

Communication from Public

Name: Adam J

Date Submitted: 07/26/2021 12:54 PM

Council File No: 20-1376-S1

Comments for Public Posting: We need to clean up our streets, parks, beaches, parking lots and public spaces. The transients and all of their trash is beyond unacceptable. Human waste, urine, needles, tents and trash are not personal belongings.

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Date Submitted: 07/26/2021 10:49 AM

Council File No: 20-1376-S1

Comments for Public Posting: Passed of motion 20-1376-S1, essential for public health & safety and to actually help those in need. We need to stop enabling addiction and letting our citizen die on the streets.

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Date Submitted: 07/26/2021 04:20 PM

Council File No: 20-1376-S1

Comments for Public Posting: Support the passage of this motion! Our streets are a disaster and there's no end in sight! The addicted are taking over our neighborhoods and it's a CRISIS! Never before has it been like this and it's an unacceptable mess! Filthy, crime ridden, biohazard and our quality of life is suffering mentally!

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Name: Jason

Date Submitted: 07/26/2021 05:31 PM

Council File No: 20-1376-S1

Comments for Public Posting: As a voting constituent in CD2 I oppose this motion and I urge the council to vote against it.

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Name: Jillian Strong

Date Submitted: 07/26/2021 08:41 PM

Council File No: 20-1376-S1

Comments for Public Posting: We are deeply disappointed by Mark Ridley Thomas' choice to give up on the hard work of housing people, and instead urgently move to give councilmembers like him the power to banish unhoused people from particular spaces. This power will be used politically. The use of public space will be restricted based on whose voice is loudest and most powerful. Encampments will be further concentrated. This law does not create an equitable, consistent set of rules citywide. This law unfairly paints unhoused people as a threat to children and the public. The lack of appropriate housing is the real threat to public safety. City Council is distracting from its own failures by urgently focusing on displacement while Los Angeles still doesn't have enough shelter, housing, or services. After a summer of uprisings against police violence, LA City Council is trying to pass a law that will increase police violence against unhoused Angelenos, who are disproportionately Black. They know this is not what the public wants. With support from 13 of 15 councilmembers, our city leaders have made it clear that they want to make this happen, and to do it quickly. We condemn passing Item 20 and demand #CareNotCops, #HomesNotZones and a voice in policies BEFORE a vote. Where is the urgency to push through to protect affordable housing covenants, provide renter protections, hire more caseworkers and medical personnel? We need housing, not displacement that pushes people further away from services. We need repeal of laws that criminalize poverty and increase police violence against unhoused Angelenos. We have a choice: compassion or criminalization. We need housing, not punishment.