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I want my voice heard on zoning in my neighborhood

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To: Sharon.dickinson@lacity.org

Sun, May 13, 2018 at 8:47 AM

A zoning change is being considered for Brookside, where I live. I am being told that thanks to David Ryu, I don't even get to vote on it, that I have no voice. That is wrong. I live in the heart of Brookside, and my voice should be considered just as anyone else in my neighborhood gets to have their voice heard. I don't want all V3 in my neighborhood. The split zoning option, with older homes being R3, is the reasonable compromise. We bought into this neighborhood for its character and we should be entitled to at least vote on the options to keep this character.

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Brookside zoning change

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I am a 26 year resident of Brookside and can't imagine finding another neighborhood in Los Angeles with the same wonderful character as ours. That's why I lobbied for the R3 designation for the entire neighborhood, but accepted the split-zoning to accommodate some of my neighbors. Now I learn that V3 may be imposed on the entire neighborhood, but I no longer have a say in the decision. How is that democratic? How does compromising to be a good neighbor result in a waiving of my rights?

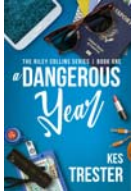
Please allow ALL of Brookside to have a say in the zoning decision that will affect us for decades to come.

Very truly yours,

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Two zone support for Brookside

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Hello,

My name is Roxanne Steiny and my address is 929 S. Mullen Avenue in Brookside. Please let the record state that my husband J.T. Steiny and I are in full support of the Planning Department's decision and PLUM's approval of split zoning (R3 and V3) in Brookside. Thank you kindly for making note of our position.

Respectfully yours,
Roxanne Steiny

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I believe in Majority Rule, Property Rights & Freedom of Choice

Until now, we have enjoyed these in Brookside. Our elected Board of Directors after membership meetings and community outreach endorsed R1V3RG for the whole of Brookside.

If we don't like the decisions of our elected Board, we can replace the Board Members.

We have little recourse against the naysayers.

I believe that neighborhoods are made up of people. Young people with growing families are a necessary component if a neighborhood is to survive.

I notice that some neighbors with the 30 ft. set back, that have enlarged their homes to the rear, seem not to have enough space in the rear and use the front yards for their children's play area. In an effort to hide the toys and such from public view and to provide a measure of safety for their children, they erect fences and grow hedges.

Someone calls Building & Safety and they are Cited for a fence height violation

I don't believe separate is equal and am troubled that the parties that promote restrictions are older without growing families, live in two story homes and stir seeds of dissension. I believe them all to be good people but misguided or perhaps they just don't get it.

I have been a resident in Brookside for approximately 40 years and was President for over 35 years, only recently resigning. I am in my third term as President of Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council. I find these attacks on the Process to be baseless, misleading and without merit.

Our system of governance does not give veto power to a few over the stated wishes of the many nor does it reward scrofulous behavior.

I urge that you grant the R1V3RG Zone for the whole of Brookside as requested by the Brookside Board of Directors.

Respectfully,

Owen Smith, Longwood Ave. Resident

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We ALL pay property taxes and we should ALL be able to vote on what can be done to our property.

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Sent from my iPad
Please forgive all typos