BUSINESS SUPPORT FOR CLEAN UP GREEN UP ORDINANCE

Clean Up Green Up

To the Planning Land Use Management Committee Members;

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I am a business owner or operator within one of the three LA pitot heighborhoods – Boyle Heights, Pacolma/Sun Valvey and Withington – and support the proposed Clean Up Green Up Ordinance (CF#15-1026). I strongly support much needed local regulatory tools to reduce and prevent focal pollution in our communities, making them better and safer places to five and work. I support Clean Up Green Up business benefits in my community, including help with permitting, compliance with regulations, and help accessing green money-saving government and utility programs. I eagerly anticipate the passage of Clean Up Green Up and look forward to the success of the three pilot zones, which will lead the way to economic innovations and a healthier, sefer and greener Los Angeles.

Add your name to the Business Support for Clean Up Green Up Ordinance polition, PLEASE WAITE CLEARLY,

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February 26, 2016

Honorable Councilmember Herb Wesson President, Los Angeles City Council

Members Los Angeles City Council Via email

RE: Clean Up Green Up Ordinance (CF#15-1026)

Dear Council President Herb Wesson,

On behalf of Food & Water Watch I respectfully submit this letter in support of the Clean Up Green Up Initiative Ordinance, which we understand is currently under review by the City Attorney and will be pending approval within the next coming months.

We strongly support the proposed new development standards for the three pilot Green Zones of Boyle Heights, Pacoima/Sun Valley and Wilmington because they provide much needed local regulatory tools to address issues arising from the proximity of incompatible land uses – largely industrial uses close to homes, schools, parks and other places where vulnerable populations gather. The standards also deal with the cumulative adverse impacts that result from concentrations of certain uses close to such sensitive uses.

In addition, we support the Los Angeles Collaborative for Environmental Justice (Communities for a Better Environment, Coalition for a Safe Environment, Pacoima Beautiful & Union de Vecinos) in their effort to monitor the ordinance as it moves forward for passage by the full city council to ensure the ordinance contains the strongest local regulatory and land use tools possible, especially regarding the proposed conditional use permit for oil refineries and asphalt manufacturers.

We eagerly anticipate the passage of the Clean Up Green Up policies and we look forward to the success of the three pilot zones, which will lead the way to economic innovations and a healthier, safer and greener Los Angeles.

Sincerely,

Walker Foley Southern California Organizer Food & Water Watch

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