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Date: Fri, 3 Nov 2023 14:05:03 -0700

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Sincerely,
Christine DiTillio
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Already in our neighborhood developers have cut down an ANCIENT REDWOOD TREE and very large OLD PINES! This is not only adding to LA's disgusting air quality, but is a disgrace to our community.

Those trees provided habitat, clean air, beauty to the neighborhood and peace and calm. All is destroyed because of LA's Greed!

Sincerely,
Mr. Knot Greedy.
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HW bought the property knowing it was not zoned for their proposed use. This will devastate the 100,000 local residents (voters) who use this facility every year. I play golf there with my daughter and grandfather when he comes to visit. There is no way that it will be open to the community. What is HW teaching their students? They have all of these facilities already on their campus. They don't need more. Just b/c they WANT it doesn't mean they should when it will hurt so many.

I am also a realtor in the area and it will bring down property values around the area and across the community. Weddington is a HUGE selling point for prospective Buyers moving to Studio City. Most of the HW students come from outside of the community to attend school there so they don't care about the devastation to the local residents. They should be ashamed of themselves and the message it sends to their students. The golden rule . . . "he who has the gold rules."

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Studio City

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