

Communication from Public

Name: Vicki Cudney
Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 09:57 AM
Council File No: 20-1575
Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is our heritage! Leave it alone!

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Name: Michael Jay Williamson

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 10:55 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: Please don't ban rodeos in Las Angeles.

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Name:

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 11:01 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: Keep the rodeo events! Those animals are pampered and live a great, comfortable life. It is part of American culture, along with many other cultures.

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Name: John DeBevoise
Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 12:03 PM
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Comments for Public Posting: Pleas preserve the rodeo. It represents a lifestyle of wholesome values that is badly needed these days.

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Name: Randy Harvey

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 12:49 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Banning the sport of Rodeo would be a great injustice to many people and for different reasons. This past week, In a local rodeo near where I live, the producer held a performance during the day so that elementary age school kids could attend. The local schools allowed the kids to be taken during the school day as a field trip. I was not there, but was told they filled the place and the excitement of the kids was heard very clearly. This is likely the only chance many of these kids will get to see horses and cattle and rodeo itself. I attended the rodeo last night. I heard the Word of God proclaimed. I witnessed the United States flag and this country being honored. Most rodeos across this great country of ours mirror what was done here this week in a small town rodeo. God bless America!

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Name: T. Scott

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 01:45 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I am writing to in support of rodeo in LA - Save Rodeo! It's an important part of our culture and rodeo cowboys and cowgirls and stock contractors care for animals better than anyone there is.
SAVE RODEO!

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Name: Morgan

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 02:43 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: The sport of rodeo is an American tradition and heritage

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Name:

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Comments for Public Posting: I support the LA Rodeo Ordinance.

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Name: Mandy

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 03:17 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Do not ban rodeo!!! These animals are family and love their jobs!

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Name: Robert Clifford

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 03:18 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Please do not ban western, horse or rodeo events.

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Name:

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 03:30 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Save The Rodeo...the Western way of life.

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Name: Wood

Date Submitted: 03/21/2024 07:17 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear City of Los Angeles, I'm just going to get to the point. Why are we fighting this battle with rodeos and western events? Rodeos are a lifestyle for some cultures and for others it's entertainment. Have we looked into stopping horse racing? No, because that is big business. Race horses are treated terrible, but we look the other way on that one because racing brings in a lot of money. Rodeo horses and bulls are treated with love and respect. I have been around these animals for years as my son rides bareback horses. You need to spend a day with these stock contractors to understand. It's not just about rodeos, the Latino community has a big part in culture with rodeos and competitions. Please don't take that away from a culture which has been doing this for hundreds of years. Is that not equality? Or are we being racist by doing away with Latino events, but keeping horse races at the track. The western lifestyle is a culture that is worth saving. Please keep rodeos and western events alive. Thank You

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Name: KeAnna Hodson

Date Submitted: 03/21/2024 07:12 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is a sport that give animals another purpose. Thoroughbreds that do not win races, have a chance to run barrels. Horses who choose to buck rather than be trained, are given a life purpose. Cows who are too thin and wiry to be used for meat or milk, have a chance to be roped. The sport of rodeo keeps a culture of the cowboy alive, while giving these animals a purpose in life. Please know that everyone of these animals chooses to compete. You can clearly see when they choose not to and they are retired. Horses that choose not to buck are trained and sold for ranching. Steers that choose to not leave the box stay home on the ranch. They are treated like athletes with the best food, pens, transportation. If you see an animal get hurt, it is no different than watching an athlete on the football field get hurt. They are athletes that choose to compete.

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Name: Jess Elam
Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 07:26 AM
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Comments for Public Posting: In support of the rodeo

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Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 04:21 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I've always supported the Rodeo circuit, contestants, and livestock. As an animal lover, I would never support the sport of Rodeo if there was any indication they were being harmed. These animals have excellent care from the livestock contractors, and contestant's horses are loved like family members. I've been a huge fan of Rodeo, going back to the early 70's. Much respect and love for the sport of Rodeo. Thank you.

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Name: Judith K. Reyher

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 04:31 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I am graciously asking all of you to do all you can NOT to ban rodeo in Los Angeles.

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Name: Rich Mervin

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 04:36 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Pro; Rodeo, it's a heritage sport unique to the American culture, history and the very building blocks of our nation

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Name: Stephanie Brown
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Comments for Public Posting: Im in favor of rodeo.

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Name: Nancy H.

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 04:44 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is an integral part of our California/Western America heritage & traditions which spans multiple cultures and ethnicities. The animals are well treated and cared for. Please do not give in to a small, vocal, irrational and uneducated group of politically motivated & racist activists!

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Name:

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo people mind their own business and do not poke their noses in other people's business like the opposition does. The animal athletes are treated better than PETA knows. My horses were fed before I fixed meals for my family and this is true of other owners. My horses get a pedicure and new shoes every 6 weeks. Their needs come first. The animals that are bucking stock are very well cared for. They receive the best in animal nutrition, exercise, and veterinary care. These animals are not mistreated. These people should spend some of their time in checking how the animals are treated instead of stealing the livelihood from many rodeo athletes.

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Name: Alan D. Briley
Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 05:25 PM
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Comments for Public Posting: I am a supporter of rodeo.

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Name: Christabelle Loveland

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 05:53 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: The rodeo has been a part of this country for decades. No harm is done intentionally to the animals. Peta and other animal activists truly don't know how these are ran. The animals actually get better care and treatment than the riders do and live a life of luxury.

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Name:

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Comments for Public Posting: SAVE RODEO!!!!

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Comments for Public Posting: Please Save Rodeo.

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Name: Alexis

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 07:49 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I have seen first hand rodeo animal athletes be treated better than humans. They are very well taken care of, pampered and loved. Rodeo is important to keep in California with the western boom, remembering we are in the heart of the West and what better way to honor that by having rodeo events

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Name: Mclean Tooke

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 07:50 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is a sport where animals are very important and therefore they are very well cared for. Stock contractors keep their stock as strong and healthy as possible in order to perform at the highest level.

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Name: John Ruhs

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 08:55 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is a fantastic sport and all animals in the Events are well taken care of and are athletes in there own right. Do not ban these events!

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Name:

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Comments for Public Posting: The pro rodeo circuit is the best way for livestock raisers and contractors to present the quality and the competitiveness of their livestock. There may be concerns about the humane nature of the rodeo, but believe me when I tell you that the livestock that are being presented are some of the best treated animals on the planet. Most ranchers that I've met care more for the safety of their livestock than their own safety at times. Canceling the rodeo will majorly affect the stock contractors/ranchers because this is what they do for a living, hence why they care so much for the livestock they raise. I urge the council to side in favor of the rodeo because this is not only about livestock but about the livelihood of the stock contractors and ranchers being able to support their families.

Communication from Public

Name: Sherri Greco

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 09:19 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is a demonstration of the skills needed to safely raise beef. No one gets a horse (1200 lbs) to do anything it doesn't want to. Beef needs to be able to roam, yet be tended. Horses make that possible. Horses moved with bikes or atvs can get stressed. Cattle are large unpredictable animals especially cows with calves. Horses help us tend them in a more natural way. Want grass/pasture raised beef? Horses are how that happens. Rodeos and horse shows help keep good quality horses available. The rodeo helps us perfect the breeding lines to get more trainable and higher skilled horses. Bucking bulls? Well, they are trained to only buck when a flank strap is out on. The strap is soft and causes zero harm to the bull. You should go see some at their homes. They are highly pampered and many retire to live a long leisurely life. Many bull riders will buy a favorite bull on his retirement because the bull did so much for their careers. We take really good care of our animals. Most ranchers do. Beef is a natural way to convert grass, a vegetation humans CAN NOT consume to a very edible protein, beef. Beef is one of the most pure proteins humans can consume. Bovines are obligatory herbivores. If they eat anything else they will become sick, as was proven by England when they put contaminated animal byproducts in their livestock feed. Beef can not be replicated in a laboratory with chemicals. Beef is exceptionally good for the environment. It can live in the prairies of California on the natural plants which have existed here for thousands of years.... Habitat which is being destroyed by nut farmers and vegans. Growing vegetables and nuts results in destroyed habitat for thousands of birds and rabbits and other small native animals. Beef lives along side of them. Rodeo helps the beef industry by providing a way for ranchers to increase the quality of their herds. To earn a little more money from their horses. And just plain have fun! Please go and visit a ranch, go to a rodeo and see it from the back stage. Go to a horseshoe where they work cattle. Go to a cutting show! See for yourselves. Don't just take someone else's world for it. Come to my place if you want.

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Name: Vandí Reeves
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Comments for Public Posting: I support the rodeo!

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Comments for Public Posting: Keep Rodeo

Communication from Public

Name: Linda

Date Submitted: 03/23/2024 11:17 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: The assault on rodeo activities has to stop. PETA and their ilk are far worse for animals than rodeo will ever be. Rodeo show cases the athletic abilities of both animal and humans. Can both get injured? Yes but no different than any other sport and veterinary services are always available. Rodeo animals are well taken care of and have more time off than rodeo time. If PETA and their ilk have their way all these animal will be killed as well as a great American tradition and sport.