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## **Please Support Motion 18-0350**

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Dear Honorable Members of the City Council,

As your constituent, I ask that you please support Motion 18-0350 to expand pet-friendly housing in Los Angeles.

Each year, nearly 30,000 dogs and cats are surrendered to shelters in Los Angeles alone. Between 2011 and 2015, 23% of all dog surrenders and 19% of all cat surrenders were due to a lack of petfriendly housing options.

There is no reason that those who are willing and able to care for their pet should be forced to part with their beloved animal due to a lack of housing options.

If passed, this motion could help ensure that pets and people stay together and that housing is no longer an impossible barrier to families, low-income individuals or the homeless who love and care for their pets.

Again, I respectfully ask that you please support Motion 18-0350. Thank you for your consideration of my position.

Sincerely,

Dena Schwimmer