

**Lopez, Maria [COB]**

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Hello,

I'm writing to ask that you vote **NO on Item 69** at Tuesday's Board meeting.

I'm concerned that this item could continue or expand herbicide-related work in Orange County waterways, including contracting with Dudek despite recent public concerns about creek management and spraying practices.

I would like to see greater transparency, accountability, and safer approaches for managing our creeks and riverbeds moving forward.

Please vote NO on Item 69.

Thank you,  
Alina Darway