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## Your Community Impact Statement Submittal - Council File Number: 25-0600-S7

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To: Clerk.CIS@lacity.org, tlongcore@babnc.org

Mon, Aug 4, 2025 at 12:13 PM

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](mailto:empowerla@lacity.org).

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### Contact Information

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(23) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 06/25/2025

Type of NC Board Action: For

### Impact Information

Date: 08/04/2025

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 25-0600-S7

City Planning Number:

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: On behalf of the Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council (BABCNC), we submit this Community Impact Statement in strong support of Council File 25-0600-S7, introduced by Councilmembers Traci Park and Imelda Padilla, which calls for restoring Neighborhood Council funding to a minimum annual allocation of \$32,000, along with the reinstatement of rollover authority for unspent funds from the prior fiscal year.

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July 29, 2025

Los Angeles City Council  
City Hall  
200 N. Spring Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

**RE: Community Impact Statement in SUPPORT of Council File 25-0600-S7  
Motion by Councilmembers Traci Park and Imelda Padilla — Restoration of  
Neighborhood Council Funding and Rollover Authority**

Dear Honorable Council President and Councilmembers:

On behalf of the Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council (BABCNC), we submit this Community Impact Statement in strong support of Council File 25-0600-S7, introduced by Councilmembers Traci Park and Imelda Padilla, which calls for restoring Neighborhood Council funding to a minimum annual allocation of \$32,000, along with the reinstatement of rollover authority for unspent funds from the prior fiscal year.

Neighborhood Councils are essential to civic participation and the democratic process envisioned in the Los Angeles City Charter. The current funding level is insufficient to support the basic functions of our councils, including administrative operations, stakeholder outreach, public safety initiatives, and community partnerships with schools, nonprofits, and service providers. The proposed amount falls significantly short of the original \$50,000 baseline established at the inception of the system and fails to reflect years of inflation or the increasing responsibilities borne by Neighborhood Councils citywide.

We further urge the Council to restore the ability to carry forward unspent funds into the next fiscal year. Rollover authority is critical for responsible financial planning and enables councils to fund multi-year projects, emergency preparedness efforts, and community programs that

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Holmby Hills Homeowners Association  
Laurel Canyon Association  
Residents of Beverly Glen

**RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS**

Bel Air Glen District  
Franklin-Coldwater District  
North of Sunset District  
**NON-RESIDENTIAL REPRESENTATION**  
At-Large Members  
Commercial or Office Enterprise Districts  
Custodians of Open Space  
Faith-Based Institutions  
Public Schools  
Private Schools K–6 and 7–12

cannot be fully executed within a single budget cycle. Its elimination disrupts continuity and penalizes fiscal prudence.

We respectfully request that the City Council adopt this motion to ensure Neighborhood Councils have the necessary resources to serve their communities effectively and to fulfill their mandates with stability and integrity.

This position was adopted unanimously by the Board of the Bel Air-Beverly Crest Neighborhood Council at its regularly scheduled public meeting on June 25, 2025, with 23 members present and voting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Travis Longcore", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Travis Longcore, Ph.D.  
President

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Vadim Levotman", in a cursive script.

Vadim Levotman, CPA  
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