

# Board of Supervisors

Meeting Time: 05-06-25 09:00

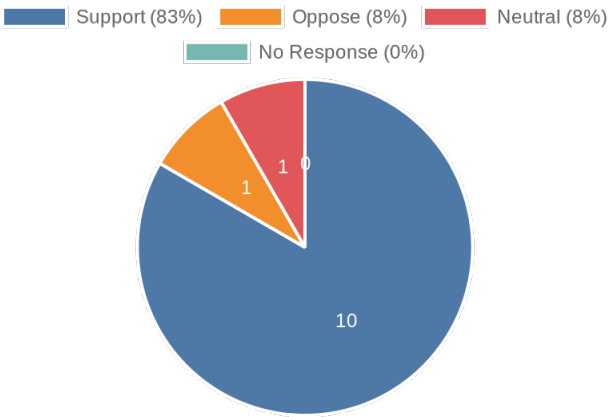
## eComments Report

Meetings	Meeting Time	Agenda Items	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
Board of Supervisors	05-06-25 09:00	35	12	10	1	1

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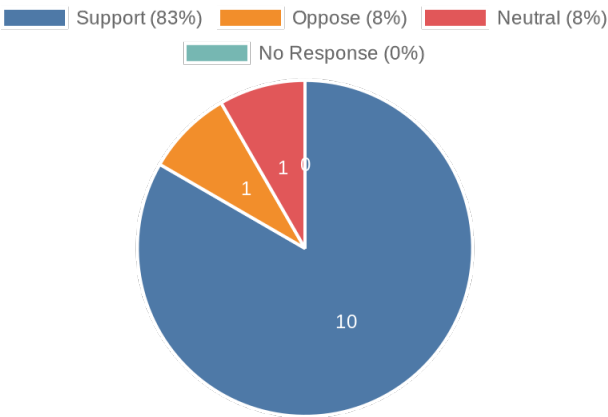


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18. SUPPORTING NEW TOOLS TO ADDRESS THE TIJUANA RIVER SEWAGE CRISIS	12	10	1	1

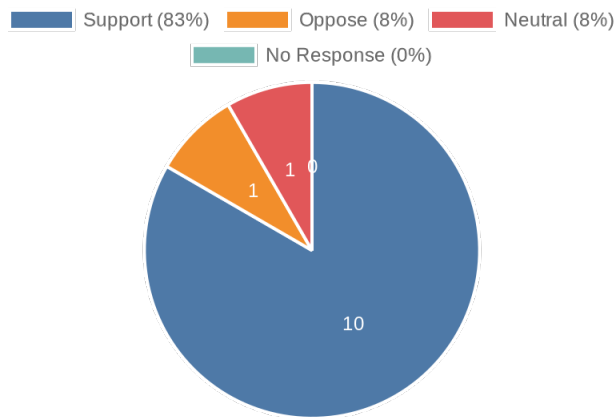
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### DANIEL WATMAN

Location: 91902, Bonita  
Submitted At: 11:25am 05-06-25

I support SB10 and all other initiatives that dedicate funds to addressing the Tijuana river crisis. On behalf of the Friends of International Friendship Park, I am extremely concerned about the contamination keeping our outdoor areas safe for our community and visitors. I was just informed a couple days ago that border field state park (BFSP) will remain closed after a flood incident last saturday that left it unsafe to access. BFSP, which allows access to the estuary, to the beach and Friendship Park, has now been closed for 21 months. The county campground at the entrance to BFSP has also been closed for months at a time over the last 2 years. People on both sides of the border are working hard to alleviate this problem and funding is sorely needed. Thank you.

### Phillip Musegaas

Location: 92111, San Diego  
Submitted At: 6:59pm 05-05-25

On behalf of San Diego Coastkeeper, I am pleased to offer our strong support of SB 10 which would expressly authorize funds from the new toll road to be used to assist in the maintenance of the South Bay International Boundary and Water Commission sewage treatment facility and the development of additional sanitation infrastructure projects related to the Tijuana River. Despite several one-time federal allocations to fund repairs at the SBIWTP, there is still no sustainable funding source for its ongoing operation and management. The persistent SB 10 would enable SANDAG to establish a much-needed, long-term source of revenue for operation and management of the SBIWTP and other critical infrastructure projects necessary to reduce pollution in the Tijuana River Valley and public health impacts to local communities.

### Cassie Paumard

Location: 92130, San Diego  
Submitted At: 3:38pm 05-05-25

On behalf of Project Kolika, San Diegan ocean conservation nonprofit, we support SB 10. The Tijuana River crisis has been a long-standing issue.. decades too long. Amongst raw sewage going into our ocean, there's

dangerous chemicals at levels exceeding EPA standards, making the surrounding public sick. SB 10 would allocate funds from the new border crossing toll road for infrastructure maintenance and remediation efforts concerning the South Bay sewage plant. Let's all stand for access to a clean, healthy ocean!

**James Moffat**

Location: 92105, San Diego  
Submitted At: 3:28pm 05-05-25

On behalf of the Chula Vista Democratic Club, I am writing in strong support of SB 10. For too long, South Bay communities have suffered from the pollution flowing through the Tijuana River — raw sewage in our water and now even toxic gases in our air. The treatment plant meant to help is overwhelmed and underfunded.

SB 10 is a smart fix. It would use some of the money from the new Otay Mesa toll road to help maintain the wastewater plant — finally creating a steady funding source to deal with this cross-border pollution.

It's time to stop putting the health of border communities on the back burner. Please pass SB 10.

**Delia Y**

Location:  
Submitted At: 1:45pm 05-05-25

Funny, these federal lawmakers have bills now. Let's wait for EPA Sec Zeldin to work with Mexico.

**Marvel Harrison**

Location: 91932, Imperial Beach  
Submitted At: 1:17pm 05-05-25

We are desperate for the sewage crisis to be over. Fix the infrastructure NOW! Not in 5 to 10 years. Children are sick, the BUDS are sick, businesses are dying, the Estuary can no longer support fish. I've developed a lung disease. We are desperate.

**Courtney Baltiyskyy**

Location: 92116, San Diego  
Submitted At: 1:13pm 05-05-25

The YMCA of San Diego County nurtures the development for spirit, mind, and body so all may thrive. As an organization we have supported mission-driven work for over fifty years in the South Bay region through YMCA Camp SURF. The transboundary pollution crisis now impedes our programs and operations. While we are grateful that our San Diego Federal delegation successfully secured \$650 million to make critical repairs and expand of the South Bay International Wastewater Treatment Plant, the International Boundary and Water Commission (IBWC) still lacks a stable, ongoing source of revenue to operate and maintain the plant. SB 10 seeks to remedy this through allowing SANDAG to use a portion of toll revenue to support sustainable funding. We applaud the collaborative effort to find new tools to address the pollution crisis.

**Laura WilkinsonSinton**

Location: 92118, Coronado  
Submitted At: 12:40pm 05-05-25

On behalf of the members of StopTheSewage.org, and our youth programs affecting over 1,000 persons in the South Bay, we strongly support SB 10 and urge that you pass this critically important bill. As the cross-border pollution has plagued our beaches for years now in Coronado as well as Imperial Beach, this bill will work towards a permanent recurring funding for the wastewater treatment and mitigating the TRV so families can safely use the County Park and estuary. This affects children and families, Navy SEALs, Border Patrol and first responders and tourism in our area and needs this bill to assure that cross-border commerce and industry benefiting from this expanded border crossing at Otay Mesa II will be held accountable and charged for mitigating the pollution caused by this economic growth. This bill will authorize these tolls and save the taxpayers of California the cost of mitigation by directly charging those causing it.

**Erin Hogeboom**

Location: 92123, San Diego  
Submitted At: 11:40am 05-05-25

On behalf of San Diego for Every Child, I am pleased to offer our strong support of SB 10, which would expressly authorize funds from the new toll road (State Route 11) to be used for water treatment, environmental mitigation, and restoration of the Tijuana River Valley. As a county-wide coalition of organizations and individuals committed to cutting the experience of child poverty across our region, we see a greater accountability to the health and well-being of children living in our southern beach communities as a crucial component of this goal. We are grateful that our San Diego Federal delegation successfully secured \$650 million to make critical repairs and expand of the South Bay International Wastewater Treatment Plant. But we also know that the International Boundary and Water Commission (IBWC) needs a stable, ongoing source of revenue to \*operate and maintain\* the plant. SB 10 would help address this ongoing need and more, which is why we encourage the County's support.

**Patricia Flores-Charter**

Location:

Submitted At: 11:08am 05-05-25

To: The Honorable Members of the County Board of Supervisors:

Re: Agenda Item 18, Senate Support for SB 10

From: The Coronado Democratic Club

I am writing on behalf of the 250+ members of the Coronado Democratic Club to give our strong support for SB 10 which authorizes funds from the new toll road (State Route 11) to be used for water treatment, environmental mitigation, and restoration of the Tijuana River Valley.

For years, our South San Diego County communities have endured the worst effects of transboundary pollution from Mexico. SB 10 provides permanent funding to prevent the movement of toxic pollutants and their fumes into our South San Diego County communities. The pollution is destroying our businesses, community economies, beaches, and the health of our community members.

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Coronado Democratic Club

**Paul Henkin**

Location: 91902, Bonita

Submitted At: 10:46am 05-01-25

Speak of new tools, if you had adopted the idea I had awhile back to zero in on the pollution sources with portable air quality meters (only a few thousand bucks as opposed to the millions spent over the years,) or the concrete lining to speed up the water flow, or other ideas I've seen, there would be no crisis.

SB10 diverts money away from SANDAG using it to do what it has promised for years. There is a huge list.

Moreover, I do not know how SANDAG could unilaterally dedicate dollars from a Federal operation to a local cause.

HR1948 seems better.