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Your Community Impact Statement Submittal - Council File Number: 24-0602

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

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Impact Information

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Summary: Proposed CIS in Support of CF 24-0602 If Amended - See Attached

Proposed CIS in Support of CF 24-0602 If Amended

The Northwest San Pedro Neighborhood Council (NWSPNC) is concerned about artificial turf. We also recognize the need for playing fields and other open green spaces. Currently, it appears that grass is the only viable alternative to artificial turf for such fields. However, grass requires water and fertilizer which have their own environmental problems, particularly in light of California's persistent drought conditions.

Therefore, the NWSPNC supports the proposed substitute motion in CF 24-0602 which requests a number of analyses of synthetic turf vs natural grass fields. The motion should, however be **AMENDED**, to include an investigation and analysis of any newer types of synthetic turf and an ongoing mechanism for reviewing new types of turf if they become available. Also, if the City is considering mandating the removal/replacement/banning of artificial turf, a CEQA analysis should be required