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Subject: part out Valencias & build NorthCreek or Pi? or keep Valencias?

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Hello folks, I'm looking for some advice...I bought a pair of Heathkit AS-101 speakers (Altec Valencia 846A clones) with blown tweeters for \$20. Bill at Great Plains fixed me up with new diaphragms, etc. and now the AS-101s sound terrific with a modest Tripath-based amp I put together. These things are big and have a very low WAF indeed. Should I continue to campaign to get these things out of the garage and into the living room? or Should I eBay the drivers and use those funds to buy a kit from Northcreek or Pi? (Or another supplier...) I'd appreciate any advice you guys can offer about bang-for-the-buck and such things.

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