

## Please choose a wise / sustainable plan for Hahamongna

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to fifthdistrict, savehahamongna

Dear Supervisor Antonovich,

I'm writing to you with regard to saving the Hahamongna Watershed and the proposed sediment removal project put forth by the L.A. County DPW.

I'm of the opinion that sediment can be removed in a more sustainable fashion than what is being suggested by the DPW. The thought of losing habitat, animals, recreation and precious open space is heart breaking. I also am concerned about the pollution (noise and air) and congestion that may very well result from the proposed project.

Two schools are adjacent to Hahamongna. I am a runner and Coach with Team in Training ( [www.teamintraining.org](http://www.teamintraining.org) ). In a nutshell we train for endurance events and raise funds for The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. We are in Hahamongna Watershed Park training almost every soft trails free of cars are appreciated. I personally train in the area at least a few times a week. I see many others out their enjoying the space and it's beauty (equestrians, hikers' dog walkers, young people, older people etc.)

My hope is that a more sustainable approach will be taken to remove sediment from behind Devil's Gate. The one proposed by DWP seems too aggressive and destructive to this valuable open space that many enjoy and value. Go slow and go with the flow.

Respectfully,

Kiley Akers