

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Senderos Canyon is an endangered piece of wilderness that must be spared from development. The real estate people talk about it as acreage, but it's important to understand this is not just a vacant lot - it is one of the last remaining pockets of forest in Bel Air. The lush, steep-walled canyon is home to a freshwater creek that waters a long grove of 200-year-old Valley Oak Trees. These legacy oaks, and thousands of other trees, provide habitat and a vital corridor for animals, such as deer, rabbits, bobcats, and coyotes, as well as Hummingbirds, California Scrubjays, Red Tailed Hawks, Song Sparrows, Ravens, and countless pollinator insects. On a warm spring day, Senderos Canyon explodes with songs from thousands of nesting birds. On a full moon in summer, the cries of Coyotes can be heard. This is a piece of pre-civilization Los Angeles wilderness that should be cherished and protected! Please acquire this land to ensure the permanent protection of the "lungs" of Bel Air!