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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(10) Nay(0) Abstain(1) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 08/15/2022

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 08/24/2022

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 22-0158

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: The East Hollywood Neighborhood Council would like to voice its support of Council File CF-22-0158. We support the city council's motion instructing the Los Angeles Department of City Planning (DCP) and other relevant departments to report back in 45 days with options to amend Section 12.03, 12.80, and 12.81 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) in order to more quickly establish temporary homeless emergency shelters during a declared shelter crisis in additional zones, as well as streamline the approval and extension process for emergency/temporary shelters. The East Hollywood Neighborhood Council acknowledges the scale of the situation facing our unhoused neighbors and we support the city taking transformative efforts to provide more housing solutions. To that end, it is important that the city expand the number of sites that are eligible to provide this much-needed service. We support a report that will look into expanding where shelters, interim housing can operate as of right and allowing for broader more inclusive zoning that would allow them to operate during a crisis. Many of the sites that would be allowed to operate would include churches and charitable organizations. We also urge the city to simultaneously pursue additional long-term solutions to homelessness in order for the additional shelter opportunities provided through this Item to lead to any meaningful reduction in homelessness, such as dedicating additional discretionary funds to permanent supportive housing, streamlining the approval process for affordable housing projects, and providing vacant city-owned land for affordable housing development. We believe that the DCP should turn this report to the Land Use and Planning and Homelessness and Poverty committees as soon as possible.



The Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council  
City Hall  
200 N. Spring St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

08/03/2022

Re: Council File [CF-22-0158](#) Los Angeles Municipal Code / 12.03 / 12.80 / 12.81 /  
Shelters for the Homeless / Interim Housing / Zones

Position: Support

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Sincerely,

East Hollywood Neighborhood Council

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