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El Dorado County Board of Supervisors 330 Fair Lane Placerville, CA 95667

It is my understanding that Supervisor Novasel must recuse herself when it comes to working on the Meyers Plan. While I understand the reasons for this, it causes me great concern that someone who is not a Meyers resident may have a significant impact on our community.

I was born here, and this area is extremely important to me and my family. Our community is different than the places on the "west slope" and I am deeply disturbed that an individual who does not understand our needs will serve as our representative to the Board of Supervisors. I became even more concerned when I witnessed the last "meeting" that was held at the Magnet School. There was no open discussion as promised, and we did not get to speak our peace. It went against everything that our residents stand for. Because many of the Meyers Plan meetings were basically held in secret – many of them in violation of the Brown Act – it is not fair to assume that our community does not want to be involved.

Right now, I feel that this Meyers Plan is being shoved down our throats. This leads me to suspect that someone is gaining something out of it – and probably someone who is involved in the County. All we want is a fair and open process where we feel involved and informed.

Please respond to our community's wishes and allow us to create a plan that is good for the locals, the environment, and the economy. Sincerely,

Leona Allen