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Comments for Public Posting: Mexico has recently banned bullfighting in its capital city and dolphin captivity nationally. The United States is falling behind when it comes to protecting animals. We need to outlaw rodeos. Let's start in Los Angeles.

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Comments for Public Posting: To harm animals for the sake of amusement is the worst reason to harm animals. There is no justification, only greed and wanton cruelty. Please ban rodeos in Los Angeles.

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Comments for Public Posting: Los Angeles has become a battleground between tradition and progress; between cruelty and protection - between rodeo advocates and animal rights activists. What side does the city want to fall on? I vote you stand for progress and protection - side with the animal rights activists and ban rodeos in LA!

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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeos are toxic masculinity incarnate. They involve grown men beating up on animals for the sake of amusement and entertainment. Its despicable and it needs to stop. Please outlaw rodeos in Los Angeles.

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Name: Christian Animal Rights Association

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Comments for Public Posting: Hello Los Angeles City Council members, Our ministry intends to speak for the Christians in Los Angeles, which is about 65% of LA residents. One reputable source states, "All rodeo events will cause stress, fear and pain as well as injure animals for the sake of sport and entertainment." (1) Fittingly, an entire veterinary coalition states, 'In contrast to this, rodeos normalise cruelty, supported by the legality and promotion of these events.' (2) From a Christian perspective, the Bible condemns animal cruelty in Proverbs 12:10, stating, "Good people take care of their animals, but wicked people are cruel to theirs." Furthermore, the Bible condemns hurting animals for entertainment like rodeo. For instance, Genesis 49:6 states, 'May I never join in their meetings; may I never be a party to their plans. For in their anger they murdered men, and they crippled oxen just for sport.' Please move forward with the Los Angeles rodeo ban. We believe this would be God-pleasing and satisfy the Christians in Los Angeles, as well as be the best thing to do for the victims. 1. <https://kb.rspca.org.au/knowledge-base/what-are-the-animal-welfare-issues-with-rodeos/> 2. <https://www.sentient.org.au/rodeos>