

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: End Vietnam's Dog & Cat Meat Trade The brutal reality of Vietnam's dog and cat meat trade demands immediate action. Millions of innocent animals endure unimaginable suffering, subjected to horrific cruelty in the name of consumption. Driven by the tireless efforts of animal advocate Jeffrey Mausner and the Valley Alliance of Neighborhood Councils (VANC) members, Los Angeles has a unique opportunity to leverage its influence and create meaningful change. Building upon their successful efforts to condemn the dog meat trade in South Korea and beyond, VANC is now spearheading the "Sister City Project," aimed at establishing a conditional relationship with Hanoi, Vietnam, that hinges on ending this barbaric practice. This initiative aligns with Los Angeles' existing official stance against the dog meat trade, as clearly outlined in City Council Resolution 19-0002-S101.