

Communication from Public

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Date Submitted: 01/22/2026 06:05 PM

Council File No: 15-0989-S47

Comments for Public Posting: I am an Angeleno writing to share concerns about the proposed Olympic and Paralympic Planning and Zoning Exemption Ordinance. I understand the importance of the 2028 Games and want them to succeed. However, I am concerned about how the ordinance may affect neighborhoods and residents over the long term. Effects on Daily Life and Public Spaces Projects allowed under the ordinance may involve bright lighting, digital signage, noise, and extended operating hours. Public rights-of-way and nearby residential areas are shared community spaces, and changes of this scale could affect safety, visibility, and quality of life. Long Timeframes for “Temporary” Projects Although the ordinance describes projects as temporary, it allows them to be installed years before the Games and remain long after. Based on past experience, it is difficult to believe that all infrastructure structures (installations) will be removed (as planned). Once something is built, it often becomes part of the landscape. Future Changes Without Review The ordinance allows for later City action to make projects permanent. I am concerned that once digital billboards and ad structures are in place they will remain even though they were installed without Angelenos having had a meaningful opportunity to weigh in or before environmental impacts are fully considered. Request I ask that these concerns be included in the City’s records so that the long-term impacts of the ordinance on neighborhoods and public spaces are fully understood. I request that the exemption for ad structures be returned to the Olympic and Paralympic Zoning Exemption Ordinance. Thank you for your consideration.

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Name: Carrie Tokunaga

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Communication from Public

Name: Ken Lewis

Date Submitted: 01/22/2026 05:10 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: This is a terrible idea to flood L.A. with digital billboards. It will ruin the city and is the polar opposite of what we should be doing for the Olympics.

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Name: John Miller

Date Submitted: 01/22/2026 05:39 PM

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Communication from Public

Name: Ann Dorsey

Date Submitted: 01/22/2026 08:06 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Councilmembers, I urge you reestablish the exemption for ad structures in the Olympic and Paralympic Zoning Exemption Ordinance because of the harm it will do to neighborhoods and residents, which needs to be tracked, so it can be fully understood. Specifically: Effects on Daily Life and Public Spaces Projects allowed under the ordinance may involve bright lighting, digital signage, noise, and extended operating hours. Public rights-of-way and nearby residential areas are shared community spaces, and changes of this scale could affect safety, visibility, and quality of life. Long Timeframes for “Temporary” Projects Although the ordinance describes projects as temporary, it allows them to be installed years before the Games and remain long after. Based on past experience, it is difficult to believe that all infrastructure structures (installations) will be removed (as planned). Once something is built, it often becomes part of the landscape. Future Changes Without Review The ordinance allows for later City action to make projects permanent. I am concerned that once digital billboards and ad structures are in place they will remain even though they were installed without Angelenos having had a meaningful opportunity to weigh in or before environmental impacts are fully considered. Thank you for taking action to protect communities.

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Name: Thomas Britt

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