

ORDINANCE NO. 184243

An ordinance adding Section 22.819 to the Los Angeles Administrative Code to enable a City Board or Commission to give enhanced consideration to a Neighborhood Council's position on a pending item for neighborhood councils.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. A new Section 22.819 is added to Article 3 of Chapter 28 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to read as follows:

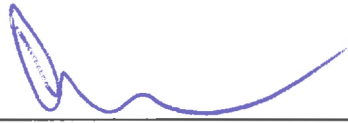
Sec. 22.819. Neighborhood Council Input at City Board and Commission Meetings.

(a) **Formal Position.** The Neighborhood Council may take a formal position on an issue being considered by the City at the Neighborhood Council's publicly agendized meeting. The Neighborhood Council board's formal position shall be reduced to a Community Impact Statement filed with the City Clerk or a written Resolution.


(b) **Board and Commission Meetings.** The agenda for each City Board or Commission meeting shall contain an agenda item for a Neighborhood Council representative to provide the Neighborhood Council's formal position on any matter listed on the agenda for that Board or Commission meeting. The Neighborhood Council representative shall provide the Board or Commission with a copy of the Neighborhood Council's Resolution or Community Impact Statement. The agenda item for the Neighborhood Council's formal position should be listed on the agenda in an order that ensures prompt consideration of the Neighborhood Council position and should be listed separately from general public comment. In the chair's discretion at the City Board or Commission meeting, the Neighborhood Council representative may be asked to have a seat at the table typically reserved for City staff and may provide the Neighborhood Council representative more comment time than allotted to members of the general public.

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records. I hereby certify that this ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles, at its meeting of APR 13 2016.


HOLLY L. WOLCOTT, City Clerk

By  Deputy

Approved 4/21/16

 Mayor

Approved as to Form and Legality
MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

By 
DARREN R. MARTINEZ
Deputy City Attorney

Date 12/14/15

File No. 15-0389 and 15-0524

DECLARATION OF POSTING ORDINANCE

I, JUAN VERANO, state as follows: I am, and was at all times hereinafter mentioned, a resident of the State of California, over the age of eighteen years, and a Deputy City Clerk of the City of Los Angeles, California.

Ordinance No.184243 – Adding Section 22.819 to the Los Angeles Administrative Code to enable a City Board or Commission to give enhanced consideration to a Neighborhood Council’s position on a pending item for neighborhood councils – a copy of which is hereto attached, was finally adopted by the Los Angeles City Council on **April 13, 2016**, and under the direction of said City Council and the City Clerk, pursuant to Section 251 of the Charter of the City of Los Angeles and Ordinance No. 172959, on **April 25, 2016** I posted a true copy of said ordinance at each of the three public places located in the City of Los Angeles, California, as follows: 1) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; 2) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; 3) one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Copies of said ordinance were posted conspicuously beginning on **April 25, 2016** and will be continuously posted for ten or more days.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signed this **25th** day of **April 2016** at Los Angeles, California.



Juan Verano, Deputy City Clerk