



Your Community Impact Statement Submittal - Council File Number: 19-1020

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A Neighborhood Council Community Impact Statement (CIS) has been successfully submitted to your Commission or City Council. We provided information below about CISs and attached a copy of the CIS.

We encourage you to reach out to the Community Impact Statement Filer to acknowledge receipt and if this Community Impact Statement will be scheduled at a future meeting. Neighborhood Council board members are volunteers and it would be helpful if they received confirmation that you received their CIS.

The CIS process was enabled by the Los Angeles Administrative Code §Section 22.819. It provides that, "a Neighborhood Council may take a formal position on a matter by way of a Community Impact Statement (CIS) or written resolution." NCs representatives also testify before City Boards and Commissions on the item related to their CIS. If the Neighborhood Council chooses to do so, the Neighborhood Council representative must provide the Commission with a copy of the CIS or rResolution sufficiently in advance for review, possible inclusion on the agenda, and posting on the Commission's website. Any information you can provide related to your agenda setting schedule is helpful to share with the NC.

If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *listed on the Commission's agenda*, during the time the matter is heard, the designated Neighborhood Council representative should be given an opportunity to present the Neighborhood Council's formal position. We encourage becoming familiar with the City Council's rules on the subject. At the Chair's discretion, the Neighborhood Council representative may be asked to have a seat at the table (or equivalent for a virtual meeting) typically reserved for City staff and may provide the Neighborhood Council representative more time than allotted to members of the general public. They are also permitted up to five (5) minutes of time to address the legislative body. If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *not listed on the agenda*, the designated Neighborhood Council representative may speak during General Public Comments.

We share this information to assist you with the docketing neighborhood council items before your board/commission. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at empowerla@lacity.org.

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Contact Information

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(8) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)
Date of NC Board Action: 10/15/2024
Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information

Date: 11/05/2024
Update to a Previous Input: No
Directed To: City Council and Committees
Council File Number: 19-1020
City Planning Number:
Agenda Date:
Item Number:

Summary: When housing investments for the unhoused fail, the failure is incongruously blamed on people who are in need of housing, not the people who approved, designed, or administered the housing investments. It is of the utmost importance in this emergency to treat the unhoused currently experiencing homelessness in the City of Los Angeles as valued customers whose input is needed to ensure the effective functioning of the systems that are supposed to address their housing and shelter needs. The Motion for Council File 19-1020 authorized the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), with the assistance of other departments or agencies as appropriate, to make recommendations to the City Council on the most effective way to establish a Commission on Lived Experience with Homelessness (CLEH), composed entirely of people who are currently, or have been in the recent past, homeless in Los Angeles. On March 30, 2022, the CLA provided the requested analysis and report to create the CLEH, which was then referred and approved by the Homelessness and Poverty Committee on October 27, 2022. On November 22, 2022, the LA City Council adopted the Homeless and Poverty Committee Report relative to preparing an ordinance to establish the CLEH, under the Civil, Human Rights and Equity Department (CHRED); and identifying the budgeting and staffing resources necessary for the establishment of a CLEH. There were also recommendations for the City Attorney, with assistance of the CLA, to prepare and present an ordinance to establish a CLEH under the CHRED and for the City Administrative Officer to identify a source of funding for the CLEH. Since November 22, 2022, there has been no action on this Council File and Council File 19-1020 expires on November 18, 2024. Therefore, the Rampart Village Neighborhood Council joins the Reseda Neighborhood Council in requesting that the LA City Council take immediate action to keep this Council File alive and to truly invest in bringing the CLEH to life.

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**Community Impact Statement
Commission on Lived Experience with Homelessness
Council File 19-1020**

October 15, 2024

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In service,
Rampart Village Neighborhood Council

PRESENTED BY: Lara Morrison
SECONDED BY: Gaines Newborn
YES: 8 NO: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 ABSENT: 1 INELIGIBLE: 0
ON THIS DATE: October 15, 2024