

## Communication from Public

**Name:** David Rosenstein

**Date Submitted:** 07/01/2026 08:30 AM

**Council File No:** 17-0447-S2

**Comments for Public Posting:** Oil drilling has negatively impacted many of our poorest and at risk communities for decades. IT MUST STOP!!! I'm writing in support of the ordinance to ban new oil and gas drilling throughout Los Angeles and to phase out active wells over the next 20 years. As LA and California continue to grow our renewable energy capabilities, fossil fuels are less and less necessary. In addition, urban drilling has harmed, and will continue to disproportionately harm the health of lower-income residents of LA. Exposure to the emissions from these wells contributes to respiratory illness and is a risk factor in cancer and other health issues. The City Council needs to move LA forward and protect our people and our city environment by passing this ordinance. David Rosenstein

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Charles Saylan

**Date Submitted:** 07/01/2026 09:24 AM

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## Communication from Public

**Name:** Christy Lambertson

**Date Submitted:** 07/01/2026 10:23 AM

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## Communication from Public

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 07/01/2026 11:11 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** I strongly support the ordinance to ban new oil and gas drilling throughout Los Angeles and to phase out active wells over the next 20 years. Our focus should be on the increasing development of renewable energy, not drilling new wells or continuing to extract oil from old ones. Urban drilling has harmed all Los Angeles residents, but especially those in lower income neighborhoods. Exposure to the emissions from these wells contributes to respiratory illness and is a risk factor in cancer and other health issues. The City Council must stop this foolish pursuit of more oil, protect health, and invest in moving us faster toward renewable resources by passing this ordinance.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Duane Bindschadler

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## Communication from Public

**Name:** Dr. Mha Atma S Khalsa and Martha Oaklander

**Date Submitted:** 07/03/2026 08:07 PM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** As long-time Los Angeles, residents, homeowners, business owners, taxpayers and voters. we very strongly support the ordinance to ban new oil and gas drilling throughout Los Angeles and to phase out active wells over the next 20 years. As LA and California continue to grow our renewable energy capabilities, fossil fuels are less and less necessary. In addition, urban drilling has harmed, and will continue to disproportionately harm the health of lower-income residents of LA. Exposure to the emissions from these wells contributes to respiratory illness and is a risk factor in cancer and other health issues. The City Council needs to move LA forward and protect our people and our city environment by passing this ordinance.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Samuel Parnes

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