
Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: alisa salvador <alisasalvador@hotmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:51 PM

Hello,

My name is Alisa Salvador. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need.

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While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it.

Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: c a <lynnsgunn1@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:49 PM

Hello,

My name is C. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: 'mia levy' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:39 PM

Hello,

My name is Mia Levy. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,
Mia Levy

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Budget restructuring and DEFUNDING POLICE

1 message

From: Margaux Phares <margaux.phares@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:33 PM

Hello,

I hope this email finds you well. My name is Margaux, a resident of New Paltz, NY. I am emailing to demand restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities – and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Margaux

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1 message

From: Amal Ali <amal.ali.2011@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:14 PM

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My name is Amal Ali. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Amal Ali

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From: Jenna.solis.20 January123 <jennasolis48@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:27 PM

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My name is Jenna Solis. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
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From: 'Bashar Subeh' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:15 PM

Hello,

My name is Bashar Subeh. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Bashar Subeh

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:10 PM

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Sincerely,
Huda Herwees

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Aashika Patel <aashikapatel@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:02 PM

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Sincerely,

Aashika Patel

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Azalia <azaliaescalera27@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:55 PM

Hello,

My name is Azalia Escalera. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Azalia Escalera

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:45 PM

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Sincerely,
Grace Gosson
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1 message

From: Marina Elkess <elkess1998@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:44 PM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Marina Elkess

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Kira Treat <treatkira@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:39 PM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Kira Treat

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From: Mutaz Maki <mutazmaki@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:32 PM

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1 message

From: Elana Stein <elanastein@csu.fullerton.edu>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:23 PM

Hello, My name is Elana Stein. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it.

Sincerely,
Elana Stein

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1 message

From: Briana Torres <briianatorres00@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:19 PM

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Eva Davidson

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:07 PM

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Sincerely,

Isabel Morales

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Nadira Johnson <nadira.johnson13@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:07 PM

Hello,

My name is Nadira Johnson. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Nadira Johnson

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1 message

From: S.C. Stepney <scstepney@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:02 PM

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Diana Park <dp.greentea@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, David.Ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:57 PM

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1 message

From: Hanna Hupp <hannagarlidhupp@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:52 PM

Hello,

My name is Hanna Hupp. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Restructuring of Our City Budget

1 message

From: Anthony Santiago <anthony.santiago160@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Brenda Reyes-Chavez <breyeschavez.info@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Fri, Jun 5, 2020 at 9:38 PM

Hello,

My name is Brenda Reyes-Chavez. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Phillips, Danielle W <phillipsd@etown.edu>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:34 PM

Hello,

My name is [insert name]. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: <lag22987@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:33 PM

Hello,

My name is Luis Gomez. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Luis

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1 message

From: Lynette Saucedo <lynettesauceda7@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:31 PM

Hello,

My name is Lynette Saucedo. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Ashley Nozoe <a.nozoe@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:31 PM

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My name is Ashley Nozoe. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Ashley Nozoe

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Beth Isensee <beth.isensee@sbcglobal.net>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:19 PM

Hello,

My name is Beth Isensee . I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Hailey Smith <hailey.mae@hotmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:17 PM

Hello,

My name is Hailey Smith. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Respectfully,
Hailey Smith

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1 message

From: 'Eliza Beglari' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:12 PM

Hello,

My name is Eliza Beglari. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Shana Yang <shanayang96@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:07 PM

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Sincerely,
Shana Yang

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Gabriella Howe <gabriella.marieh@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:04 PM

Hello,

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Joshua Sanchez <joshcole0604@live.com>

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:03 PM

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Sincerely,
Joshua Cole Sanchez

Sent from my iPhone

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Monika Rao <msrao95@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:52 PM

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1 message

From: Manasa Reddy <reddy07012@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:50 PM

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1 message

From: lily shamel <leah.love58@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:46 PM

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Winnie L <winnielamwl@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:42 PM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:37 PM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:23 PM

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Sincerely,
Jacob Gutierrez

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1 message

From: Cabigas, Amalia R <CabigasAR08@uww.edu>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:20 PM

Hello,

My name is Amalia I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Amalia

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Addie Ferguson <addie Ferguson@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:20 PM

Hello,

My name is Addie Ferguson. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,
Addie Ferguson

Sent from my iPhone

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We Need a People's Budget

1 message

From: Hamilton Oh <hamiltonoh@ucla.edu>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:16 PM

Hello,

My name is Hamilton Oh. I am a student from UCLA and I am emailing you to demand a change in the LA county's budget. You have agreed to a \$150 million cut in LAPD, but that is less than 5% of the LAPD budget. That is SO LITTLE in the grand scheme of things. To make REAL LONG-TERM change, you must divest more from the LAPD and invest in the PEOPLE.

The use of excessive force, especially towards Black and Brown communities, warrants divestment from the police. Here is a link to a google drive containing compiled videos of police brutality just in the recent weeks: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1zniqs5KIQJffey_FOHDlb-Ghy0Hikl_w

I am not saying to defund the police entirely. But surely we do not need as much as 50% of the LA budget to go LAPD. We must invest in alternative ways to protect and advance our community. We must invest in EDUCATION, HEALTHCARE, LOCAL BUSINESSES, PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, transform the model of response to emergencies by including social workers and having police ONLY for safety. Here tackle the root CAUSE of crime rather than cover it up with a bandaid that only causes more pain.

You all have the power to make real long-term changes to benefit our community. We voted you into office to do so. We will be watching you and holding you accountable.

Sincerely,
Hamilton Oh

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1 message

From: Ashley Castillo <ashleympcastillo@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:13 PM

Hello,

My name is Ashley Patzan-Castillo. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Ashley Patzan-Castillo

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: <theatregeek143@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:04 PM

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Sincerely,
Amy K

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1 message

From: <amy.kneepkens@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:04 PM

Hello,

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1 message

From: Victoria Abreu <victoriabreu@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:00 PM

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1 message

From: sky meyer <skylivmeyer@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:49 PM

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Sincerely,
sky

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Maribel Wright <maribelwright23@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:46 PM

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1 message

From: sylvia-carlson-roberts via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:42 PM

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From: Shefali Appali <shefali.appali@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:40 PM

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2 messages

From: Heidi Nyx <heidinyx@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:33 PM

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Sincerely,
Heidi Feliciano

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From: Heidi Nyx <heidinyx@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:39 PM

Hello,

My name is [insert name]. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
[your name]

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1 message

From: Halima Sheikhnor <halimasheikhnor@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:32 PM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Halima Sheikhnor

Sent from my iPhone

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Millen Srivastava <msrivas98@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:26 PM

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Sincerely,
Millen

Sent from my iPhone

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Richard <richard.eggly@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:25 PM

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Sincerely,
Richard

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1 message

From: Kaitlyn Weaver <kaitlyncweaver@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:21 PM

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Sincerely,
Kaitlyn Weaver

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Karlee Marusik <karlee.marusik@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:16 PM

Hello,

My name is Karlee. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Karlee

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1 message

From: Patty Castellanos <pattyycastellanos@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:08 PM

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Yasmin Torabi <torabi.yasmin@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:01 PM

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Sincerely,
Yasmin Torabi

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1 message

From: Sarah Shannon <sarahem.shannon@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:59 PM

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Sincerely,
Sarah Shannon

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: natalie garcia <g.natalie1218@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:53 PM

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Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: shaun.kaminoff@gmail.com <shaun.kaminoff@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:52 PM

Hello,

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Thanks!

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1 message

From: Kate Rowe <krowe009@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:41 PM

Hello,

My name is Kate. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Marvin Garcia <gmarvin540@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Kayla Hill <kaylanhill19@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:30 PM

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Sincerely,
Kayla Hill

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Budget

1 message

From: Nathalie Elzayn <elzayn.nathalie@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:22 PM

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My name is Nathalie Elzayn. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department. In Minneapolis we've already seen city council pledge to defund and dismantle the police. I would like to see LA do the same. I would like to see LA be on the right side of history, to be forward thinking, to be revolutionary.

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1 message

From: Nanami Endo <namnamsk8@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:16 PM

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1 message

From: ari villegas <anavillegas344@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:02 PM

Hello, My name is Ariana Villegas. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it. Sincerely, Ariana

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1 message

From: mari Brossfield <brossfieldm@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:58 PM

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Sincerely,
Mari Brossfield

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Owen Weitzel <on.weitzel@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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2 messages

From: <sempleeliza16@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:49 PM

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From: Joann Cai <joanncai24@gmail.com>

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1 message

From: Hannah L <hniebs929@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:39 PM

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Sincerely,
Hannah

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1 message

From: Clara Medina Maya <cmedinamaya@ucmerced.edu>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:21 PM

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My name is Clara Medina. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Clara

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1 message

From: 'Rebecca Ki' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:20 PM

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1 message

From: Ryan Leader <ryaneleader@gmail.com>

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1 message

From: 'Ben Benecke' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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1 message

From: Naomi Elizee <naomielizee@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:11 PM

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1 message

From: Chicken nuggets <kaidyncesales0@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:02 PM

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1 message

From: Adrianna Chido <adrianna_chido@hotmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:59 PM

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[your name]

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1 message

From: Samantha Frazier <samanthafrazier4@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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1 message

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Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Christina <christina.vfh@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:46 PM

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Natalie Rowland

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Lucas Kent <lucaskenttt@hotmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:41 PM

Hello,

My name is Lucas. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Lucas Kent
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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Greg Gilreath <greggilreath@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:40 PM

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1 message

From: hector junior <hectorpalacios97@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:28 PM

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My name is Hector Palacios. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: 'ramses castro' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:25 PM

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From: Ahladini Veerina <maplelads101@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:21 PM

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1 message

From: Cassidy Marie Farrow <cmf28@uw.edu>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:18 PM

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From: Alanna Wagy <alannawagy@gmail.com>

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Sincerely,

Alanna Wagy
954-288-8465

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1 message

From: 'Samantha Matcovsky' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:17 PM

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1 message

From: Abe <abrahamelraheb@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:09 PM

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Sincerely,
Abe El-Raheb

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From: Disasterina Dragkwene <disasterina@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:06 PM

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1 message

From: Mimi Nuckols <miminuckols@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.Krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.Lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, CityClerk@lacity.org, mayor.helpdesk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:06 PM

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:58 PM

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From: andrew a <andrewmichaelaguirre@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:56 PM

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1 message

From: ALBERT ACOSTA <albertaco@g.ucla.edu>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:55 PM

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1 message

From: lea aaa <leamartins421@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:38 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely, Lea.

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Please, it's time for a true change..

1 message

From: Daniel Bay <register@lindenbay.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:31 AM

Hello, My name is Daniel, I am a resident of Los Angeles City. It is time to truly demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, and prove where our priorities truly lie. It's time to reallocate the ridiculously distorted police budget of \$1,857,330,549 to directly benefit those in need. Fighting racism, rehabilitating and housing the homeless, strengthening education, maintain and updating city infrastructure, supporting the unemployed, and so much should be prioritized to TRULY support, not suppress, our community. LA is a beacon of hope to many, and the \$150 million reallocation is a start but not nearly enough. This is about proving what it is our community really cares about, and you have the power to create that change.

Please.

Daniel Su

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1 message

From: 'Kailee Chang' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:27 AM

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Sincerely,
Kailee Chang

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Annie Simon <anniesimon1088@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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From: Rebecca Miller <rebecca.miller4915@gmail.com>

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From: Caitlin Cummiskey <caitlinrose@gmail.com>

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From: Micaela Leone <micaelamaria0@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:18 AM

Hello,

My name is Micaela Leone. I am a resident of North Hollywood and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Defund LAPD in light of Recent Events

1 message

From: Matt Pham <pham.matt1@gmail.com>

To: mayor.helpdesk@lacity.org, mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, ethics.commission@lacity.org, hrcinfo@lacity.org, caroline.toren@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org, empowerla@lacity.org, contact.lapdonline@gmail.com, communityrelationsoig@lacity.org, info@lappl.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:17 AM

Hi Mayor, Boards and Reps,

My name is Matt Pham and I am a resident of Los Angeles. I recently became aware of Laura Montilla's experience with the LAPD and I think you should too.

Laura Montilla is a recent graduate of the University of Southern California and has been living in Los Angeles for the past four years. She was unjustly arrested while peacefully protesting in Downtown LA on Monday, June 1st. Her story shows clear illegal action and emotional and physical abuse committed by the LAPD. She posted her detailed experience on her Instagram. The story below her word-for-word testimony. Please continue reading below -

"I was arrested for peacefully protesting in DTLA. When people tried to leave the protest, as we had now passed the updated curfew (at 4:21 they changed the curfew from 6pm to 5pm) & police tension increased, we realized we were cornered. There were hundreds HUNDREDS of cops and national guards that cut us off for blocks. Those who tried to leave peacefully were jumped on by multiple men and tased. Everyone was peaceful, getting on their knees and even laying face down to show compliance. Then each person was arrested. What happened next was not only unnecessary and illegal, but inhumane. We were zip-tied and put in cages on a bus separated by gender, and without telling us where we were going, they took us to a cemetery parking lot and left us there for five hours. My zip-ties were so tight that when they finally were cut off, I couldn't even hold my arm up to sign my citation or feel my right hand. Days later I still have painful bruises. We were never read our Miranda rights. When I asked where we were being transported, the cops admitted they had no idea. They turned the lights off, leaving us in the dark, cuffed. People started having panic attacks, even pissing themselves. We called for help as a mentally-ill woman (a homeless woman who wasn't even protesting but was ripped from the street) began having a major panic attack. An officer came on board to "help" by drowning out the sound of her cries with BLARING HEAVY METAL & ROCK MUSIC. The music was so deafening and triggering that more girls on the bus had attacks, so we begged for them to turn it off. After 20 minutes they finally did, so again, we asked if we could 1. Get medical attention for those who needed it and 2. At least know where we were/ how long we'd maybe be there. There were too many people speaking at once, so I volunteered to ask the officer for us. As we piled together in cages, I stood up because he said he couldn't see where the voice was coming from. When I stood up to ask, he reached for his gun and threatened me. Even though I was clearly still cuffed. Had no possessions. (Trust me they checked my vagina more than my pockets) (4 times to be exact although I was cuffed the entire time with my possessions removed) We received no clear answers. When I got off the bus, an officer told me I was in Westwood (an hour away from home). We had to point out what bag was ours from a giant pile & I had a small black fanny pack way at the end. They ask which is mine & I'm still cuffed, so I just point my head. I SLIGHTLY LEAN SLOWLY & MULTIPLE MEN GRAB THEIR GUNS READY TO SHOOT ME!??? When we were finally let off the bus, a girl slipped out of one of her cuffs, so a cop pulled it tighter. She expressed that it was too tight, so the cop responded by laughing in her face & making it even tighter to the point where she cried in pain until another officer said it went too far. They attempted to cut the cuff with bolt cutters but only managed to slice her hand open & left the cuff on for her to figure out how to remove it herself. She was sent up the hill in the dark, still cuffed, bleeding and phone-less. My phone has been dead for hours at this point, so I asked if I could borrow a charger or use their phone to call someone. An officer told me no, that I had to figure it out, but I could walk up the hill into a nearby neighborhood & hopefully find a safe option there. So they abandoned a bunch of young women into an unknown neighborhood at midnight, phones dead. But don't worry, they wished us the best! No really, it was very reassuring to be sent off with the final wishes of, "hope you find a way home safely," from someone whose job is to keep me safe. I caught a ride with a stranger who thankfully proved to be friendly. I pray no one was kidnapped that night. By no means did we experience the level of brutality the black community has faced & faces daily. But to witness even a taste of the mockery. The inhumanity. The EVIL of the LAPD. No desire to protect. No conscience. A fulfillment from belittling others and abusing power. This is unacceptable. p.s. they weren't even wearing face masks."

Please share her story. Please bring this to other people's attention. This is just one example of the thousands of complaints, wrongdoings, and illegal actions taken by the police. If you are in a position to make a change and fix this broken system, please do so. I am tired of hearing disturbing stories about the police; a group that is supposed to keep people safe and out of harm's way. Be the change. And do it faster.

Sincerely,
Matt Pham

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1 message

From: Hannah Branchley <brenchleyh@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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From: Jylida Hernandez <j.michoacan92@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:15 AM

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:10 AM

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From: Rajneet Sandhu <sandhu.rajneet15@gmail.com>

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:08 AM

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:04 AM

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From: Marcus Lindsey <marcus.jlind@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:57 AM

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From: Anthony Rosas <arosas1996@gmail.com>

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1 message

From: Nicolas Vargas <nicolas.vargas2016@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:56 AM

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Sincerely,
Nicolas Vargas

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1 message

From: Alexia Markopoulos <alexianmarko@gmail.com>

To: CityClerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:47 AM

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My name is Alexia Markopoulos. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Chloe Ney <chloevney@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:43 AM

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Sincerely,
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Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Kendrick Canizales <kendrickcanizales@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Katharina Quijada Link <qlink4@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:37 AM

Hello,

My name is Katharina Quijada Link. I am a resident of West Palm Beach and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Sarah Al-Qatou <sarah.alqatou@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:37 AM

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Thank you for your time,
Sarah Al-Qatou

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1 message

From: Sara Powers <sarasuperpowers@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:36 AM

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Sincerely,
Sara Powers

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1 message

From: Rebecca Arnold <2010ra2010@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:35 AM

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Sincerely,

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1 message

From: Gurjot Kohli <gurjot.s.kohli@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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2 messages

From: 'Elizabeth Palomo' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:25 AM

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Sincerely,
Elizabeth Palomo

Sent from Yahoo Mail for iPhone

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From: 'Francesca Murphy' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:33 AM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:26 AM

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1 message

From: Alina Bonto <abonto96@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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1 message

From: Ciara Kelly <13ciarakelly@gmail.com>

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1 message

From: Erika Mendoza <erika.mendoza@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:30 AM

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Anna Asher <aiasher924@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:15 AM

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Sincerely,
Anna

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1 message

From: Olly Sholotan <ollysho@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:14 AM

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1 message

From: Charlotte Smith <charsmith141@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:11 AM

Hello,

My name is Charlotte Smith. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,
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We demand a People's Budget

1 message

From: Sophia Allison <sophia.allison@gmail.com>

To: mayor.helpdesk@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.Krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org, contact.lapdonline@gmail.com, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, sheila@bos.lacounty.gov, info@ceo.lacounty.gov, recorder@rrcc.lacounty.gov

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:10 AM

I am a resident of City District 4. **I am writing to demand that the City Council adopt a People's Budget that prioritizes community wellbeing and redirects funding away from the police. We are in the midst of widespread upheaval over the systemic violence of policing, embodied by the LAPD's well documented history of murdering Black people.** We will no longer accept empty gestures and suggestions of "reform." This includes Mayor Garcetti's paltry 5% proposed cut with no clarity as to where these funds will be redirected, if at all. We are demanding that our voices be heard now, and that real change be made to the way this city allocates its resources. We are in the midst of a pandemic with severe economic consequences.

Over 50% of Angelenos are unemployed, and we can expect 42% lasting unemployment. Over 50% of those in this city are renters. **When people are unemployed, they cannot pay rent. Prior to the pandemic, 60k people were unhoused;** the evictions and economic insecurity caused by COVID-19 will bring that number even higher.

We demand that the City Council meaningfully defund the LAPD. We join the calls of those across the country to #DefundThePolice. **We demand a budget that adequately and effectively meets the needs of at-risk Angelenos during this trying and uncertain time, when livelihoods are on the line. We demand a budget that supports community wellbeing, rather than empowers the police forces that tear them apart.**

Although City Council has avoided voting or revising Mayor Garcetti's draconian budget proposal, **the document is back in your hands. It is your duty to represent your constituents. I am urging you to completely revise the LA budget for 2020-2021 fiscal year, and to fund #CareNotCops. You need to adopt a People's Budget. Public opinion is with me.**

Thank you for your time,
Sophia Allison
sophia.allison@gmail.com
323-445-0247
LA, CA 90027

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1 message

From: Michelle Hines <michluvssoccer@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:09 AM

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Sincerely,
Michelle Hines

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1 message

From: 'Aneri Chouhan' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:08 AM

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Sincerely,
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Sent from my iPhone

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Mouda 9ty9 <moudachirou2000@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:05 AM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:05 AM

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1 message

From: Yashes Srinivasan <yashess@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:04 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Laura Formisano <lef316@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:03 AM

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Sincerely,
Laura Formisano

Sent from my iPhone - you know how that goes sometimes

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1 message

From: Lakesha Huntsman <lakeshadhuntsman@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 9:00 AM

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1 message

From: ludd <hatefulholos@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:58 AM

Hello,

My name is Carol. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Carol

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LA BUDGET DECISION JUNE 8TH

1 message

From: Samantha Schwear <samschwear@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, contact.lapdonline@gmail.com, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:54 AM

Hi, my name is Samantha Schwear and I live in the City of LA. I urge you and the rest of the city council to reject the Mayor's proposed budget. The City's proposed budget does not reflect the priorities and values of Los Angeles residents. In this time of global pandemic and the fight to end systemic racism, the city budget should reflect the values and needs of the people you serve. The police don't need more funding, your constituents who are suffering under these racist systems do. I support the HealthyLA Coalition and the People's Budget LA Coalition in efforts to push the city to defund the police and reallocate resources to the following housing programs:

- The acquisition and rehabilitation of multi-family buildings & single-family homes. Investing \$310,000 per unit for multi-family units and \$450,000 per single family home, the total program cost would be approximately \$690,000,000 for Year 1 and result in 2,000 units of housing
- Invest \$70,000,000 in a fully-funded Right to Counsel and Eviction Defense Program that includes legal defense, tenant outreach and education and targeted rental assistance.
- Fund HCID to enforce existing tenant protections. This is critical during a time of expected and unprecedented waves of evictions looming.
- Create a Pilot Social Housing Program.
- Provide developers with gap financing to ensure affordable housing construction projects are completed in a timely manner.
- Commit CARES and general funds dollars to finance and operate supportive housing units.

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1 message

From: Ansel Shipley <anselcs@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:44 AM

Hello,

My name is Ansel Shipley. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Tahnee Cadrez <tahneelcadrez@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:33 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Tahnee Freda

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1 message

From: Nathaly Barrios <nathaly336barrios@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:33 AM

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Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Michael Sirmay <masirmay@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:26 AM

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Sincerely,
Michael Sirmay

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Samuel Muthiah <samuel.a.muthiah@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:23 AM

Hello,

My name is Samuel DeWilde Muthiah. I grew up as a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Abby Aitken <abbyaitken817@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:21 AM

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Sincerely,
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Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Mia Kolomatsky <mkolomatsky@wesleyan.edu>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:16 AM

Hello,

My name is Mia Kolomatsky. I am a resident of New York City and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: 'Jean Carlos Arce' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:15 AM

Hello,

My name is JC. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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It's time to imagine a different future.

JC

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Steven Chen <stvnchn8@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:12 AM

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1 message

From: Ashley Moore <ashleyrmoore@gmail.com>

To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, "councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org" <councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org" <councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>, "paul.koretz@lacity.org" <paul.koretz@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org" <councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org" <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.price@lacity.org" <councilmember.price@lacity.org>, "councilmember.wesson@lacity.org" <councilmember.wesson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.bonin@lacity.org" <councilmember.bonin@lacity.org>, "councilmember.lee@lacity.org" <councilmember.lee@lacity.org>, "councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org" <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, "councilmember.huizar@lacity.org" <councilmember.huizar@lacity.org>, "cd15@lacity.org" <cd15@lacity.org>, "councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org>, "controller.galperin@lacity.org" <controller.galperin@lacity.org>, "richard.llewellyn@lacity.org" <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, "cityclerk@lacity.org" <cityclerk@lacity.org>

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:49 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,

Ashley Moore

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1 message

From: Andrea Peralta <andrea.peralta05@live.com>

To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, "councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org" <councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org" <councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>, "paul.koretz@lacity.org" <paul.koretz@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org" <councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org" <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.price@lacity.org" <councilmember.price@lacity.org>, "councilmember.wesson@lacity.org" <councilmember.wesson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.bonin@lacity.org" <councilmember.bonin@lacity.org>, "councilmember.lee@lacity.org" <councilmember.lee@lacity.org>, "councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org" <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, "councilmember.huizar@lacity.org" <councilmember.huizar@lacity.org>, "cd15@lacity.org" <cd15@lacity.org>, "councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org>, "controller.galperin@lacity.org" <controller.galperin@lacity.org>, "richard.llewellyn@lacity.org" <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, "cityclerk@lacity.org" <cityclerk@lacity.org>

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 8:02 AM

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Sincerely,
Andrea Peralta

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Tatiana Ramirez <tatiramirezana@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:59 AM

Hello,

My name is Tatiana Ramirez. I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Elli Jackson <jacksonhardin3621@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:59 AM

Hello,

My name is Emiliana Jackson. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:50 AM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:38 AM

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 7:13 AM

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Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Areli Bustos <areliabustos@gmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:58 AM

Hello,

My name is Areli Bustos. I am a resident of Albuquerque and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: Aidan McCready <aidanm187@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:57 AM

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Sincerely,
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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:48 AM

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Sincerely,
Ashley Berg

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1 message

From: Amelia Greene <amelia7greene@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:39 AM

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Sincerely,
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Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Jardine Hammond <jardineh@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:36 AM

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Sincerely,
Jardine Hammond
2832 Waverly Dr.
Los Angeles CA
90039

Sent using big fingers on a tiny type pad

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1 message

From: A. Tooley <amandattooley@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,
Skye

Skye Tooley

Pronouns: they/them

Educator, LAUSD

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1 message

From: 'Danielle Munguia' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:34 AM

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Sincerely,
Danielle Munguia

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Michael Warker <m19w98@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 6:40 AM

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Sincerely, Michael Warker

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1 message

From: Sayde Perry <sayde.p12@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,
Sayde

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1 message

From: Andreas Schneider <andreas.schneider@drinkbuchi.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:48 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Andreas

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1 message

From: Eyal Li <eyaldanli97@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:31 AM

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1 message

From: Rachel <rachel232001@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:09 AM

Hello, My name is Rachel Davis. I am not a resident of Los Angeles County but I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it. Sincerely, Rachel Davis.

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1 message

From: Angus Fletcher <angusfletcher1@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 5:02 AM

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Sincerely,
Angus Fletcher

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1 message

From: Maily Nguyen <mnguyen1125@student.cccd.edu>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:42 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Maily

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: 'ashley smith' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:42 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
[your name]

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1 message

From: Maja Wadling <majsanfotboll@hotmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:26 AM

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3 messages

From: Carson Taylor <carsontaylor56@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,
Carson Taylor

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At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 4:25 AM

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My name is Carson Taylor. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,
Carson Taylor

Sent from my iPhone

Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: Amelian Kashiro Hamilton <amelian.kashiro@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:41 AM

Hello,

My name is [insert name]. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
[your name]

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1 message

From: 'aaron gray' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:07 AM

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Sincerely,
Aaron Gray

Sent from my iPhone

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

From: Ryan Ducar <ryanducar4@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:43 AM

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Sincerely,
Ryan

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1 message

From: Jenny bockoff <jennybock@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:27 AM

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Sincerely,
Jenny Bockoff

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: 'Rose Ramos' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:18 AM

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My name is Emely. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Emely.

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1 message

From: Eden Aberra <eaberra1@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:08 AM

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Sincerely,
Eden Aberra

Eden Aberra
University of California, Los Angeles
Biology, B.S. | Class of 2019
Contact: 949-542-2948

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1 message

From: Sage <scuza31@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:02 AM

Hello, My name is Sage Cuza. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30 of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it.

Sincerely,

Sage Cuza

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1 message

From: 'Andrea Coyle' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:01 AM

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: sergio rios <sergioloveshappywheels@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:00 AM

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1 message

From: alex koretov <alexkoretov@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:01 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
Alexandra

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1 message

From: <gminternet9@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:49 AM

Hello,

My name is Geri. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Geri

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1 message

From: John Qudoe Lee <johnqudoe@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:45 AM

Hello,

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Sincerely,
John lee

Sent from my iPhone

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1 message

From: Daniel Lee <youngbean020311@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:36 AM

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Sincerely, Daniel Lee

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1 message

From: 'Emilie Flores' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:28 AM

Hello,

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1 message

From: Lillian Luong <lillianluong515@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:28 AM

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Thank you,
Lillian Luong

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1 message

From: Lily Olsen <lillevennolsen@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sat, Jun 6, 2020 at 1:42 PM

Hello,

My name is Lily Olsen. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,

Lily Olsen

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1 message

From: 'Max Kessler' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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2 messages

From: 'Rabi Kadana' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sat, Jun 6, 2020 at 11:38 PM

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Sincerely,
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From: 'Erica Ritter' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:58 AM

Hello,

My name is Erica Ritter. I am a resident of Reno and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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1 message

From: 'Tamira Lofton' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:55 AM

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1 message

From: Hawa Yusuf <hawayusuf31@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:54 AM

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1 message

From: Markus Shields <dancemarkusshields@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Thu, Jun 4, 2020 at 12:14 AM

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From: JOEY NAREZ <jgnarez1@g.ucla.edu>

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1 message

From: Jasmine Tucker <jasmine.victoriat85@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:42 PM

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1 message

From: Manvir Dhaliwal <manud212@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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1 message

From: LAUREN PHAN <laurennphan@g.ucla.edu>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:40 PM

Hello,

My name is Lauren Phan. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Lauren Phan

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1 message

From: Angela Frazier <angelalovesdolphins@gmail.com>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:40 PM

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My name is Angela. I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
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1 message

From: Maia Gagar <maianoelani@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:38 PM

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Sincerely,
Maia

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1 message

From: McKenzie Koch <kenzieq21@gmail.com>
To: "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:37 PM

Hello,

My name is McKenzie Koch. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
McKenzie Koch
UCLA 2021
mqkoch@g.ucla.edu

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We Demand Justice Now

1 message

From: Benjamin Chan <benc17.bc@gmail.com>

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:32 PM

To Whom It May Concern,

My name is Benjamin Chan and I am a resident of West Los Angeles, California. I am writing to demand the following legislative changes you can make to eradicate the decimation of Black people at the hands of police officers.

The following is a compilation of background information and implementation strategies for necessary legislative actions derived from collecting the pleas of Black organizers, activists, and journalists:

1. Redirect Police Funding

Phillip McHarris (doctoral candidate focusing on race) and Thenjiwe McHarris (strategist with the Movement for Black Lives) [explain the problem](#) with current police reform efforts:

"More training or diversity among police officers won't end police brutality, nor will firing and charging individual officers. Look at the Minneapolis Police Department, which is held up as a model of progressive police reform. The department offers procedural justice as well as trainings for implicit bias, mindfulness and de-escalation. It embraces community policing and officer diversity, bans 'warrior style' policing, uses body cameras, implemented an early intervention system to identify problematic officers, receives training around mental health crisis intervention, and practices 'reconciliation' efforts in communities of color."

Evidently, that was not enough. Instead of heightening the resources that officers have, they advocate redirecting funds to alternative emergency response programs, which can also be fueled by state-level and local-level grants. The McHarris' argument is that we should work towards a reality in which healthcare workers and emergency response teams should handle substance abuse, domestic violence, homelessness, or mental health cases, while rapid response social workers provide individuals with the care they need. Community organizers would be responsible for spearheading responses to the pandemic. "The average police recruit spends [58 hours learning how to shoot and only 8 hours learning how to de-escalate](#)." Police officers are not trained nor necessary in reacting to such crises—specialized responders are.

Most police funding is budgeted and taxed at the local level, with city-level and county-level votes periodically increasing budgets. In 2017, [Oakland allocated the highest share of its general fund to policing](#) nationwide, at 41 percent and \$242.5 million. It is crucial to establish state-level and local-level bans on heightening police funds, while simultaneously redirecting budgets to the aforementioned alternatives.

For-profit policing is a large culprit. Even though [Governor Brown's 2016 bill](#) helped protect Californians from civil asset forfeitures, this is far from sufficient. As of 2020, [66.25% of forfeiture profits go to police](#)—a C+ rating.

The Black Lives Matter Movement [demands](#) "acknowledgment and accountability for the devaluation and dehumanization of Black life at the hands of the police... We call for a national defunding of police. We demand investment in our communities and the resources to ensure Black people not only survive, but thrive."

The McHarris' conclusion states, "We need to reimagine public safety in ways that shrink and eventually abolish police and prisons while prioritizing education, housing, economic security, mental health and alternatives to

conflict and violence.”

A persistent, genuine, and well-thought-out legislative effort to redirect police funds and end for-profit policing is imperative.

2. Abolish Legislative Police Protections

Murderers who wear a badge have consistently been given a free pass to decimate Black life. [BLM](#) “demand[s] accountability [for] those who are victims of police violence.”

It is vital to ensure that police officers are met with precisely the same consequences as their badgeless counterparts. Accountability has been denied to Black people for centuries, and it is crucial to impose legislative confirmation that accountability is ensured.

[Campaign Zero](#) is an organization dedicated to “limiting police interventions, improving community interactions, and ensuring accountability.”

They propose a solution of independent investigations. Because only [1% of all killings by police lead to an officer being charged with a crime](#), “independent investigations and prosecutions of police officers” must be mandated to eliminate biases. A broken system should not be evaluating itself.

3. Demilitarize the Police

Campaign Zero emphasizes that [studies](#) show how “more militarized police departments are significantly more likely to kill civilians.” Unfortunately, “the federal 1033 program transfers military weapons to police departments.”

[Campaign Zero](#) continues that to demilitarize, we must “prohibit cities and counties from using federal funds to purchase military equipment.”

California is not void of this indictment. In total, 41 MRAPs [are in the possession of law enforcement agencies in California](#). All in all, California’s quantity of purchasing such outlandish and high-level military technology is unmatched: “In terms of cash value, California gets more 1033 gear than other states.”

Even though the LAPD has refused to take on more military equipment, they stated that [“the department will replenish and replace”](#) existing equipment. Such measures must be barred in an effort to eventually demilitarize the police force entirely in the long run.

Police departments should be [restricted](#) from using federal grant money to purchase military equipment, using the SWAT team, or conducting no-knock raids. Over-weaponized departments must reduce their use of weapon stockpiles, as “agencies should seek to return to the federal government the military equipment that has already been received” as [places like San Jose already have](#).

The [warranting](#) is simple: “Military equipment naturally increases military-style training for said equipment. That training can increase the other dimensions of militarization,” contributing to the war-like mentality implicitly enforced by the police, who have no place fighting wars against the most disenfranchised members of their communities.

I hope that our legislators can take tangible, policy-level initiatives to defend Black lives, something they have failed to do so up until this point. Please listen to the pleas of the Black entities listed above and countless

others, and help give rise to a future where Black folks do not have to fear for their lives on a daily basis.

Sincerely but not silently,
Benjamin Chan

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1 message

From: Sahil Jayaram <sahil.jayaram@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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1 message

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:31 PM

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1 message

From: <kelsey.van.hook1@gmail.com>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:24 PM

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To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:20 PM

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Sincerely,
[your name]

Sent from my iPhone

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We Need a Budget That Represents US

2 messages

From: 'Michael Anthony' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: cityclerk@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:57 PM

Hello, My name is Michael Modena. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department. This does not align with the values that I have as your constituent and I demand that you and other city officials work together to draft and approve a budget that diverts funds from the police department and reallocates them directly to benefit those in need. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. Police perpetuate a pattern of excessive violence and force, especially directed towards Black People and their communities. The police refuse to hold their own accountable and this is unacceptable. We are in the middle of a global pandemic that has killed 100,000 Americans and more than 40 million people have filed for unemployment. Healthcare workers are without proper equipment and essential workers are not being fairly compensated or protected for the great work they do. We don't need more police, we need more social safety nets. Funds intended for police would be better off being sorted to initiatives that Enrich our public schools and students Provide more affordable housing and mental health care initiatives Protect and bolster our parks Support small businesses struggling due to COVID-19 Provide cheaper and cleaner modes of public transportation Our nation is grieving the deaths of Black Americans that were murdered at the hands of police officers who have yet to be held accountable. While the police department has more funding than it knows what to do with, we have communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it. Sincerely, Michael Modena

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T H E O R Y**

Michael Anthony

Interactive Director - [Active Theory](#)

Cell - 323.632.5574 Tweet - [@michaeltheory](#)

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From: 'Mohammad Ahmad' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:07 PM

Hello,

My name is Mohammad Ahmad. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,
Mohammad Ahmad

Sent from my iPhone

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Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

From: 'Maya Geyer' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>
To: mayor.garcetti@lacity.org
At: Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 3:01 PM

Hello,

My name is Maya Geyer. I am a resident of Brooklyn and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,
Maya Geyer

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Maya Geyer, LCSW, RPP, LMT, SEP  
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Maya@[integratedbodymind.com](mailto:maya@integratedbodymind.com)  
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she/her/hers

may you be safe • may you be well  
may you feel loved and connected  
may you know peace • may you be free

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Tyler Grunnet <tmgxcp@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:59 PM

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Hello,

My name is Tyler. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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[your name]

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Joshua Torsani <jptorsani@gmail.com>

**To:** controller.galperin@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.Krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.Lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:56 PM

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Hello,

My name is Joshua Torsani. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Joshua Torsani

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** 'Allen Ye' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:52 PM

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Hello,

My name is Allen. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Allen

Best,  
Allen

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** David Bowen <dbowen1101@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:48 PM

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Hello,

My name is David Bowen. I am a resident of Harrison County, Kentucky and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
David Bowen

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Katy N <katyneusner@gmail.com>

**To:** councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:43 PM

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Hello,

My name is Katy. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Katy Neusner

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Genesis Navarrete <genesisnavarrete15@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:41 PM

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Dear LA City Council Members,

My name is Genesis Navarrete. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need.

As an employee at a county hospital (Olive View- UCLA medical center to be exact) I have seen first-hand how patients struggle to access the resources they need. The majority of our patient population are Latinos with a lower socio-economic status or are homeless. Many patients need to be educated and equipped with the proper resources in order to learn how to better take care of themselves. Many patients struggle with mental illnesses because they don't have access to mental health facilities. Many patients are in desperate need of social workers to step in and resolve their marital or child abuse problems. And many homeless patients obviously need housing. These patient don't need the police; they need resources! We need more money in the budgets that fund healthcare programs for the county hospitals, the department of mental health, the department of social services, and homeless services.

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Sincerely,  
Genesis Navarrete

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Judy Pak <pakmonster@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:38 PM

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Hello,

My name is Judy Pak. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Judy Pak

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Sowmya Kovvuri <skovvuri910@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:37 PM

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Hello,

My name is Sowmya. I am a resident of Fairfield, Connecticut, and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Sowmya Kovvuri

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Melanie Browdy <melaniealexisb@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:36 PM

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Hello,

My name is Melanie Browdy. We've met before year ago at a walk. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,

Melanie Browdy  
Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Victor Rocha <victormoralesrocha@live.com>

**To:** "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, "councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org" <councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org" <councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>, "paul.koretz@lacity.org" <paul.koretz@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org" <councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org" <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.price@lacity.org" <councilmember.price@lacity.org>, "councilmember.wesson@lacity.org" <councilmember.wesson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.bonin@lacity.org" <councilmember.bonin@lacity.org>, "councilmember.lee@lacity.org" <councilmember.lee@lacity.org>, "councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org" <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, "councilmember.huizar@lacity.org" <councilmember.huizar@lacity.org>, "councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org>, "controller.galperin@lacity.org" <controller.galperin@lacity.org>, "richard.llewellyn@lacity.org" <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, "cityclerk@lacity.org" <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:36 PM

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Hello,

My name is Victor Rocha. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Victor Rocha

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** 'James Cabrera' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:33 PM

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Hello,

My name is James Cabrera. I am a resident of Los Angeles County. I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget. We need to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
James Cabrera

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Lindsay Koenig <jaystrike@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:33 PM

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Sincerely,  
Lindsay Koenig

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Ali Arellano <alixxarellano@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:29 PM

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Hello,

My name is Ali Arellano. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Ali Arellano

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Amanda Norman <amandanorman988@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:30 PM

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Sincerely,  
Amanda Norman

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Hartley Villagra <villagraarantxa24@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:21 PM

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My name is Hartley Villagra. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** Carrie Douglass <carriedouglass2021@u.northwestern.edu>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:05 PM

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Hello,

My name is Carrie Douglass. I am a resident of Boulder, CO and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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**From:** Jonny Cruz <jmichaelcruz002@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:05 PM

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My name is Jonathan Cruz. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Jonathan Cruz

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** 'alex rushka' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:02 PM

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Sincerely,  
Alex Rushka

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Riley Gantt <rileyjoygantt@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 2:01 PM

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Hello,

My name is Riley. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Riley

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**From:** 'Faith giesick' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:58 PM

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Hello,

My name is Faith Giesick. And I live in Echo park Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Faith Giesick

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Elaine Oh <elaineoh00@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:54 PM

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My name is Elaine Oh. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Elaine Oh

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Joseph Picard <picar101@mail.chapman.edu>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:50 PM

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Sincerely,  
Joe Picard

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Claire Vandeman <cvandeman0623@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:46 PM

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Hello,

My name is Claire Vandeman. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Claire

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**From:** Kamryn Tate <kamryntate@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:43 PM

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Faizan Malik <malikf7@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:41 PM

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Annie Collick

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Marylou Garcia <marylougarcia18@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:33 PM

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Hello,

My name is Marylou. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Marylou

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** <kathywhoohoo@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:32 PM

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Hello,

My name is Katherine Woo. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. Police perpetuate a pattern of excessive violence and force, especially directed towards Black People and their communities. The police refuse to hold their own accountable and this is unacceptable.

We are in the middle of a global pandemic that has killed 100,000 Americans and more than 40 million people have filed for unemployment. Healthcare workers are without proper equipment and essential workers are not being fairly compensated or protected for the great work they do. We don't need more police, we need more social safety nets. Funds intended for police would be better off being sorted to initiatives that

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Sincerely,  
Katherine Woo

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** 'Ruth Murai' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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My name is Ruth Murai. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Ruth Murai

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Hal Pan <halpan@usc.edu>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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Hello,

My name is Hal Pan. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Hal Pan

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** SeungYoon Lee <seungyoon0606@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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My name is Evan. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Evan

Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** 'Sarah Bansak' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:24 PM

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Hello,

My name is Sarah Bansak. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Sarah Bansak

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This message was dictated into a microcassette recorder and then transcribed by Diane.

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Zainab Mirza <zainabmxo@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:24 PM

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Sincerely,  
Zainab Mirza

Sent from my iPhone

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## Please adopt a budget for the people of this city

1 message

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**From:** 'Ashley Huang' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:19 PM

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Hello,

My name is Ashley. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to ask that you restructure our city budget to prioritize social services for our community and minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that almost half of the city's budget is going to the police department.

I sincerely hope that you and other city officials work together to draft and approve a budget that diverts funds from the police department and reallocates them directly to benefit those in need.

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I understand it's a tough time right now and you are probably being bombarded by people with all sorts of demands, so thank you in advance to being a leader in our community. I truly hope you will do what is best for the people of this city. Please stand up for us. You have the power to do so.

Sincerely,  
Ashley

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Mara Woods-Robinson <marawoodsrobinson@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:15 PM

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Hello,

My name is Mara Woods-Robinson. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it.

Sincerely,  
Mara Woods-Robinson

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**Mara Woods-Robinson**  
Email: [marawoodsrobinson@gmail.com](mailto:marawoodsrobinson@gmail.com)  
Cell: (415) 350-8766

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Kenya Flores <kenyaf98@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:14 PM

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Hello,

My name is Kenya Flores, I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Kenya Flores

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

2 messages

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**From:** 'Belen Bravo' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:40 PM

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My name is Belen Bravo. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Belen Bravo

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** 'BELLA RAROQUE' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:13 PM

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My name is Isabella R.. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Isabella R.

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Isabel Schmieta <misspenguinlover101@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:13 PM

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Hello,

My name is [insert name]. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Isabel Schmieta

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Isabel Schmieta  
[schmietaisabel@bellsouth.net](mailto:schmietaisabel@bellsouth.net)

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** 'Tanya Martinez' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 1:00 PM

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Hello,

My name is Tanya Martinez. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Tanya Martinez

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Victoria Monaco <vmonaco22@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:59 PM

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Hello,

My name is Victoria Monaco. I am a resident of New York and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,

Victoria Monaco

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Grace Broberg <gracebroberg@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:57 PM

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Hello,

My name is Grace Broberg. I am not a resident of Los Angeles County but I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** dear occupant <postofficebox19@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:56 PM

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Hello,

My name is Jane Paik. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever.

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Sincerely,  
Jane Paik

from me to you

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## Important budget requests

1 message

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**From:** Rebecca Sgan-Cohen <rsgancohen@gmail.com>

**To:** cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:41 PM

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To the office of the city clerk,

We the people of Los Angeles demand that the massive amount of funding going toward the LAPD be redirected to services that will actually UPLIFT AND SUPPORT COMMUNITIES THAT ARE SUFFERING. Funds must be redirected to schools, libraries, community centers, hospitals and mental health centers. This is how we serve the people. This is how we reduce crime. These are the actions that make life for all our communities better.

Thank you,

Rebecca Sgan-Cohen

Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Katie Cai <katie.cai.echs2016@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:38 PM

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Sincerely,  
Katie Cai

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Chantel Tucker <tuckerchantel@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:29 PM

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** 'Vincent Stallone' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:28 PM

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Hello,

My name is Vincent Stallone. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Vincent Stallone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Melody <mh31416@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:24 PM

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Sincerely,  
Melody

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** <aprilherrano53@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:20 PM

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Hello,

My name is April Serrano. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** 'ashley street' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:20 PM

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Hello,

My name is Ashley Street. I am a resident of Dallas, Texas and am appalled at the current state of the LAPD. I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. It is interesting but also disgusting that the entire police force across the country was able to come out to the thousands of protests prepared in full riot gear at a minutes notice, when we are also currently fighting a pandemic in which medical workers are forced to reuse protective equipment or make due with trash bags and other miscellaneous supplies. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it.

Sincerely,  
Ashley Street

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** 'Christian Medina' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:19 PM

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Hello,

My name is Christian Medina. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Christian Medina

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Seerat Jajj <seeratjajj@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:12 PM

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Sincerely,  
Seerat Jajj

Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Nina Baker <neener017@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:01 PM

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Sincerely,  
Janina

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Patrick Fritz <patrickjfritz@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:01 PM

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Sincerely,  
Patrick Fritz

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:52 AM

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Sincerely,  
Catherine Pham  
UCLA Student and Los Angeles Resident

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**From:** ♡ mia ♡ <mmiammedina@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:44 AM

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My name is Mia Medina and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Mia Medina

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

2 messages

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**From:** 'Adi Azran' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:39 AM

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Sincerely,  
Adi azran

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** 'Sanam Javid' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:44 AM

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Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Amanda Juliet Quiney Olivas <ajolivas@calpoly.edu>  
**To:** "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:40 AM

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Hello,

My name is Amanda Olivas. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Amanda Olivas

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## Budget Ideas to improve inner city and safety

1 message

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**From:** Mohamad Ahmad <mohamad.ahmad@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:36 AM

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Hello,

My name is Mohamad Ahmad. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, particularly schools and landscaping in inner city communities with larger African American and Mexican/Latino American populations. It's a shame that West LA has beautiful landscaping and free facilities while the inner city and minority communities have outdated or inadequate facilities and greenery. By beautifying our inner cities and increasing resources, we can effectively and drastically reduce the police budget while simultaneously increasing safety and lifting the community spirit. It makes no sense that we spend about \$70,000 per year per inmate while refusing to provide a fraction of that to improve the lives of those in the inner cities.

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Mohamad Ahmad

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Linsey Morales <linsey.morales25@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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Sincerely,  
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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** 'Emily Ervolina' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:34 AM

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Hello,

My name is Emily Ervolina. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Ju'Wan Seaberry <j1seaberry@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:33 AM

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** 'Ryan Ward' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:30 AM

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My name is Ryan Ward. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Ryan ward

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**From:** James Garcia <jamesgarcia2015@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:28 AM

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**From:** Kaela Adams <kaelajustice@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:27 AM

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My name is Kae. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Andrew Nakamura <andrewnakamura65@gmail.com>

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Stephanie Canizales <stephanie.canizales@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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**From:** Stephanie Canizales <stephanie.canizales@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:20 AM

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Sincerely,  
Stephanie

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

2 messages

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**From:** Cory Aitchison <coryaitchison@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:22 AM

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[your name]

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No justice, no peace.

Sincerely,  
Cory Aitchison



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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Roline Dahi <dahiroline@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** <mphillips1724@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:18 AM

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Hello,

My name is Margaret Phillips. I am a resident of San Mateo County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Margaret

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Kenny Peterson <kenny.pete77@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:17 AM

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Sincerely,  
Kenneth

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** 'Andrew Velasco' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:16 AM

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[your name]

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:16 AM

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Sincerely,  
Andrew Lane

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Claire Philpot <clairephilpot8@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:11 AM

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Sincerely,  
Claire Philpot

Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Eliza Gutierrez <ei.gutierrez140@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 11:05 AM

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:55 AM

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Teresa Chen <teresachen08@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:55 AM

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My name is Hua Chen. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Hua Chen

Sent from my iPhone

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** Michelle Dickey <michelledickey12@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfeld@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:52 AM

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Sincerely,  
Michelle Dickey

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Eliza Leung <elizaleung17@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:51 AM

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Eliza Leung

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

2 messages

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**From:** Henry McKenzie <wbob933@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:47 AM

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Sincerely,  
[your name]

Death to ISIS

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**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:49 AM

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Sincerely,  
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Death to ISIS

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

1 message

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**From:** <tchapin123@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:43 AM

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Sincerely,  
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Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Symone Davis <symoned65@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:42 AM

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Hello,

My name is Symone Houston-Davis. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Phoebe Chen <phoebe.jjali@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:41 AM

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Sincerely,  
Phoebe Chen

Sent from my iPad

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Teti Omilana <tetiomilana@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:41 AM

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Sincerely,  
Teti

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** <imtaylin@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 10:40 AM

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Hello,

My name is Taylin Im. I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** 'Wendy Alonso' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:51 AM

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Sincerely,  
Wendy Alonso

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** laily <lailyarzo00@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:49 AM

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Brendan Terry <bnta2016@mymail.pomona.edu>

**To:** "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, "councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org" <councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org" <councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>, "paul.koretz@lacity.org" <paul.koretz@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org" <councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org" <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.price@lacity.org" <councilmember.price@lacity.org>, "councilmember.wesson@lacity.org" <councilmember.wesson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.bonin@lacity.org" <councilmember.bonin@lacity.org>, "councilmember.lee@lacity.org" <councilmember.lee@lacity.org>, "councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org" <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, "councilmember.huizar@lacity.org" <councilmember.huizar@lacity.org>, "cd15@lacity.org" <cd15@lacity.org>, "councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org>, "controller.galperin@lacity.org" <controller.galperin@lacity.org>, "richard.llewellyn@lacity.org" <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, "cityclerk@lacity.org" <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:43 AM

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Sincerely,  
Brendan Terry

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Janme Thao <thaojanme@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:39 AM

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Lena Maxey <maxey.lena@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:37 AM

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Goodyear, Kendall <Kendall.Goodyear@pennmedicine.upenn.edu>

**To:** "mayor.garcetti@lacity.org" <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, "councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org" <councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org" <councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org>, "david.ryu@lacity.org" <david.ryu@lacity.org>, "paul.koretz@lacity.org" <paul.koretz@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org" <councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org>, "councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org" <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.price@lacity.org" <councilmember.price@lacity.org>, "councilmember.wesson@lacity.org" <councilmember.wesson@lacity.org>, "councilmember.bonin@lacity.org" <councilmember.bonin@lacity.org>, "councilmember.lee@lacity.org" <councilmember.lee@lacity.org>, "councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org" <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, "councilmember.huizar@lacity.org" <councilmember.huizar@lacity.org>, "cd15@lacity.org" <cd15@lacity.org>, "councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org" <councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org>, "controller.galperin@lacity.org" <controller.galperin@lacity.org>, "richard.llewellyn@lacity.org" <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, "cityclerk@lacity.org" <cityclerk@lacity.org>

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:35 AM

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Sincerely,  
Kendall Goodyear, MD



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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** <kalydodi@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:34 AM

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**From:** Mayra Cervantes <mayrrraaaa99@gmail.com>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:09 AM

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Hello,

My name is Mayra . I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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Sincerely,  
Mayra

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**From:** dyke <diawuju@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:22 AM

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Hello, My name is [insert name]. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so do it. Sincerely, [your name]

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Monil Patel <monilpat@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:18 AM

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My name is Monil. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Monil

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

1 message

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**From:** Emily Minyard <eminyard96@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:17 AM

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Hello,

My name is Emily Minyard. I am a resident of Los Angeles County and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police.

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** Lesly Frias <lesly.frias.894@my.csun.edu>  
**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org  
**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:17 AM

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Sincerely,  
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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Deborah Yi <deborahyi99@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:10 AM

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Deborah Yi

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## We Need a Budget That Represents US

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**From:** Sir Mac <sirmac99@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org, councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org, david.ryu@lacity.org, paul.koretz@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.rodriquez@lacity.org, councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org, councilmember.price@lacity.org, councilmember.wesson@lacity.org, councilmember.bonin@lacity.org, councilmember.lee@lacity.org, councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org, councilmember.huizar@lacity.org, cd15@lacity.org, councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org, controller.galperin@lacity.org, richard.llewellyn@lacity.org, cityclerk@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:09 AM

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Hello,

My name is Stephen Sirmay. I am a resident of Los Angeles and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of our city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for our community, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. It is unconscionable that 1/3 to 1/2 of the city's budget is going to the police department.

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Sincerely,  
Stephen Sirmay

Sent from my iPhone

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## Restructure Budget and DEFUND POLICE

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**From:** HPPCHG 543 <jinx.maybelle@gmail.com>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:03 AM

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Hello, My name is Eva Bailey. I am a resident of Clatsop County, OR, and I am emailing to demand the restructuring of the Los Angeles city budget, so as to prioritize more social services for communities, and to drastically minimize spending on Police. I demand of the mayor, controller, and all city council members to prove their love and dedication to the people of their city and reallocate funds to directly benefit those in need. It is absolutely absurd that at \$1,857,330,549, the police budget is larger than the allocations to the fire department, Office of Emergency Management, Department of Transportation, Bureau of Street Services, and the Housing and Community Investment Agency combined. Defunding the police and restructuring the budget is an absolute necessity now more than ever. There are 58,936 DOCUMENTED houseless people in Los Angeles. There are healthcare workers without proper equipment. More than 30% of Los Angeles County residents have filed for unemployment. While LAPD has more funding than it knows what to do with, there are communities who desperately need funding and every day they don't receive it their quality of life worsens. Thousands have died who did not need to. You have the ability to change this, so change it.

I hope you are well,  
Eva Bailey

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**From:** Bailey, Eva <23evab@seasidek12.org>

**To:** mayor.garcetti@lacity.org

**At:** Sun, Jun 7, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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