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Subject: Public Comment - Agenda Item: 13.i (Palm Desert City Council meeting of October 12, 2023)
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City of Palm Desert
City Council/City Hall Chamber
73510 Fred Waring Dr.
Palm Desert, CA.
Attn: City Clerk/City Council/General Public

Re: Written letter to be entered in the Public record and made available for public inspection for the October 12, 2023 - Palm Desert City Council meeting (Agenda Item: 13.i - Letter of support for City of Palm Springs (OTS) resources)

Dear current City Council members,

It's unreasonable to consider that the City's assigned Legislative Review committee (Council members Kelly & Quintanilla) have the BEST Interests for City's Residents and Businesses when they have drafted a political aspired letter to the Office of the Secretary of Transportation (OST) dated September 21, 2023. City's own staff report states that the final date for (OST) requests for funding from the "Reconnecting Communities and Neighborhoods program (RCN) was on September 28, 2023. The date of October 12, 2023 is when those two (2) City Council members have requested other City elected officials to support a letter that has misrepresented that Palm Springs region and promotes a narrative of "Climate change" in an potential attempt to "fear monger" and gain political favor.

It's been repeatedly demonstrated that the current Palm Desert City Council has been unsuccessful in its own operations within its boundaries. The Coachella Valley Association of Government (CVAG) has been compromised by its organization structure to promote and fund social issues over quality of life issues for Coachella Valley Resident's and Businesses. CVAG administered an online survey prior to this official request for funding for the City of Palm Springs asking for written comments on the Indian Canyon Dr. Roadway - and a chance to win a "Gift Card". That survey had several misleading and unavoidable questions that would ONLY support the proposed Bridge(s) and other unnecessary addition expenses to the Indian Canyon Drive roadway (Very deceptive survey to gain support from everyone that participated).

Please consider NOT supporting the City's letter that was clearly written to be deceptive in nature. It's critical that the current City Council members represent their Resident's by NOT submitting a letter to the (OST).

Please consider writing Individual letters if desired like many Local residents will be doing - Sincerely,

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