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Good Morning,

My husband and I bought our first home in June of 2022, we moved in June 12th of the same year. What a thrill, we were overwhelmed and just loved our new neighborhood. Our home backs up to Coyote Creek, south of Camp Chaffee Road. January of 2023 the creek got a little closer to our home than we ever imagined. We had no damage to our home or fence, we were very lucky compared to some of our neighbors.

We are so grateful and thankful for Supervisor Matt Laverre's help with this project. The entire neighborhood also owes much of the success of this moving forward to Nikki Katz, without her this would not be a reality.

We are fully in support of this project and really hope you help make it a reality. We would love to see the water flowing through the area once again and return the native habitat to what it once was. As a board member of the California Native Plant Society- Channel Islands Chapter, I would love to see all of the invasive Vinca, Arundo and other non native plants be removed.

I am hoping that when the rainy season returns next year, we can once again be excited when it rains, instead of huffing sandbags and worrying about the destruction that may come. Thank you for considering this project, we have all worked so hard to get this far.

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