

18-1246 - 9-22-21

1 message

City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Sep 27, 2021 at 2:02 PM

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Michael Garcia <kidtowmg@pacbell.net>
To: councilmember.ridley-thomas@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Wed, 22 Sep 2021 02:31:16 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: How can the City say its fighting homelessness but give away 14,740 units of housing? OPPOSE Council Item Number: 18-1246

Councilmember Mark Ridley-Thomas,

Councilmembers are considering a loophole to allow the ultra-wealthy buy second homes and then list them as vacation rentals instead of housing. That would cost Los Angeles an estimated 14,740 housing units. Thousands of housing units have already been lost to short-term rentals. It should be illegal to convert housing into a de-facto hotel. How can you say you are fighting homelessness but then give away thousands of units of housing to wealthy property owners?

I urge you to reject the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246, which would allow second homes to be used as short-term rentals and listed on platforms like Airbnb and VRBO. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you

Michael Garcia
kidtowmg@pacbell.net
2970 San Marino st
Los Angeles , California 90006

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Surish Singh <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
To: councilmember.kevindeleon@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Wed, 22 Sep 2021 01:22:20 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: Your Opposition to Council Item File Number: 18-1246 Is Appreciated

Councilmember Kevin De Leon,

We are in a housing crisis. We appreciate you, Councilmember, for opposing unhosted short-term rentals, which could reduce available housing on the market by allowing the ultra-wealthy to buy second homes and then list them as vacation rentals instead of housing. As you know, this proposed vacation rental ordinance would cost Los Angeles an estimated 14,740 housing units at a time when every unit of housing counts. Thank you for opposing the conversion of homes into de-facto hotels.

We urge the city to enforce the current Home Sharing Ordinance, because we want more housing and a more livable city for us all.

Thank you for doing the right thing.

Surish Singh
surishsingh@gmail.com
236 S Los Angeles St
Los Angeles, California 90012

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Shaquana Harris <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
To: councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Wed, 22 Sep 2021 01:19:10 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: As a Mayoral Candidate OPPOSE Council Item File Number: 18-1246

Hon. Councilmember Joe Buscaino,

You seek to lead the City of Los Angeles. We believe the housing crisis is the most important issue facing our city today. The Vacation Rental Ordinance would take an estimated 14,740 units off the market while we are already in the midst of a dire housing crisis. For the future of our city, please VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance- Council File Number: 18-1246. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you.

Shaquana Harris
laquanaharris12@gmail.com
1708 E. 112 street
Los Angeles , California 90059

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Joy Biagas <peppermintjoi@live.com>
To: councilmember.ridley-thomas@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Wed, 22 Sep 2021 00:03:46 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: LA has an affordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse.

Councilmember Mark Ridley-Thomas,

We face evictions, homelessness, and rising rents. LA has an affordable housing crisis. The proposed Vacation Rental Ordinance would make it much worse by allowing the ultra-wealthy buy second homes and then list them as vacation rentals instead of housing. That would cost Los Angeles an estimated 14,740 housing units.

I urge you to reject the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246, which would allow second homes to be used as short-term rentals and listed on platforms like Airbnb and VRBO. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you

Joy Biagas
peppermintjoi@live.com
4600 Coliseum St
Los Angeles, California 90016-5934

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Marvin Naputi <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
To: councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 23:48:42 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: Please OPPOSE Council Item Number 18-1246, VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance

Hon. Councilmember Joe Buscaino,

I am arguing to reject the vacation rental ordinance

Thank you

Marvin Naputi

Marvin Naputi
mnaputi72@icloud.com

817 S Cabrillo Ave #2
San Pedro CA, California 90731

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Marvin Naputi <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
To: councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 23:41:58 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: I am urging you to reject vocational rental ordinance

Hon. Councilmember Joe Buscaino,

You seek to lead the City of Los Angeles. We believe the housing crisis is the most important issue facing our city today. The Vacation Rental Ordinance would take an estimated 14,740 units off the market while we are already in the midst of a dire housing crisis. For the future of our city, please VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance- Council File Number: 18-1246. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you.

Marvin Naputi
mnaputi72@icloud.com
817S Cabrillo Ave #2
San Pedro CA., California 90731

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Joyce Thomas <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
To: councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 23:12:50 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: Council Item Number 18-1246 would make our affordable housing crisis much worse

Hon. Councilmember Joe Buscaino,

As a Mayoral Candidate, you have campaigned on housing the unhoused. We believe the Vacation Rentals Ordinance would be terrible for affordable housing in our city. A 2019 report found that 7,289 units of housing around Los Angeles, much of it rent-stabilized or affordable

housing, had been lost to short-term rentals. There are already too many illegal short-term rentals in our neighborhoods, making housing more expensive and displacing long-time residents. Please don't let short-term rentals crowd out affordable housing in our city. For the future of our city, please VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you.

Joyce Thomas
joycethomas184@gmail.com
821 W 149 Street
Gardena, California 90247

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Kenneth Scott <ken.scott@lacity.org>
To: councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 21:04:18 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: Council Item Number 18-1246 would make our affordable housing crisis much worse

Hon. Councilman Buscaino,

As a Mayoral Candidate, you have campaigned on housing the unhoused. We believe the Vacation Rentals Ordinance would be terrible for affordable housing in our city. A 2019 report found that 7,289 units of housing around Los Angeles, much of it rent-stabilized or affordable housing, had been lost to short-term rentals. There are already too many illegal short-term rentals in our neighborhoods, making housing more expensive and displacing long-time residents. Please don't let short-term rentals crowd out affordable housing in our city. For the future of our city, please VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you.

Kenneth Scott
ken.scott@lacity.org
PO Box 35856
Los Angeles, California 90035-9998

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Maryam Ramezani <maryamramezani@earthlink.net>
To: councilmember.ridley-thomas@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 19:36:14 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: Council Item File Number: 18-1246 OPPOSE

Councilmember Mark Ridley-Thomas,

A 2019 report found that 7,289 units of housing around Los Angeles, much of it rent-stabilized or affordable housing, had been lost to short-term rentals. There are already too many illegal short-term rentals in our neighborhoods, making housing more expensive and displacing long-time residents. Please don't let short-term rentals crowd out affordable housing in our city.

I urge you to reject the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246, which would allow second homes to be used as short-term rentals and listed on platforms like Airbnb and VRBO. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you.

Maryam Ramezani
maryamramezani@earthlink.net
1285 1/2 S Dunsmuir Ave
Los Angeles, California 90019

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Joseph Coleman <joecool5931@gmail.com>
To: councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org
Cc:
Bcc:
Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 16:03:54 +0000 (UTC)
Subject: LA has an affordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse.

Councilmember Marqueece Harris-Dawson,

We face evictions, homelessness, and rising rents. LA has an affordable housing crisis. The proposed Vacation Rental Ordinance would make it much worse by allowing the ultra-wealthy buy second homes and then list them as vacation rentals instead of housing. That would cost Los Angeles an estimated 14,740 housing units.

I urge you to reject the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246, which would allow second homes to be used as short-term rentals and listed on platforms like Airbnb and

VRBO. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.

Thank you

Joseph Coleman
joecool5931@gmail.com
6523 Crenshaw blvd
Los Angeles , California 90043

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Jeeyeon Kim <info@email.actionnetwork.org>

To: councilmember.ridley-thomas@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org

Cc:

Bcc:

Date: Tue, 21 Sep 2021 14:41:11 +0000 (UTC)

Subject: LA'saffordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse.

Councilmember Mark Ridley-Thomas,

We face evictions, homelessness, and rising rents. LA has an affordable housing crisis. The proposed Vacation Rental Ordinance would make it much worse by allowing the ultra-wealthy buy second homes and then list them as vacation rentals instead of housing. That would cost Los Angeles an estimated 14,740 housing units.

I urge you to reject the Vacation Rental Ordinance, Council File Number: 18-1246, which would allow second homes to be used as short-term rentals and listed on platforms like Airbnb and VRBO. We need more aggressive enforcement of the current home-sharing ordinance, not more loopholes that convert affordable housing into illegal hotels in our neighborhoods.











Thank you,

Jeeyeon Kim
jeanrpr@gmail.com
917 S New Hampshire Ave, Unit 112
Los Angeles, California 90006

11 attachments

 **How can the City say its fighting homelessness but give away 14,740 units of housing? OPPOSE Council Item Number: 18-1246.eml**

11K

-  **Your Opposition to Council Item File Number: 18-1246 Is Appreciated.eml**
11K
-  **As a Mayoral Candidate OPPOSE Council Item File Number: 18-1246.eml**
10K
-  **LA has an affordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse..eml**
11K
-  **Please OPPOSE Council Item Number 18-1246, VOTE NO on the Vacation Rental Ordinance.eml**
10K
-  **I am urging you to reject vocational rental ordinance.eml**
10K
-  **Council Item Number 18-1246 would make our affordable housing crisis much worse.eml**
11K
-  **Council Item Number 18-1246 would make our affordable housing crisis much worse.eml**
11K
-  **Council Item File Number: 18-1246 OPPOSE.eml**
11K
-  **LA has an affordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse..eml**
11K
-  **LA'saffordable housing crisis. Council Item Number 18-1246 would make it much worse..eml**
11K