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To the commissioners,
I do not support this project attempting to widen the roads. Traffic congestion isn't a major issue that should be addressed ahead of other major issues that the city of carlsbad is having. In fact, it's going to keep increasing indicating success in economic development and job opportunities. Widening the roads more will cause more people to start driving. Those who relied on public transit, walking, or bike will now be encouraged to drive. Now you have a ton of more vehicles that are also contributing to air pollution which also affects global warming. Besides, it's also bad economics. An alternative I suggest is one that I have seen in my hometown designed not only for cars but for public transportation, bicycling, and walking. Each one can have their own lane, since buses and bikes tend to move slower causing traffic. There wouldn't be as much traffic. Rather than widening the roads I suggest we fix the potholes instead.

Sincerely,
Evelin V.

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