Attached are my comments to the subject Draft SEIS/SEIR.

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RE: Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal LLC Crude Oil Terminal

I am writing to express my support for the Plains All American and the Pacific L.A. Marine Terminal that is the subject of this report. It is apparent that increased capacity for fuel is needed now and even more in the future and this project appears to provide that in a manner that is reasonably safe.

This project will rebuild a much needed infrastructure that has been slowly dismantled as well as being a boost to our local economy, especially during construction phase.

While no project will ever be risk free, this one appears to incorporate many features that will minimize risk to the environment through design.

I support the certification of the environmental documents and the approval of the project by the Port of Los Angeles and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Respectfully,

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