
REGARDING CITY COUNCIL FILE #17-0453

1 message

From: 'Siobhan Morrow' via Clerk - Public Use - Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>
To: Los Angeles City Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>
At: Wed, Sep 5, 2018 at 10:19 AM

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At: Tue, Sep 4, 2018 at 11:46 PM

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Because it's cruel to keep him locked up.

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