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Re: Council File: 13-1248

1 message

Sharon Gin <sharon.gin@lacity.org>

Tue, Oct 1, 2013 at 3:48 PM

To: ggg@copper.net, Candy Rosales <candy.rosales@lacity.org>

Hello,

Please note that this matter was referred to Arts, Parks, Health, Aging and River Committee and to Personnel and Animal Welfare Committee. See link below.

Since this item is scheduled for the 10/4 Council meeting, I'll forward your submittal to staff that processes items for Council meetings. For the future, will you please send me items for PLUM Committee only? Thank you!

<http://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=13-1248>

On Tue, Oct 1, 2013 at 3:25 PM, ggg@copper.net <ggg@copper.net> wrote:

Sharon,

Please add this comment and pdf to Council File: 13-1248.

The attached pdf of a letter from the SCAQMD states in part:

South Coast Air Quality Management District
letter to City Planning Department
June 1, 2011

The AQMD staff is concerned that the lead agency has not demonstrated that the proposed project will have less than significant operational air quality impacts given that the project could place new sensitive land uses (1) and intensify existing sensitive land uses within 500 feet of the 101 Freeway. The 101 Freeway is a potentially significant source of toxic air pollutants due to the approximate 221,000 vehicles per day that travel along this section. Therefore, consistent with the CARB Land Use Handbook the lead agency should include mitigation in the final EIR that **precludes the placement of new sensitive land uses** or the intensification of existing sensitive land uses **within 500 feet of the 101 Freeway**.

(1) **Sensitive land uses are land uses where sensitive individuals are most likely to spend time, including** schools, schoolyards, **parks**, playgrounds, day care centers, nursing homes, hospitals, and residential communities.

There is no mitigation possible for this deficiency. The City should abandon all efforts to build a park over the Hollywood Freeway.

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