

October 2023

Subject: Natomas Campaign Update – Action Needed

Thank you for your interest in and concern about the wildlife, habitat and farmland in Natomas. And thank you for joining our mailing list.

Right now our campaign is focused on building our mailing list in preparation for outreach to the public and to elected officials to let them know that we do not want to see the Airport South Industrial Project proceed. None of us want 450 acres of Natomas farmland and critical habitat paved over for millions of square feet of warehouses on Bayou Way, next to a school and a neighborhood.

Actions Needed

Sign Up to Table

Please email office@ecosacramento.net to be added to our list of tabling volunteers. There are a number of events coming up this fall in Natomas. In the immediate future, the Climate Justice Festival, on Oct 28, will be at McClatchy Park from 10am – 2pm. If you want to get to know some of us and learn about the project, join us for tabling, or just stop by. Email Edith to sign up for October 28, egthacher@gmail.com

Why Table?

You get to spend time outdoors talking to people about one of your interests. You meet interesting people and are able to do something good for both the Sacramento region and the environment at the same time. You will receive a crash course on the Natomas Campaign from other folks at the table and team members get to meet you!

Talk to Friends, Family and Co-workers about this campaign

We continue to build our mailing list so we can reach people across the Sacramento region (City **and** County). Suggest to those that are interested that they click the “Join Us” button at the top of [this web page](#).

Request a Presentation

If you know of a group that you think could benefit from a presentation on the Campaign, the proposed projects in Natomas and what we are doing about it, please email office@ecosacramento.net to let us know.

Updates on Projects

The release of the Airport South Industrial Project Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) has been delayed from the fall of 2023 to “sometime in early 2024”.

As far as we know, none of the other projects have dates for releasing their DEIR.

As we learn about updates to any of the projects on [the map](#), we’ll let you know.

Campaign Update

In the past month we added about 200 new people to our mailing list – thank you if you recently signed up.

During the Farm to Fork festival, a billboard on I-5 displayed one of the following messages every minute – for a month.

- ❖ Natomas Farms are Habitat
- ❖ Support Natomas Habitat and Farms
- ❖ Natomas Farmland Feeds People and Wildlife
- ❖ There's No "Farm-to-Fork" Without Farms

Rose Foundation grant money helped us buy banners and printed materials to use during the Farm to Fork Street Festival and which we can use at other tabling and outreach events. Thanks to everyone who stopped and talked with us during the Festival! Our handouts included a [Press Release](#) and a [Coloring Page](#) for kids which focuses on wildlife in Natomas and highlights some of our partners.

Thanks for reading, and please, send this to some other people, encourage them to click that "Join Us" button so we know how to contact them.