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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(9) Nay(1) Abstain(1) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Item Number:

Summary: The Elysian Valley Riverside Neighborhood Council reiterates our original CIS dated October 17, 2022 in support of CF 22-1189 - Call for Resignations. Please see our attached letter.

**Board**

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January 11, 2023

The Elysian Valley Riverside Neighborhood Council reiterates our original CIS dated October 17, 2022 in support of [CF 22-1189](#) - Call for Resignations.

EVRNC calls on councilmember de León to immediately resign from the Los Angeles City Council.

As previously stated, de León engaged in an abhorrent conversation that disparaged and disrespected councilmember Mike Bonin and his family, other city councilmembers, the Black and indigenous communities, the redistricting process, and Angelenos everywhere.

He should take ownership of his vile and inexcusable actions and immediately resign. While resignation will not begin to repair the damage that has been done to our city, it is the first step in showing true accountability and remorse. Los Angeles cannot begin to heal while de León remains in office.

As the smallest neighborhood in Los Angeles with its own neighborhood council, we have particularly felt the lack of attention that comes from a city council that functions in this divisive and self-serving manner. Even though we are small, our neighborhood council knows the importance of being public servants. There is no place for racist remarks anywhere, and especially in public service. We serve all people.

Elysian Valley is also largely a community of renters. The fact that there were such open discussions to dilute renters' power in the city council is unethical, particularly during a housing crisis in which our community is experiencing displacement and gentrification. These comments were a slap in the face not only to our neighborhood but also to the majority of Angelenos who rent their homes.

We demand de León do the right thing and resign from his office, and we look forward to tracking the city council's progress on charter reform, gerrymandering, corruption, and many of the other important issues brought to light by these events.

Sincerely,

The Community Impact Statement Committee  
Elysian Valley Riverside Neighborhood Council