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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(10) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Impact Information

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Agenda Date: 08-31-2018

Item Number: 3

Summary:



MACARTHUR PARK NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

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VIA E-MAIL COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT

August 31th, 2018

Herb Wesson
Los Angeles City Councilmen, District 10
200 North Spring Street, Room 430
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Councilman Wesson:

On August 31th, 2018, a Brown Act public meeting was held with a quorum of nine board members present. By which a vote of 10 yes, 0 no, 1 ineligible and 6 absent, the MacArthur Park Neighborhood Council (MPNC), adopted the following community impact statement: Concerning the Council to take an official position on Council File Number 18-0392.

MPNC is pleased to support Council File Number 18-0392, regarding the Temporary Bridge Housing Project (TBHP). Our support is primarily motivated by the housing crisis in the MacArthur Park Area. The lack of decent housing has caused many residents to live on the streets. Subsequently, some of these residents suffered from depression, alcoholism and drug addiction. Therefore, the MPCN cannot simply do away with this issue.

Through this initiative the MPCN hopes to give the best opportunity to the homeless.

In addition, this project will have housing navigators, mental health professionals and specialists against drug addiction 24 hours a day and will help the homeless to settle in permanent homes. Also, the area in general will benefit from an increase in patrol by the Los Angeles Police Department.

The MPNC looks forward to the positive impact that this project will generate for our community, despite the challenges that this type initiative have generated in other areas of the City of Los Angeles.

If you have any questions, please call (213) 550-6509.

Sincerely,

Margarita Lopez
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President

MacArthur Park Neighborhood Council

C.C. City of Los Angeles, Mayor Eric Garcetti