PLUM Agenda May 28 - CF 11-1705 (Sign Ordinance)

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Dear Ms. Moreno,

It is important for members of the PLUM Committee to understand that the listing of neighborhood councils that have submitted Community Impact Statements is, as compiled on the agenda for the May 28 PLUM meeting, misleading.

The Sign Ordinance has been under consideration by the PLUM Committee for many years now. The Council File number on the item was changed and various changes were suggested by PLUM members to the proposed ordinance. The CIS statements submitted over time were in support of (or in opposition to) different versions of the proposed ordinance.

Neighborhood councils have overwhelmingly expressed support for a strong sign ordinance and for an ordinance that can and will be enforced. Motions of opposition were issued in opposition to the efforts of past PLUM Committee members to weaken the proposed ordinance from that which was passed by the City Planning Commission (Version B+).

Please inform members of the Committee, all of whom were not PLUM Committee members as this measure was being considered.

Thank you,

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