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My name is Esther Ramirez, and I live in Cantua Creek, about 10 miles from your project. I believe it's important to know your neighbors.

Cantua Creek, like many unincorporated communities in Fresno County, is rural and disadvantaged. We often feel invisible and overlooked. If this project can create sustainable jobs for us, that would be welcome. However, I've seen considerable traffic from Manning Ave., work site with drivers often speeding and cutting into lanes at the James Road stop sign, likely because they don't live here.

It's unfortunate to see agricultural land being retired, especially since farming has been our main source of employment. Without adequate water, how can we sustain agriculture? Despite millions spent, we still lack potable water and our roads remain unfixed.

I hope the promised funds will support all deserving organizations for the benefit of our community.