

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: I am writing to express support for Council File 23-0919, which sets into motion the development of a Capital Infrastructure Plan (CIP) in collaboration with key city departments. The City of Los Angeles requires a robust, multi-year CIP for our public right-of-way. This plan should encompass all aspects related to streets, sidewalks, trees, and public spaces within a given budget year. Furthermore, it should project funding needs for out-years (typically five to ten years) and incorporate provisions for addressing unfunded requirements and future funding opportunities and grants. Other large cities have a CIP and it provides a transparent plan for the community to understand the City's plan to invest in our infrastructure. This CIP must extend beyond road surfaces to prioritize the cleanliness and regular maintenance of sidewalks, streets, bus shelters, and other public amenities. This vision revolves around a transparent and accessible budgeted plan, ensuring that: - Community members, employees, and business owners are informed about what to expect in their neighborhoods, fostering reliability in city services. - The Mayor and City Council members can align on a citywide vision and funding strategy - City staff benefit from a clear, multi-year work plan. We encourage you to move this forward and continue to move the City to create a CIP.