

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: 15-0499-S1 – I support this motion to examine Los Angeles Urban Tree Canopy and to implement a comprehensive approach to increasing biodiversity and the urban tree canopy rather on a project by project basis. I urge you to move quickly to review and institute these policies as our urban tree canopy is diminishing quickly and until such policies are put in place I request the City institute a moratorium on the removal of all trees unless the trees are dead or diseased as determined by an independent arborist. Here on my own block, developers even lied to us about saving mature trees that were in place. In the end, they were all destroyed in favor of tons of cement. Urban canopies need to be preserved before ripping them out, not after.

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Name: Jeanne McConnell

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Comments for Public Posting: I support this motion to examine Los Angeles Urban Tree Canopy as a whole, and to implement a comprehensive and uniform approach to increasing biodiversity and the urban tree canopy rather than on a project by project basis. I urge you to move quickly to review and institute these policies as our urban tree canopy is diminishing quickly and until such policies are put in place I request the City institute a moratorium on the removal of all trees unless the trees are dead or diseased as determined by an independent arborists.