



April 21,2017

RE: Opposition to Agenda Item #16-1357

Please include this letter into public record to be included in any hearing, studies and or reports pertaining to this issue.

Dear Committee Members,

My name is David Allsberry and I am a co-owner of my company ANIMALS FOR HOLLYWOOD, LLC. For the last 35 years I have dedicated myself to working with animals in zoos, amusement parks and the motion picture industry. I would like to add my voice to the strong opposition that this proposed ordinance is receiving. As a professional animal trainer in Teamsters Union 399, myself and my company are regulated by agencies of the USDA, LA County, LA City and animal protection agencies like American Humane and Movie Animals Protected. Please do not succumb to a small minority of people who want a world where there is no animal ownership of any kind. It is plainly apparent that this proposal is just one of the first steps towards that goal.

Thank you for your attention on this matter

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