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**Fwd: comments on street vending**

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**John White** <john.white@lacity.org>

Wed, Nov 30, 2016 at 3:56 PM

To: Carolina Peters <carolina.peters@lacity.org>

please attach Ms. Ryan's comment to CF 13-1493 as a communication from the public.

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From: **Jackie Ryan** <jackiekr1972@gmail.com>

Date: Wed, Nov 30, 2016 at 3:42 PM

Subject: comments on street vending

To: john.white@lacity.org, Jackie Ryan <jackiekr1972@gmail.com>

Greetings Mr. White,Re: cf13-1493

I am against the city paying for street vending.

My rent and expenses of my small retail business is very high.

The city is seeking to be the landlord for street vendors

by allowing them to occupy the sidewalks the city then becomes the landlord for them.

If that is the case the city must then pay my rent in order not to discriminate against

the two classes of renters. I think the City should pay all the business owners rents if they are going to pay the street vendors rent.

This is actual discrimination. Favoring one against another. Treating one to free rent while making the rest of us pay higher rent.

If it is to be fair and equitable the city must pay all business owners rent. Why should I pay my high rent and also in addition pay for street vendors rent? Will you also pay the street vendors portion of the BID? Mine is about \$1000.00 each year. The City can pay that for me too if they are going to pay it for the street vendors. How about commercial trash cans for which we business owners have to pay for. You can pay that for us as well as the street vendors.

Again pay all business owners rents and fees if the city is going to pay street vendors rents and fees.

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