COUNCIL FILE 11-0262

From: <<u>steppingstonesrh@verizon.net</u>> Date: Mon, Nov 7, 2011 at 10:58 AM Subject: Fwd: letter To: <u>Reyes@lacity.org</u>, <u>Cardenas@lacity.org</u>, <u>Sharon.Gin@lacity.org</u>

Nov 6, 2011 04:47:47 AM, soberdon@comcast.net wrote:

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Paul Dumont SAMPLE LETTER TO COUNCIL - PLEASE SEND AND DISTRIBUTE

The Honorable Ed Reyes, Chairman Planning & Land Use Management City of Los Angeles Councilmember 200 North Spring Street, Room 410 Los Angeles, CA 90012-1793 Councilmember.Reyes@lacity.org

The Honorable Tony Cardenas, Chairman Housing, Community & Economic Development City of Los Angeles Councilmember 200 North Spring Street, room 455 Los Angeles, CA 90012-2597 Councilmember.Cardenas@LACity.org

RE: JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING: COMMUNITY CARE FACILITIES CF No. 11-0262

To the Hon Messrs. Cardenas and Reyes:

I am writing to urge you to schedule a joint committee meeting for the Community Care Facilities (CCF) proposed ordinance. The draft is pending in the Planning & Land Use Management Committee. The ordinance would impact housing issues as much, if not more than, planning and land use.

Several concerns have already been raised by the Los Angeles Housing Dept. about possible problems with the proposed CCF ordinance including potential conflicts with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Fair Housing Act, and its potential threat to HUD funded projects in Los Angeles (including CDBG) if challenges to the ordinance show either direct or disparate discrimination against disabled or other protected classes.

We feel this warrants the attention of a joint committee to review the potential housing concerns that fall under the jurisdiction of the Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Respectfully,

CC: City Clerk's Office - Sharon Gin Sharon.Gin@LACity.org for Public Comment File

Patricia Flood, NCAC, CAS II Executive Director From: Ramona Robertson <<u>ramona@cvrshome.org</u>> Date: Mon, Nov 7, 2011 at 9:22 AM Subject: Community Care Facilities (CF No. 11-0262) To: <u>Reyes@lacity.org</u> Cc: Sharon.Gin@lacity.org

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Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully,

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