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Community Impact Statement - Submission Details

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A Neighborhood Council Community Impact Statement (CIS) has been successfully submitted to your Commission or City Council. We provided information below about CISs and attached a copy of the CIS.

We encourage you to reach out to the Community Impact Statement Filer to acknowledge receipt and if this Community Impact Statement will be scheduled at a future meeting. Neighborhood Council board members are volunteers and it would be helpful if they received confirmation that you received their CIS.

The CIS process was enabled by the Los Angeles Administrative Code §Section 22.819. It provides that, "a Neighborhood Council may take a formal position on a matter by way of a Community Impact Statement (CIS) or written resolution." NCs representatives also testify before City Boards and Commissions on the item related to their CIS. If the Neighborhood Council chooses to do so, the Neighborhood Council representative must provide the Commission with a copy of the CIS or resolution sufficiently in advance for review, possible inclusion on the agenda, and posting on the Commission's website. Any information you can provide related to your agenda setting schedule is helpful to share with the NC.

If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *listed on the Commission's agenda*, during the time the matter is heard, the designated Neighborhood Council representative should be given an opportunity to present the Neighborhood Council's formal position. We encourage becoming familiar with the City Council's rules on the subject. At the Chair's discretion, the Neighborhood Council representative may be asked to have a seat at the table (or equivalent for a virtual meeting) typically reserved for City staff and may provide the Neighborhood Council representative more time than allotted to members of the general public. They are also permitted up to five (5) minutes of time to address the legislative body. If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *not listed on the agenda*, the designated Neighborhood Council representative may speak during General Public Comments.

We share this information to assist you with the docketing neighborhood council items before your board/commission. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at empowerla@lacity.org.

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Contact Information

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(6) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 10/17/2023

Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information

Date: 10/20/2023

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 23-1113

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: The Rampart Village Neighborhood Council supports Council File 23-1113 and the effort to make it easier for members of the Neighborhood Council System to participate in local government in Los Angeles City. The Rampart Village Neighborhood Council passed by a 2/3 board vote a motion: 1. To give the board and the committees virtual capabilities to ease the burden on board members and community participants alike and allow for deeper conversations and greater input on the many issues facing our City, and 2. To notify City Council of our vote and explain that virtual capabilities will allow us to accommodate the schedules of, and thereby make our meetings more useful to, our stakeholders and board members as well as representatives of government agencies and community organizations. The

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 **CIS for Council File 23-1113.pdf**
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Community Impact Statement for Council 23-1113

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October 17, 2023

Honorable Mayor of Los Angeles Karen Bass,
Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council,

Community Impact Statement Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils / Remote Meetings / SB 411 / Teleconferencing Provisions / Ralph M. Brown Act Council File 23-1113

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In service,
Rampart Village Neighborhood Council

PRESENTED BY: Shafi Ahmed
SECONDED BY: Quazi Huda
YES: 6 NO: 0 ABSTAIN: 0 ABSENT: 3 INELIGIBLE: 0
ON THIS DATE: October 17, 2023