

FW: Gustave Meyner 95127 - Agenda Item 3.5, 3/14/23, Measure T's water quality funding: Lake Cunningham

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maintaining existing water quality and infrastructure is more important than expanding opportunities and tax revenue. Economic expansion is the job of private industry.

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Gloria McCafferty
95127

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San Jose City Council
200 East Santa Clara Street
San Jose, CA 95113

CLERK OF THE BOARD[Michele L. King, CMC](#)**RE: Item 3.5. Report on Measure T Disaster Preparedness, Public Safety, and Infrastructure General Obligation Bond Proceeds and Allocations**

Dear Honorable Mayor and Councilmembers,

I am writing to express my individual support in maintaining the identified \$3.2 million dollars in savings from the purchase of Coyote Valley in the Environmental Protection Fund to remedy the issues of water contamination at Lake Cunningham Park. Please know that this letter does not represent support or interest of Valley Water as an agency or the Board of Directors as a whole.

Located in the northeast corner of District 8, Lake Cunningham Park is home to a 50-acre lake, stunning meadows, and a range of amenities including picnic areas, playgrounds, a marina, Raging Waters, and the Action Sports Park.

Commitment to environmental water quality projects, as was promised to voters when Measure T was on the ballot, is of utmost importance to help remedy the water contamination issues at Lake Cunningham Park. Since the mid-1990s, the water quality at Lake Cunningham has experienced a detrimental decline, which has compromised access to the lake, threatened the environment, and jeopardized the safety of park meadows and amenities during algae blooms and natural flooding on this historical floodplain. For over 30 years, the lake has been off-limits for recreational use. Park visitors often reference a foul odor in the summer and point out stagnant water. Unfortunately, deferred maintenance and lack of significant investment will only worsen the conditions present at the park—which is also one of the few park areas serving my East San Jose constituents.

It is critical to note that the quality of life for East San Jose residents has been detrimentally affected by airborne contaminants produced by the Reid-Hillview Airport and several high-speed corridors and highways that bisect these communities. Lake Cunningham Park is uniquely positioned to serve as a tool for achieving environmental and social equity goals since we know that parks encourage active lifestyles, provide access to open space, strengthen local economies, increase community engagement, and reduce crime. For these reasons, I ask you maintain the identified \$3.2 million dollars in the Environmental Protection Fund to remedy the issues of water contamination at Lake Cunningham Park.


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I strongly urge the San Jose City Council to support the recommendation from Councilmembers
Candelas and Ortiz, and make certain that Lake Cunningham Park is put on a pathway towards
restoration, for the benefit of our East San Jose residents.

Sincerely,

A large black rectangular redaction box covering the signature of Tony Estremera.

Tony Estremera
Director, District 2

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FW: Karen Behle 95127-2609 - Agenda Item 3.5, 3/14/23, Measure T's water quality funding: Lake Cunningham

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Karen Behle
95127-2609

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This lake has been a staple hangout place in my family for decades; I remember when my younger sister was growing up and she would look out at the lake and ask if it was the ocean because it was so beautiful to her. Unfortunately now it is simply too dirty. Please improve the quality.

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Shawn Lo
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Our SJ community deserves a clean and healthy lake for us to enjoy open water activities, nature, and a safe ecological environment! Improving water quality at Lake Cunningham and other water areas in SJ is long overdue and much needed!

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Measure T Environmental Protection Fund

Claudia Gil <[REDACTED]>

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Hi,

My name is Claudia and I grew up in East San Jose where most of my family still resides. I am now living in the Seven Trees neighborhood. Everyday, I drive past Lake Cunningham as I drop my son off to my mom's house so I can go to work. I love the community where I came from. We have a hilly sky line that changes color with the seasons. We have Alum Rock park & Lake Cunningham as our natural getaways from the hustle and bustle of the busy east side streets. These communities gave the most & lost the most during COVID. These communities are the back bones, the essential workers of large companies that make the Silicon Valley. Yet, these families are always last when it comes to improvements that would benefit all living & visiting in these communities. What are you waiting for?

For far too long our communities' environmental issues have been put on the back burner and our representatives have faced constant pushback when bringing forward recommendations to make improvements to Lake Cunningham.

Since the mid-1990s, the water quality at Lake Cunningham has experienced a detrimental decline, which has compromised access to the lake, threatened the environment, and jeopardized the safety of park meadows and amenities during algae blooms or natural flooding on this historical floodplain.

It's been over 30 years that the lake has been off-limits for recreational use.

This reality begs the question, if not now, then when? Your vote will show us how much you value environmental equity and justice for East San José.

I strongly urge the council to:

- Accept the Candelas & Ortiz memo, and
- Give voters what was promised in measure T, putting these funds towards preventing flooding and water quality contamination.

Thank you.

-Claudia Gil
[REDACTED]

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Cecilia Guzman
95112

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I want our side of town to be a place we can be proud of. Don't destroy the trust we have of our public servants. Get creative and make it work.

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Adrian Pando
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Estrellita Muñoz
95110

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Samuel Carrasco
95127

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From: District 5 United <[REDACTED]>

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Please do not take away funding for water improvements at Lake Cunningham. The East Side of San Jose needs clean parks too.

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Marlene Fischer
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We need a place in the East side/Evergreen area that encourages people to walk and get exercise and it's hard to do when the water smells bad. Especially after the pandemic (and if another one comes our way), we need a place to walk, bike and spend family time.

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Positive action on behalf of the people and land of East San Jose is long overdue.

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We would like to be able to host Fishing in the City events again in East San Jose!

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Cynthia Terra
95123

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Please clean Lake Cunningham water!!! I have spent many weekends here as a child. With its current filthiness, I cannot take my 3 year old niece to this local lake. Please consider today's and future generations... popularity can raise interest and funds for Lake Cunningham!!!

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Tue 3/14/2023 10:21 AM

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From: San Jose United <[REDACTED]>

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Bernadette Ertl
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Measure T : La Raza Roundtable letter from Bob Nunez

Jil Kauffman [REDACTED]

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Honorable Mayor & City Council, 18th Floor
San José, CA 95112

**RE: Annual Report on Measure T Disaster Preparedness, Public Safety, and Infrastructure General
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Please support the recommendation from Councilmember Candelas and Ortiz and make certain that Lake Cunningham Park is put on a pathway towards restoration.

Sincerely,

[Name of Official, Title]

[Signature]

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March 13, 2023

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Co-Chair
La Raza Roundtable

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To: Agendadesk <[REDACTED]>

From: District 5 United <[REDACTED]>

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Subject: Hien Nguyen 95121 - Agenda Item 3.5, 3/14/23, Measure T's water quality funding: Lake Cunningham

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Hien Nguyen***

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95121

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To: Agendadesk <[REDACTED]>

From: District 5 United <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2023 10:26 AM

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95122

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Thank You.***

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Please don't take away funding for Lake Cunningham water quality

Sandi Kolassa <[REDACTED]>

Tue 3/14/2023 10:55 AM

To: Agendadesk <[REDACTED]>

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Sincerely,

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From: District 5 United <[REDACTED]>

Sent: Tuesday, March 14, 2023 10:59 AM

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Sabrina Kwong
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Michelle Gonzalez
95128

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Rosa Valdovinos
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Mary Helen Doherty
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It doesn't seem quite fair to do this in our neighborhood. We have so little open space available within walking distance and depend on this park for our physical and mental well-being. Please don't take our funds to restore Lake Cunningham.

***Respectfully,
Jae E Duvall***

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The underserved East SJ***

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From: San Jose United <[REDACTED]>

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Krista Fuentes
95148

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Pat Waite
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Lake Cunningham is an accessible recreation area in a high population density low income area. This should be a safe healthy environment for our families. People shouldn't have to drive many miles for access to a safe recreational space. I'm pretty sure that if this was Willow Glenn or Almaden Valley it would already be fixed.

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Skylar Adams
95112

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I go to other parks in the summer due to the smell of the water., even though the park is near my house. I jog and unfortunately, I no longer use the park for that purpose, nor do I recommend it to others.

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Sandra M Garcia
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From: San Jose United <[REDACTED]>

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Mike Donohoe
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To: Agendadesk <[REDACTED]>

From: District 5 United <[REDACTED]>

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I've lived in East San José my whole life and as an active runner, Lake Cunningham is my go to place for a run. I miss seeing people in pedal boats enjoying their day. Please give the East side community a safe lake and space to enjoy by doing what's right.

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Yadira Antonio
95116

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Please don't take away funding for Lake Cunningham water quality

Ana Fierro <[REDACTED]>

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Ana Fierro

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Mariko Conner <[REDACTED]>

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