

Your Community Impact Statement has been successfully submitted to City Council and Committees.

If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at [NCsupport@lacity.org](mailto:NCsupport@lacity.org).

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(12) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 07/27/2020

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 08/13/2020

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 20-0769

Agenda Date: 07/27/2020

Item Number: V.f

Summary: MPNC unanimously supports implementing unarmed peace officers in the place of armed police officers in non-violent situations.



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## MacArthur Park Neighborhood Council

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July 27, 2020

Los Angeles City Council  
200 North Spring Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Re: Community Impact Statement on City Council File 20-0769

City Councilmembers:

The MacArthur Park Neighborhood Council unanimously supports Motion 20-0769 put forward by City Councilmember Herb Wesson to replace police officers with unarmed peace officers.

Removing the threat of violence when interacting with the public will have a directly positive effect upon de-escalating tense situations without any person being harmed unnecessarily. Additionally, it will have an indirect impact on making communities, especially low-income, inner-city communities, feel safer without constantly being monitored by armed patrol officers.

We strongly urge you to not only pass the motion but also to implement this change as soon as possible.

Thank you for supporting and rapidly implementing 20-0769,

Robin Lifland  
President  
MacArthur Park Neighborhood Council



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27 de julio 2020

Consejo Municipal de Los Ángeles  
200 Norte Primavera Calle  
Los Ángeles, CA 90012

Re: Declaración de Impacto Comunitario en el Archivo del Consejo Municipal 20-0769

Consejeros de la ciudad:

El Consejo Vecinal MacArthur Park apoya unánimemente a la Moción 20-0769 presentada por el Concejel de la Ciudad Herb Wesson para reemplazar a los oficiales de policía con oficiales de paz desarmados.

Eliminar la amenaza de violencia al interactuar con el público tendrá un efecto directamente positivo en la reducción de las situaciones tensas sin que ninguna persona sea perjudicada innecesariamente. Además, tendrá un impacto indirecto en hacer que las comunidades, especialmente las de bajos ingresos, las comunidades del centro de la ciudad se sientan más seguras sin ser monitoreadas constantemente por oficiales de patrulla armados.

Les instamos enérgicamente a que no solo aprueben la moción, sino que también apliquen este cambio lo antes posible.

Gracias por apoyar e implementar rápidamente 20-0769,

Robin Lifland  
Presidente  
MacArthur Park Consejo de Barrio