) offers a constructive framework to help guide local and regional agencies in transforming LA County Flood Control District channels into a world-class network of greenways. **It represents a shared vision for enhancing public spaces, promoting active transportation, supporting environmental stewardship,** and ensuring that every community has equitable access to clean, green, and welcoming open spaces.

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- Promoting equitable practices — ensuring underserved communities have access, engage in decision-making, and benefit from greenway investment.
- Creating recreational opportunities and mobility for diverse users — including youth, people with disabilities, aging populations, and people on foot, bike, skate, and horse.
- Integrating stormwater management, groundwater recharge, water quality improvements and other multi-benefit green infrastructure.
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Given the many benefits separating vulnerable road users from traffic, and the increasing numbers of pedestrian fatalities across California, especially in lower-income communities of color where more people rely on two feet and two wheels to get to work and school, **ActiveSGV strongly supports the adoption of the SGVGN Plan and is committed to working collaboratively toward its implementation.** This plan is an important and meaningful step towards realizing a more sustainable, equitable, and livable region. ActiveSGV looks forward to advancing the Plan's goals and strategies to enhance regional connectivity, environmental sustainability, and quality of life for the residents of Los Angeles County and the communities we collectively serve.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at david@activeSGV.org.

Thank you for your time and consideration,



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Executive Director