

Communication from Public

Name: Stephanie Rose Van

Date Submitted: 06/12/2024 12:07 PM

Council File No: 24-0656

Comments for Public Posting: I strongly support a Ceasefire Resolution in Los Angeles, the city in which I was born and raised. An unfathomable number of lives have been lost and forever changed and a city as large and powerful as Los Angeles must be complicit no longer!

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Name: Kiran G

Date Submitted: 06/12/2024 08:30 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I'm writing as a constituent of Los Angeles as a strong supporter of the ceasefire resolution introduced at council last week. City Council has a responsibility to represent the growing number of Angelenos who support a permanent end to the devastation in Gaza and allowing humanitarian aid to the hundreds of thousands of Palestinians who face starvation and homelessness. Billions of dollars of aid are going towards funding a genocide of the Palestinian people, countless in Los Angeles, California, and the US struggle with homelessness, unemployment, lack of access to food and healthcare, and more. School districts across the country are on track to lose significant federal resources with the expiration of the COVID funding. Recent aid packages given to Israel could of funded the Biden Child Tax Credit - a marquee progressive domestic policy that was defunded during COVID. Lastly, state governments and municipalities are facing down budget deficits, we experienced this with our own city budget, and instead of funding genocide in Gaza the federal government should fund the revitalization of our cities and neighborhoods. Over the last 2 months, we have seen cities across Los Angeles County pass ceasefire resolutions because the consensus is clear that working people are tired of war, reject genocide, and believe the least we can do is demand an end to the violence by calling for a ceasefire

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Name: Carrie Grace

Date Submitted: 06/12/2024 08:35 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: It's time for Los Angeles City Council to pass a resolution calling for a permanent Ceasefire NOW in Palestine. I know that my council member, Nithya Raman, has made a statement in support of a ceasefire. As a Los Angeles resident I'd like to see my city standing for peace and I call on Los Angeles City Council to do right by the city of angels and the people of Palestine. Ceasefire NOW!

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Name: miranda vaniderstine
Date Submitted: 06/12/2024 08:45 PM
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Comments for Public Posting: Cease fire in Gaza now. Stop sending weapons to Israel.

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Name: Josh

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Comments for Public Posting: It is now entering the 9th month of a Holocaust level genocide in Gaza and the council has yet to do anything in response. This is shameful as a Jewish person who lost family in the Holocaust; and the city's response to our repeated protests and demands for action being police violence is even more shameful and reproachable. The time is long overdue for this council to take some sort of substantive action against the Zionist entity and its 76+ year genocide. Please vote for a ceasefire today as city councils of decades past took a stand against South African apartheid, as they had a chance to act proactively amidst the 60s civil rights movement, or during the Holocaust itself. Don't stand on the wrong side of history. 40,000 deaths, at least 15,000 of which are children, and not even a call for peace is absurd. What will your children and grandchildren think of you when they find out you stood on the side of bombing refugee camps, forced starvation, and torture camps and systematic sexual violence? Starting by passing a ceasefire resolution, every minute you have a chance to act better and leave a legacy that will make the future proud instead of ashamed. Make your choice wisely