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Good Morning, Supervissors,

Re: RECEIVE UPDATE ON EXPANDING MOBILIZATION AGAINST
THE

TIJUANA RIVER SEWAGE CRISIS

Glad there's an update on this, like I suggested.

As I noted before, I have submitted suggestions: concrete lining to speed water flow and sewage out to sea; holding ponds or reservoirs like there once were; hand-held air pollution monitors to zero in on the pollution source; and baking soda or lime to cut down on the harmful odors.. I'm sure many others have, too. You provided a few air purifiers. You cleared up one of the sloughs. The Air Pollution Control District put up stationary air quality monitors. UCSD, the University of Austin, and 2 other universities monitored air quality recently. The CDC is getting involved.

You saw how the Mexicans just sent in the Army and fixed their sewage plant in a few months.

I think the problem is too many hands in the pot on our side.

Regards,

Paul Henkin