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**Re: CPC-2022-5401-CA, CPC-2023-3653-ZC,
ENV-2022-5286-EIR
CF 22-0392**

Dear Commissioners:

The Hillside Federation representing 47 resident associations spanning the Santa Monica Mountains strongly opposes Metro's Transportation Communication Network (TCN) proposal.

TCN is not about transportation or communications; it's about ads on digital billboards – 86 billboards placed at freeway interchanges and on major streets. This project was slipped in under cover of darkness and without adequate public review. The fact that the project requires an amendment to code to create a non-contiguous Supplemental Use District tells you all you need to know. It's illegal. It undermines the integrity of the 2002 ban on billboards outside of designated Sign Districts.

The CPC stood tall several years ago and approved a strong Sign Ordinance known as B+. The Federation urges the CPC to stand tall once again and reject TCN in its entirety.

Sincerely,

Charley Mims