

## Communication from Public

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**Comments for Public Posting:** I am writing as a concerned citizen of Silver Lake. I live close to where the existing public space (connecting Maltman Avenue, between Effie St and Crestmont Ave) is scheduled to be converted to private property for development. I am strongly opposed to this for several reasons: environmentally, this will impact the local wildlife. There are many native animals that use this space which will be displaced. As someone who works from home - as many of us do since the start of the pandemic - the construction noise will surely be a nuisance and make it difficult to work day-to-day. Lastly, this is a public space which many people - including myself - use as a walkway and hiking area. This matter is scheduled to be considered by the Los Angeles City Council on August 9 2022. I urge you to stop this development! I strongly oppose converting this green pedestrian space to private property for development. Thanks so much for your time