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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(14) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 07/20/2022

Type of NC Board Action: For

#### Impact Information

Date: 09/09/2022

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 22-0651

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: On July 20th, 2022 at a Brown Act compliant meeting, the NoHo Neighborhood Council voted 14-0-0 to support Council File 22-0651 to begin the process of creating a local preference policy for entry into subsidized affordable housing and supportive housing units. Please see the attached statement for more details.

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**PASSED 14-0-0 on DATE**

Council File: [CF 22-0651](#)

Title: Coordinated Entry System (CES) / Non-CES / Affordable Housing / Supportive Housing / Subsidy / Local Residency Preference / Tenant Selection / Affirmative Marketing Plan

Position: FOR

Summary:

On July 20th, 2022 at a Brown Act compliant meeting, the NoHo Neighborhood Council voted 14-0-0 to support Council File 22-0651 to begin the process of creating a local preference policy for entry into subsidized affordable housing and supportive housing units. As the city continues to mitigate the ongoing housing crisis, it is crucial that any available affordable housing units be used to house local residents before any prospective residents from out of town. This policy would ensure that city investments in affordable housing will meet the needs of low income and unhoused Angelenos who continue to bear the brunt of an inequitable housing market. Concerns were raised about the exact criteria used to determine whether a prospective tenant would be considered local. As such, we request that these criteria be specified in the local preference policy, and that they not be used to deny housing to a qualified candidate for any other reason. As Angelenos continue to suffer from the lack of affordable housing, we request swift action on these items.