

#### Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org>

## **HELP MAKE LA FUR FREE!**

7 messages

Titus Rivas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: titusrivas@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:23 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Titus Rivas titusrivas@hotmail.com Darrenhof 9 Nijmegen, 6533RT

Alisa Adobajor <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: buena.80@mail.ru To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:37 AM

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Sincerely,

Alisa Adobajor buena.80@mail.ru Lenin st. Moscow, Mocква 107150

Vilya Ageeva <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vilya.akmeeva@mail.ru To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Vilya Ageeva vilya.akmeeva@mail.ru Seventh Creek rd. San Diego, California 92177

Cinzia Caporali <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cici4ever@hotmail.it To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:21 AM

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Cinzia Caporali cici4ever@hotmail.it Via Verdi 3, 4 Milano, Texas 20051

correia correia <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: claudia-correia@live.com.pt To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

correia correia claudia-correia@live.com.pt port 307 portimão, 21250

Danielle Lott <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: daniellelott14@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Danielle Lott daniellelott14@gmail.com 7607 Ridgewood Everett, Washington 98203

Frederic Jaubert <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jaubert-f@hotmail.fr To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Frederic Jaubert jaubert-f@hotmail.fr 40 rue Giffard Pont de Chéruy, 38230





## Respect animals

1 message

FABIO TROTTI <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: PONGO@tin.it To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

**FABIO TROTTI** PONGO@TIN.IT Via Cavour Roma, Lazio 00141



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# **Fur Action: This is URGENT**

1 message

Mikaelah Villacruz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mikaelahgvillacruz@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Mikaelah Villacruz

Mikaelah Villacruz mikaelahgvillacruz@gmail.com 9550 West Sahara Ave Las Vegas, Nevada 89117



#### Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org>

# Let My People Go

1 message

Robert Merritt <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: r.j.merritt@outlook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:07 PM

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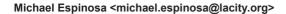
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Robert Merritt r.j.merritt@outlook.com 8561 Mellmanor Dr la mesa, California 91942





#### Ban fur!!

1 message

Yasmina Torrecillas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ytorrelo@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Yasmina

Yasmina Torrecillas ytorrelo@gmail.com 5434 Sierra vista ave, apt 18 Los Angeles, California 90038



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# Fight for what's right

1 message

Samantha Estrada <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: samanthaestradaa06@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 10:07 AM

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Sincerely, Samantha Estrada

Samantha Estrada samanthaestradaa06@gmail.com 732 Milonga st Las Vegas, Nevada 89138'



#### Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org>

#### Fur Ban

18 messages

Frances Harwood <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: raiderfran@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Frances Harwood raiderfran@yahoo.com 2086 stirrup path Seaford, New York 11783

Melissa Sobolewski <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: melsobolewski@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Melissa Sobolewski melsobolewski@gmail.com 555 S Barrington Ave La, California 90049

Charles Coleman <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: CCole490@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely.

**CHARLES Coleman** 

Charles Coleman CCole490@vahoo.com 27707 Morning Glory Santa Clarita, California 91350

Dina Appel <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dina.appel@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Dina Appel

Dina Appel dina.appel@gmail.com S Genesee Ave

Los Angeles, California 90019

Laurie Hoopingarner <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: spartanspirit0781@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Laurie Hoopingarner spartanspirit0781@yahoo.com 1713 Fairview Lansing, Michigan 48912

Trevy Thomas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: virginiagingered@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Trevy Thomas

Trevy Thomas virginiagingered@gmail.com P.o. Box 8202 Fredericksburg, Virginia 22407

Chris Shay <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: chris.shay@mckesson.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Chris Shay chris.shay@mckesson.com 4104 Greenwood dr Des Moines, Iowa 50312

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Sincerely, Jason Tan

Lauren Tan laurentan24@gmail.com 555 south Barrington Avenue Los Angelas, California 90049

Trinity Olvera <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: trinityolvera@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Trinity Olvera, age 18

Trinity Olvera trinityolvera@gmail.com 1533 Wildberry Lane Oak Harbor, Washington 98277

Madison Stickel <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Stickel@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Madison

Madison Stickel Stickel@yahoo.com 8915 I ave Hesperia, California 92345 Kurt Cadet <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kurtcadet@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

**Kurt Cadet** kurtcadet@gmail.com 7380 w Russell rd Las Vegas, Nevada 89113

Selena Perez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: selenapereztexan22@gmaill.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:22 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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There can be no quarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane."

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Selena Perez selenapereztexan22@gmaill.com 1240 clover In Colton, California 95465

Tina Overgaard <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: xenaovergaard@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:11 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

Although we live in a modern and progressive society, there are still some outdated practices and methods that are cruel, outdated, and simply not needed.

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

I understand the need for fur during the tertiary period, however, today we possess the technology that provides us with fabrics and materials that are superior to fur.

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Sincerely,

Tina Overgaard

Tina Overgaard xenaovergaard@yahoo.com 615 Cherry Canyon Drive Wanship, Utah 84017

Franciele Ritz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: franciele21@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:16 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Franciele Ritz franciele21@hotmail.com 66 rue des Martyrs de la Liberation, étage 1 Le Creusot, Bourgogne-Franche-Comté 71200

Emma F <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: efarrington8@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:55 PM

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Sincerely,

Emma

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Nicole Norman <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nicoleytgf@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Nicole Norman Nicole Norman nicoleytgf@gmail.com 26 E. Serene Ave. Las Vegas, Nevada 89123

Mechelle Bollon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mymechel@msn.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:09 PM

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Sincerely,

Mechelle Bollon mymechel@msn.com 10153-1/2 Riverside Drive #187 Toluca Lake, California 91602

Chris Silcox <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ctsilcox06@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:47 PM

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Chris Silcox ctsilcox06@gmail.com 1033 Country Club Lane Ashland, Ohio 44805





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1 message

Olivia Jones <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: livbeinfinite@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 7:27 AM

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Sincerely,

Olivia

Olivia Jones livbeinfinite@gmail.com 155 E 92nd St. New York, New York 10128



Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org>

# Please I beg you stop the torture of animals they are not ours to torture and kill. Please stop this 1 message

Deb Ray <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dhlobick@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:54 PM

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## LA FUR BAN

100 messages

Karlie Estrada <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: karlietorrey@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:34 AM

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Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am a proud resident of Los Angeles and I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in our city. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. If we consider ourselves a progressive city of animal lovers, we cannot support their unnecessary suffering simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

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By putting an end to the sale of fur in our city, we would encourage creativity and alternatives. Los Angeles is a city of innovation, it is not a city that tolerates archaic and cruel practices even for the sake of the "livelihoods" of a few individuals who refuse to evolve to a changing marketplace.

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Sincerely,

Karlie Estrada karlietorrey@gmail.com 11 maplewood st Hampton, Virginia 23669

Ashley Flynn <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ashleysummersflynn@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:36 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am a resident of Long Beach and I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in the City of Los Angeles. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. I moved to Los Angeles County from Florida, because as a bisexual woman, I knew that Los Angeles was a progressive place, where it would be safe for me to live authentically. But a city cannot call itself progressive while supporting the unnecessary suffering of sentient individuals, simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

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Sincerely.

Ashley Flynn ashleysummersflynn@gmail.com 1251 East Appleton Street Unit 3 Long Beach, California 90802

Krissia Sheehey <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Krissia.Sheehey@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Krissia Sheehev Krissia.Sheehev@gmail.com 2112 Bonnywood lane Silver spring, Maryland 20902

maria rios <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: towniechick8@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

maria rios towniechick8@yahoo.com 19 overlook ridge rd #429 revere, Massachusetts 02151 Dana Pagano <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: danapag@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:43 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely.

Dana Pagano danapag@aol.com 1206 Barnhill Lane Lincoln, California 95648

Franca Livelli <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: francalivelli@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Franca Livelli francalivelli@hotmail.com 8860 Corbin Ave. 101 Northridge, CA 91324

Nikola Ninkovic <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: niknink2@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Nikola Ninkovic niknink2@gmail.com 8902 Nottingham pl San Diego, California 92037 Reply-To: lizettesalgado05@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Lizette Salgado lizettesalgado05@gmail.com magnolia dr watsonville, California 95076

Sandra Traverso <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: wooohsandr@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:02 AM

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Sincerely,

Sandra Traverso wooohsandr@gmail.com 13553 Ashland In Fontana, California 92336

Dillon Price <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dillonrprice@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely. Dillon Price

Dillon Price dillonrprice@gmail.com 1584 Chert Dr San Marcos, California 92078 Amanda Payne <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: aspayne90@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:03 AM

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Amanda Payne aspayne90@yahoo.com 12111 Ferncrest pl Sandiego, California 92128

Michelle Loulis <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: msztraicher@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Michelle Loulis msztraicher@gmail.com 11002 Ayres Avenue Los Angeles, California 90064

Alisha Manzanares <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: amanzan430@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:04 AM

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Alisha Manzanares amanzan430@yahoo.com 3600 Val verde In Modesto, California 95350

Shelly Paredes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: shellyparedes@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:07 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

As a visitor to LA from a neighboring state, I am writing to urge the city council to ban the manufacture and sale of fur in the City of Los Angeles, joining other progressive, forwardthinking cities like San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood.

I, and all work colleagues, friends and family who have become aware of fur industry practices, are absolutely appalled by the inhumane treatment of animals on fur farms. I grew up on a farm and am horrified by the cruelty. The fur that is sold within LA City limits comes from sentient beings who suffer and experience pain. We cannot continue to tolerate an industry that profits off this kind cruelty for such trivial ends in an era where science is showing us that animals have complex emotional lives. Even celebrities who have been approached by the fur industry to appear with their "products" suffer strong disapproval from their fans. That the industry is desperately seeking a level of acceptance from the public through celebrity exposure demonstrates that the public does not consider the industry a humane or beneficial practice in our society.

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Though I realize that the reality of placing a ban on fur has impacts outside of ethics, due to the fact that we live in a society that regularly profits from animal exploitation, but we can change that. The parties involved who oppose a ban on fur are primarily motivated by monetary gain (or in this case, monetary loss)—such as the Fur Information Council of America, which directly profits from the sale of fur, creating a clear conflict of interest. Whereas those who support the ban have nothing to gain financially by banning fur. It simply should be done because it's right. And as a moral society, it is our responsibility to have perspective, and view oppression through the eyes of the oppressed, not the oppressor. To allow the sale of fur is to prioritize money over ethics.

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Make this stop please.

Lausanne, Vaud 1004

Sincerely.

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Think of the treatment on the other hand. Would you like this done to you ?! Absolutely disgusting.

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## Inhumane acts

1 message

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Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 1:50 AM

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The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink. Faux fur is the fake fur and doesnt involve in harming ANY animal.

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

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## Ban fur please!

1 message

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Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 7:20 AM

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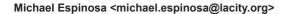
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Thank you again for your strength to stand up for these animals and to work on behalf of our city. I also urge that all members of the city council vote in favor of the measure when the time comes.

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## **LA FUR BAN**

85 messages

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I am writing to ask you to support the ban on the manufacture and sale of fur products in the city of Los Angeles. I was proud and excited to hear that the city is considering a ban on the sale of products from an extremely cruel and inhumane industry.

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Thank you again for your strength to stand up for these animals and to work on behalf of our city. I also urge that all members of the city council vote in favor of the measure when the time comes.

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ADISON S. The person who wants change, and jumps in when I can.

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Celia Clarke

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Sincerely,

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Michael Espinosa,

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Please support the fur ban. San Francisco just passed a ban as well. Let's help make history for the animals. Besides, who needs a fur coat in Southern California?

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#### Ban fur

14 messages

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**Taylor Graetz** taylorgraetzz@gmail.com Tanami Broome, 6725

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Sara Catsellis saravh14@hotmail.com Yeniseos Christou Lemesos, Λεμεσος 4645

Megan Rogers <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: meg.sanders11@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:04 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Megan Rogers meg.sanders11@gmail.com 119 S Chesterfield Rd Columbus. Ohio 43209

Penelope West <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: penny\_wst@yahoo.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:46 AM

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Sincerely,

Penelope West penny\_wst@yahoo.co.uk **Bowland Court** Harrogate, England HG2 7TJ

Deep Shi <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: angel.usha00@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:55 PM

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Sincerely,

Deep Shi angel.usha00@gmail.com Ы PI, São Paulo 1234



## Make L.A. Fur-Free.

1 message

Niall Masterson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nfmasterson@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 12:22 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely, Niall Masterson.

Niall Masterson nfmasterson@gmail.com 82 Hillside Drive Mullingar, Westmeath N91 H7N3



## Who needs fur???

1 message

Ali Van Zee <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: yourali747@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:41 PM

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Sincerely,

Ali Van Zee yourali747@gmail.com 545 N Harold St Fort Bragg, California 95537



## Stop animal cruelty

1 message

Esther Holguin <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: holguinesther@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 4:16 AM

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Sincerely,

Esther Holguin holguinesther@yahoo.com 241-43 148rd Rosedale, queens, New York 11422





## **COUNCILMEMBER MIKE BONIN**

1 message

Maria Caterina Budroni <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mughitta@tiscali.it To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 3:32 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Maria Caterina Budroni mughitta@tiscali.it via roma 47 oschiri, Sardegna 07027





#### **Ban Fur Now**

1 message

Sina Clark <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: clarksina@outlook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:22 PM

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Sincerely,

Sina Clark

Sina Clark clarksina@outlook.com 6850 Mission Gorge Rd San Diego, California 92120



# **Ban Fur Killings**

1 message

Sam Arneson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: justice4pawz@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 5:23 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely, Sam Arneson

Sam Arneson justice4pawz@yahoo.com 2633 E Jackson Ave Orange, California 92867



## Please Approve the Fur Ban in LA

1 message

Mel Rosales <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: pinklilyh9@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:20 PM

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Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing to ask you to support the ban on the manufacture and sale of fur products in the city of Los Angeles. I was proud and excited to hear that the city is considering a ban on the sale of products from an extremely cruel and inhumane industry. There is no need to continue this horrific practice, there are faux alternatives that can be used, and these are being adopted by famous celebrities and designers! It's time things change not only for the defenseless animals but also to set the right example for future generations, to teach them compassion and the importance of every life on this earth.

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Sincerely.

Mel Rosales

Mel Rosales pinklilyh9@gmail.com 1732 Henderson Ave Long Beach, California 90813



# Obviously, "mankind" has turned into something that can not be explained. Stop inflicting human ignorance and insanity on our animals. This ignorance is staggering and on one has any right. **Period**

1 message

Kaylynn Wilson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rightsofanimals8@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:04 PM

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Sincerely,

Kaylynn Wilson rightsofanimals8@gmail.com 16332 Muskrat Dr. SE Rainier, Washington 98576





1 message

Durann Grijalva <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: duranngrijalva@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 12:02 AM

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Sincerely,

Durann Grijalva duranngrijalva@yahoo.com 4726 Hawley crt Las vegas, Nevada 89127





## Ban all sales of fur

1 message

Mary Tutunjyan <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mtutunjyan@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:41 PM

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Sincerely,

Mary Tutunjyan mtutunjyan@yahoo.com Canown Van Nuys, California 91405





#### Please Read

2 messages

tom cast <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: tomascastillo88@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:43 PM

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Sincerely,

tom cast tomascastillo88@gmail.com 160 crown hill ave los angeles, California 90027

Chiana Jim <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: chianajim@gamil.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 5:16 AM

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Sincerely,

Chiana Jim chianajim@gamil.com 305 Northlake Blvd apt 1003 Altamonte Springs, Florida 32701





## You know this is wrong

1 message

Alicia Smuts <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: aliciasmuts007@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 9:31 AM

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Sincerely,

Alicia Smuts aliciasmuts007@gmail.com 132 graham road midrand, Gauteng 1685





#### Fur free LA

4 messages

Donna Reed <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: donna.reed66@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 4:20 PM

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Sincerely,

Donna Reed

Donna Reed donna.reed66@gmail.com 4763 Pacific Coast Hwy Long Beach, California 90804-3231

Tammy yu <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: tmyu1@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 5:12 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

If It's good enough for San Francisco to have a ban on cruel fur, then it's good enough for LA too!

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Sincerely,

Tammy yu tmyu1@yahoo.com 1329 Cox Drive woodland. California 95776

Sam Doxsey <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sdoxsey@icloud.con To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Sam Doxsey sdoxsey@icloud.con 25. The meadows Flitwick, Bedfordshire, England Mk451xg

John Bartlett <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: johnbartlettny@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:01 AM

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Sincerely,

John Bartlett johnbartlettny@gmail.com 231 10th Ave Ny, New York 10011





## LA FUR BAN

100 messages

Brian Foley <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: elebfoley@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:25 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing to urge the city council to ban the manufacture and sale of fur in the City of Los Angeles, joining other progressive, forward-thinking cities like San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood.

I have serious concerns about the inhumane treatment of animals on fur farms. The fur that is sold within our city comes from sentient beings who suffer and experience pain. We cannot continue to tolerate an industry that profits off this kind cruelty for such trivial ends in an era where science is showing us that animals have complex emotional lives.

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Los Angeles has the opportunity to make a clear statement to the rest of the world that the confinement, torture and brutal killing for fur will not be tolerated. The fur industry has no place in our city. I therefore urge you to vote yes for a Fur Free LA.

Sincerely,

Brian Foley elebfoley@gmail.com 10351 Tittabawassee Freeland, Michigan 48623

Sulita Devi <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sulitad7@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:28 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am a proud resident of Los Angeles and I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in our city. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. If we consider ourselves a progressive city of animal lovers, we cannot

support their unnecessary suffering simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

For decades investigators have documented the extreme suffering of animals on fur farms. These animals live in unnatural and inhumane conditions only to be killed with no regard for their suffering. They are poisoned, gassed, electrocuted, or even skinned alive. There is no acceptable reason to support a business that is based on this kind of unjustified and unnecessary cruelty.

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It is time for us to join San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood and send a message that fur is over. I urge you to vote yes on this ordinance.

Sincerely,

Sulita Devi sulitad7@hotmail.com 10 Woodland Ave Wolverhampton, England WV6 8NE

Karen Russell <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mystonecrop1@embarqmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Karen Russell

mystonecrop1@embargmail.com

5668 Pennington Road Crestview, Florida 32539

Kate Green <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: wonmoreblu@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

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Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:39 AM

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:50 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

Why do people have to wear fur? God gave us humans skin as he gave animals fur, what gives mankind the right to take it from them for profit with no care in world of the suffering and torture these animals endure? Its wrong, very unnecessary and just cruel.

I am a proud resident of Michigan

and I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in our city. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. If we consider ourselves a progressive city of animal lovers, we cannot support their unnecessary suffering simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

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Sincerely, Nawal Hammoud

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Wes Lemmens wesleylemmens1992@hotmail.com Rosmolenstraat 9a Sittard, 6131 HW

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely. Monique

Monique Fons mfons89@gmail.com 93 Bay Harbor, Florida 33154

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Sincerely,

Ashleigh Sharp

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Sincerely,

Chandri

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Sincerely,

Breanna McMurtrie breannamcmurtrie@icloud.com 208 Commodore Drive McDonald, Pennsylvania 15057

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Sincerely, Ameera

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Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:19 AM

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely, Drew Arnold

Drew Arnold drewarnold@yahoo.com 4125 w Gary dr Chandler, Arizona 85286

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Sincerely,

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Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:35 AM

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Sincerely, Hellen Ballestas

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Sincerely, Lisa miller

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Sincerely, Trisha Matthews

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Sincerely, Leslie Valerio

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Sincerely. Ana Cardenas

Ana Cardenas anacarde21@yahoo.com 9406 greens point San Antonio, Texas 78250

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Sincerely,

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Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:22 AM

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Sincerely, Crystal Martin.

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Sincerely, Jennifer

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place of extreme temperatures, our lives are not in need of fur. Here it is justs a status symbol. How can we keep showing such lack of morality!

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Sincerely. Kaitlin

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Isabel

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Paula Bastian

Paula Bastian paula bastian@yahoo.com 5400 Collins Rd Hood River, Oregon 97031

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Sincerely. Allison

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Labbe donthate80@gmail.com 104STARLING Court Henrico, Virginia 23229 Mackenzie Melichar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kenzie.m121@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:17 AM

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Sincerely,

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Rachel Hague rhaque1028@gmail.com 1028 Woodland Prairie Ave Las Vegas, Nevada 89128

Sarit Yehezkel <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ysarit@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sarit Yehezkel ysarit@hotmail.com Zippori Migdal-Haemeq, 23503 צפון Prab Randhawa <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: prab@myprisminsurance.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Prab Randhawa prab@myprisminsurance.com 24905 Sunnymead Blvd C Moreno Valley, California 92553

Eeva Paavilainen <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: paavilaineneeva@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Eeva Paavilainen paavilaineneeva@gmail.com Soittajantie 3L 81 Helsinki, Etelä-Suomi 00420





## Ban Fur in LA

7 messages

Cynthia Vanacore <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: remy142@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 5:48 PM

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Sincerely,

Cynthia Vanacore remy142@aol.com 192 Round Hill Rd Greenwich, Connecticut 06831

Erika Lee <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Erikawu@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Erika Lee Erikawu@yahoo.com 210 S Carson Rd Beverly Hills, California 90211

Julie Singh <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: singh8877@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:58 AM

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Sincerely, Julie Singh

Julie Singh

singh8877@gmail.com

1 Sydney Road

Sydney, New South Wales 2000

Deniz Kumlu <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: denizkumlu@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Deniz Kumlu denizkumlu@hotmail.com 8 Claremont St Merrylands, New South Wales 2160

Mehmet Alice <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mehmetalice17@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Mehmet Alice mehmetalice17@gmail.com Kemaliye Mah Karata?/ Adana, Adana 01900

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Rebecca Sykes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sykesrebecca22@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Rebecca Sykes

Rebecca Sykes sykesrebecca22@gmail.com 1584 Chert Dr San Marcos, California 92078

Rebecca Sykes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sykesrebecca22@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Rebecca Sykes

Rebecca Sykes sykesrebecca22@gmail.com 1584 Chert Dr San Marcos, California 92078



Michael Espinosa <michael.espinosa@lacity.org>

## **HELP MAKE LA FUR FREE**

1 message

Jessica Latham <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jesslatham1@hotmail.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:13 AM

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Sincerely,

Jessica Latham jesslatham1@hotmail.co.uk 42 Pownall Court Wilmslow, England SK95QE





## **LA FUR BAN**

4 messages

Mina Florea <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bubleq44@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 1:47 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am a Canadian citizen and I support the ban to sell fur in the city of Los angeles. What a revolutionary and civilized statement that would make!

Sincerely,

Mina Florea bubleq44@hotmail.com 4870 cavendish montreal, h6c2b5

Deborah Bekir <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: deborahbekir@yahoo.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Deborah Bekir deborahbekir@yahoo.co.uk 11 Cromwell road Southend on sea, England SS25NG

Doreen Mapes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: doreend7@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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**Doreen Mapes** doreend7@yahoo.com 611 East Olive Ave, #103 Burbank, California 91501

Carina Cederholm <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cheyenne1@live.se To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Carina Cederholm cheyenne1@live.se Sandsjödal 210 Nol, Västra Götalands län 44990





## LA FUR BAN

1 message

Bricela Martinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cherlloydbm@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 10:35 AM

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Bricela Martinez cherlloydbm@gmail.com 3081 business lane Las Vegas, Nevada 89102





## LA Fur Ban

13 messages

Sherrie Kenney <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: happy9662@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 3:36 PM

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Sincerely,

Sherrie Kenney happy9662@hotmail.com 4149 NW 22nd St Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73107

Katherine Mesjak <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kmesjak1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Katherine Mesjak

Katherine Mesjak kmesjak1@gmail.com 3840 Downers Drive Downers Grove, Illinois 60515

David Farris <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: daveincm@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 4:59 PM

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Sincerely,

David Farris

**David Farris** daveincm@yahoo.com PO Box 12365

Costa Mesa, California 92627

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I implore you to make the right decision and vote Yes on the fur ban. Let Los Angeles lead the way in making this world a humane and kind place. It can start with you and other cities will follow.

There is no guarantee that fur companies follow humane practices.

In this day in age, fur should not even be sold. There are many alternatives to fur, whether it's fox, mink, dog, rabbit, etc.

And, honestly wearing fur is just mean. Animals should not have to suffer for fashion or fame!! Opinion polls throughout the world continually show high levels of public disapproval of fur. This ban gives us an excellent opportunity to close our city to the cruel, unnecessary, outdated fur trade, and lead the way by making LA the fourth and largest city to ban the sale and manufacture of fur.

Again, PLEASE vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Angela Roberts

Angela Roberts rangela56@yahoo.com 5804 N. Pennsylvania Ave OKC, Oklahoma 73123

Kimberly Zachos <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: k.zachos.86@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 8:16 PM

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These creatures that are callously murdered for fashion are victims of an industry that would put profit ahead of morality. Fur farmers and traders, as well as those that engage in the use or sale

of fur, are NOT victims. They chose to make a business out of murdered, sentient beings and stolen skins; the animals, however, had no choice.

We all have an obligation to correct those things that are wrong and immoral - in our individual choices, in our communities, in the world. We have a duty to those creatures we share this Earth with, as well as a responsibility to our children and future generations, to set an example and uphold it. We MUST teach our younger generations to choose compassion over killing, to be kind and to value and respect the lives of all species. And what better way than to take those steps now?

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Zachos

Kimberly Zachos k.zachos.86@gmail.com PO Box 890427 Temecula, California 92589

Kali Waln <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kaliwaln@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Kali Waln

Kali Waln kaliwaln@gmail.com 1319 Longfellow Circle Roseville, California 95747

Brianne Solomon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bsolomonco@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Charly Reynoso

Brianne Solomon bsolomonco@gmail.com 412 Lincoln Blvd Venice, California 90291

Joni Beauchesne <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jonibeauchesne@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:33 AM

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Autumn Kurtz

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Jorge Mendoza <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jmend20@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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# **LA FUR BAN**

8 messages

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Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 11:04 AM

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Astrid Baumgartner baciandi@gmail.com 11470 Thelin Dr. Truckee, California 96161

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To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Keri Zondler klzondler@gmail.com 4 Nightingale Aliso Viejo, California 92656

Dominique LANG <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dodo195784@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Dominique LANG dodo195784@gmail.com 2150B Traverse d'Orange Vaison-la-R., Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur 84110

SUSAN REPP <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: susanrepp@comcast.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 12:23 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

It is time to end the medieval practice of fur for fashion. Though I am not a resident of Los Angeles I am in support of of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in your city. I hope that this will be the momentum needed to have other cities across the U.S. follow suit. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. If we consider ourselves a progressive city of animal lovers, we cannot support their unnecessary suffering simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

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IT IS TIME!

Sincerely,

SUSAN REPP susanrepp@comcast.net 2347 Vintage Drive colorado srpings, Colorado 80920 Daniel Chmelicek <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: thegreensubmarine@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 12:38 PM

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Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

40,000,000 animals are tortured, electrocuted, gassed, have their necks broken, drowned, and skinned alive.

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Sincerely,

**Daniel Chmelicek** 

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Kati Rodriguez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sweetpe12374@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Kati Rodriguez sweetpe12374@hotmail.com

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Silverado Canyon , California 92676





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1 message

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Sincerely,

Elisabeth Bechmann elisabeth.bechmann@kstp.at Neugebäudeplatz St. Pölten, Oregon 00000



### Fur free

11 messages

Michele Hobbs <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: michelelh1@hotmail.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Michele Hobbs

Michele Hobbs michelelh1@hotmail.co.uk 7 keens close Buckinghamshire, England Hp136tp

Dael Liddicoat <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: daelliddicoat@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Dael Liddicoat daelliddicoat@gmail.com 6 Satriani Crescent Condon, Queensland 4815

Kristen C <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kecibulas@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Kristen C kecibulas@hotmail.com 111 hmgbh Staven, Connecticut 06514 Lynfa Dabrowska <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lynfa@live.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Lynfa Dabrowska lynfa@live.co.uk Southlands Drive Swansea, Wales SA3 5RA

Pia Joeker <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: piajoeker@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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L Segal <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lindsegal@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Marina Orhei <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: marinaorhey@fmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Marina Orhei

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Rachel Mahoney <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rmahoney1172@googlemail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Rachel Mahoney rmahoney1172@googlemail.com 32 Linden Drive Sheerness, Kent, England ME12 1LG

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Melissa Schwartz melissis@gmail.com 1809 overland ave Los Angeles, California 90025

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## help make la fur free

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Sincerely,

june bullied junecat1@hotmail.com 403-100 High Park Ave. Toronto, Ontario M6P 2S2

NhuQuynh Dau <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nhuquynhdau@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:28 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely.

NhuQuynh Dau nhuquynhdau@gmail.com 6309 Willow Circle Westminster, California 92683



## **CRUELTY IN THE FUR TRADE**

1 message

Myra bayes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: comfortablyblonde@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:10 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Myra bayes comfortablyblonde@hotmail.com mill house cottage, East Lane woodbridge, England ip13 6eb





## LA FUR BAN

1 message

Marion Schorr <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Marion-Schorr@gmx.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 10:15 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing to urge the city council to ban the manufacture and sale of fur in the City of Los Angeles, joining other progressive, forward-thinking cities like San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood.

I have serious concerns about the inhumane treatment of animals on fur farms. The fur that is sold within our city comes from sentient beings who suffer and experience pain. We cannot continue to tolerate an industry that profits off this kind cruelty for such trivial ends in an era where science is showing us that animals have complex emotional lives.

We have the ability to make a wide variety of alternatives, even eco-friendly fashion made from recycled materials. Many of fashion's top designers are dropping fur from their collections, including Gucci, Michael Kors and Jimmy Choo.

Los Angeles has the opportunity to make a clear statement to the rest of the world that the confinement, torture and brutal killing for fur will not be tolerated. The fur industry has no place in our city. I therefore urge you to vote yes for a Fur Free LA.

Marion Schorr Marion-Schorr@gmx.net Sportstrasse Kelmis, Wallonie 4720



# against the wearing of animal fur

1 message

Melissa Diep <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: melyssa.benyoub@laposte.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:26 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

Opinion polls throughout the world continually show high levels of public disapproval of fur. This ban gives us an excellent opportunity to close our city to the cruel, unnecessary, outdated fur trade, and lead the way by making LA the fourth and largest city to ban the sale and manufacture of fur.

There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane."

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Melissa Diep melyssa.benyoub@laposte.net 341 Chaussée denis papin Tourcoing, Nord-Pas-de-Calais 59200



### **Animal abuse**

1 message

Mona Boggio <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ramonafb615@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:40 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Mona Boggio ramonafb615@gmail.com 104 arbutu s ct Milford, Pennsylvania 18337-7441



## **Animal cruelty**

1 message

Adriana Ruiz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mariscaladriana17@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:45 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Adriana Ruiz mariscaladriana17@yahoo.com 175 e Plymouth st Long Beach, California 90805



# Animals are love! Humans are no need fur!

1 message

Michi Benton <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: michieyamada@i.softbank.jp To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:16 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Michi Benton michieyamada@i.softbank.jp 1-2-11, Ariake, kotoku Tokyo, 1350063





# Another request to support the LA FUR BAN

1 message

Nicole Plescia <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Creaturesofhavoc@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:12 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear LA City Council Members:

I am a 3rd generation resident of Los Angeles and I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in our city. Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. If we consider ourselves a progressive city of animal lovers, we cannot support their unnecessary suffering simply for the sake of fur. This legislation is line with my values and this city's values.

For decades investigators have documented the extreme suffering of animals on fur farms. These animals live in unnatural and inhumane conditions only to be killed with no regard for their suffering. They are poisoned, gassed, electrocuted, or even skinned alive. There is no acceptable reason to support a business that is based on this kind of unjustified and unnecessary cruelty.

By putting an end to the sale of fur in our city, we would encourage creativity and alternatives. Los Angeles is a city of innovation, it is not a city that tolerates archaic and cruel practices even for the sake of the "livelihoods" of a few individuals who refuse to evolve to a changing marketplace.

It is time for us to join San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood and send a message that fur is over. I urge you to vote yes on this ordinance.

Sincerely,

Nicole Plescia Creaturesofhavoc@hotmail.com 4121 Empis St, Woodland Hills, California 91364





### Ban all fur

1 message

Sharon Cox <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ausieshar@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:00 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Sharon Cox

ausieshar@hotmail.com

Gable court

Beckenham, Western Australia 6107



# Ban ANIMAL FUR! It's disgusting!

1 message

Hillary Maravilla <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: hillarym.2093@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:15 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Hillary Maravilla hillarym.2093@gmail.com 825 E Palomar Chula Vista, California 91911





#### Ban animal fur

1 message

Zaira Sanchez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: zsanchez21@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:42 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Zaira Sanchez zsanchez21@yahoo.com 123 Claremont Ave Long Beach, California 90803



# Ban fur and fur farms

1 message

Gina Erskine <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: gerskine@me.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:16 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Gina Erskine gerskine@me.com 13104 110th Ave nw Gig harbor, Washington 98329



# Ban Fur Fashion in LA

1 message

Trisha Patag <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: trisha599@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:35 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Animals FEEL pain. They have emotions of fear and terror. They feel in discomort due to the circumstances they are in. Just like any human being would if the roles were revered. So why don't animals obtain the rights they are being neglected of?

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely, Trisha Nicole Patag

Trisha Patag trisha599@yahoo.com 1150 Oberlin Ct. Las Vegas, Nevada 89135





# **BAN FUR IN LA**

2 messages

Sandra Leon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sleon308@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:45 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Sandra Leon sleon308@yahoo.com 13603 Marina Pointe Dr, D319 Marina Del Rey, California 90292

Sergio Pinedo <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sergio\_pinedo@yahoo.con To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:50 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

It's incredible that at this time. People have to be reminded that the use of animals is unnecessary, immoral, and unjustified.

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Sincerely,

Sergio Pinedo

Sergio Pinedo sergio\_pinedo@yahoo.con 951 Calzona St. Los Angeles, California 90023





# Ban fur in California!

1 message

Natasha Ninkovic <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nninkovic007@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:25 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Natasha Ninkovic nninkovic007@gmail.com 1044 escalona dr Santa cruz, California 92037





### Ban fur in LA

4 messages

Ashley Cespedes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ashley leon@ymail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:34 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Ashley Cespedes ashley leon@ymail.com 107 e. Park st. Alhambra, California 91801

Lidia Marquez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: chikitab0nita@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:44 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Lidia Marquez chikitab0nita@hotmail.com 7654 Bothwell Rd Reseda, California 91335

mariah godinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: m.r.godinez11@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:14 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely, Mariah Godinez

mariah godinez m.r.godinez11@gmail.com 2201 locust ave long beach, California 90058 Vickye Prattes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vprattes@me.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:49 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Vickye Prattes vprattes@me.com 2232 Carefree Circle Marietta, Georgia 30062



# **BAN FUR MANUFACTURING!!**

1 message

Betty Bui <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bnbui2012@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:53 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members: Mitch O'Farrell

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

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Sincerely,

Betty Bui

Betty Bui bnbui2012@gmail.com 4708 powder Mill road Beltsville, Maryland 20705



# **BAN Fur Manufacturing!**

1 message

Betty Bui <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bnbui2012@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:52 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members: Curren Price

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

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Sincerely,

Betty Bui

Betty Bui bnbui2012@gmail.com 4708 powder Mill road Beltsville, Maryland 20705





# Ban fur please!!!

1 message

Joleyne Lambert <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: joo.leyne@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:35 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

Beautiful animals face excruciating pain each time they are skinned (alive to preserve the skin). To allow this sort of treacherous activity to go on and be sold in your city is extremely infuriating and depressing. Please please listen to the cry of these animals and stop this awful treatment of animals from continuing! Do you part, listen to your heart <3

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Sincerely,

Joleyne Lambert joo.leyne@gmail.com 258 Cerro St Encinitas, California 92024





# **Ban Fur Please**

1 message

Serena Cortez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: serenacortez24@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:02 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely, Serena Cortez

Serena Cortez serenacortez24@gmail.com 28609 Pensthorpe Cir. Menifee, California 92584





# Ban fur products from LA

1 message

Jen Williamson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: iiwilliams4@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:30 AM

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Sincerely,

Jen Williamson jiwilliams4@aol.com 113 Deerfield dr Goose Creek, South Carolina 29445



# Ban fur products. Go fur free!

1 message

Rachel Bose <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rachelbose@googlemail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:22 AM

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Sincerely,

Rachel Bose rachelbose@googlemail.com 9 Aran Close, Hale Village Liverpool, England L24 5SB





### Ban Fur Trade~

1 message

Jodi Messenich <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: iodi@zumasrescueranch.con To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:14 PM

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Jodi Messenich jodi@zumasrescueranch.con 7745 N. Moore Rd. Littleton, Colorado 80125



# BAN FUR!!! LEAVE THE ANIMALS ALONE

1 message

priya matharu <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: priya.matharu@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Priya

priya matharu priya.matharu@gmail.com 14champion house, charlton road london, England se7 7fd





# **BAN FUR!!!!**

1 message

Kassandra Schnurr <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kassandraschnurr@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:29 PM

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Sincerely, Kassandra Schnurr

Kassandra Schnurr kassandraschnurr@gmail.com 1436 38 street sw Calgary, Alberta T3c1t5





#### Ban fur!

4 messages

Nicole Link <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nlink2285@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Nicole Link nlink2285@yahoo.com 7 holst dr Huntington, New York 11743

Tiarn Dufty <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: piranhateeth1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

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Bonnells bay, New South Wales 2264

Robyn Ward <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: robyn613@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Robyn Ward robyn613@gmail.com 222 karen ave Las Vegas, Nevada 89109

Litteera Lehman <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: teera92@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Litteera Lehman teera92@hotmail.com 19 tucker shore rd Belmont, New Hampshire 03220



### **Ban Fur**

12 messages

Rebecca Vitale Mandich <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rvmandich@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 12:06 PM

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Sincerely,

Rebecca Vitale Mandich rvmandich@yahoo.com 1527 waverley palo alto, California 94301

Reyna Albores <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: reyna.albores@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Reyna Albores reyna.albores@gmail.com 14311 Haynes st Van nuys, California 91401

Sinead Miller <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sineadmiller37@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Sinead Miller sineadmiller37@yahoo.com 3200 Rifle Gap Road Apt 1308 Frisco, Texas 75034

Dianne Bromley <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dianne bromley@hotmail.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Dianne Bromley dianne bromley@hotmail.co.uk 5 Park Close Huddersfield, England Hd88jf

Johan De cabo <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Johandecabo@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Johan De cabo Johandecabo@gmail.com Tall maple loop Ocoee. Florida 34761

**BAneza Rivera** <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: brivera2119@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:32 AM

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BAneza Rivera brivera2119@gmail.com 500 Leahy ct Frederick , Maryland 21703 To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Marija Gezovic marijag1999@gmai.com Jola Piletica bb Niksic, Nikšić 81400

Joseph Russell <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: joeylit1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely.

Joseph Russell joeylit1@gmail.com 20796 plum cyn rd Saugus, California 91350

Lisa Rice <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lisarice@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:53 PM

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Sincerely,

Lisa Rice lisarice@live.com 410 Rampart 200 Las Vegas, Nevada 89145

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:41 PM

Teela Cull <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Teela.cull1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Teela Cull Teela.cull1@gmail.com 658 via Santa ynez Pacific palisades, California 90272

Linda Landers <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: learntoday111@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Linda Landers learntoday111@aol.com Nw 20th place Coconut creek, Florida 33063

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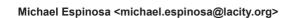
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Sincerely,

JeynNe Brewer jeynnesanchez@gmail.com 1697 Burlington Place Pomona, California 91768





### Ban fur: its cruel.

1 message

Maya Benperlas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: benperlasm@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Maya Benperlas

Maya Benperlas benperlasm@gmail.com 1241 5th street Santa monica, California 90064



# **BAN LA FUR SALE**

1 message

Erika Verduzco <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: erika\_vrdzc@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:49 AM

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Sincerely,

Erika Verduzco

Erika Verduzco erika vrdzc@yahoo.com 9128 Vena Ave Arleta, California 91331



# BAN MANUFACTURE AND SALE OF FUR PRODUCTS

1 message

Betty Bui <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bnbui2012@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:51 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Member: Mike Bonin

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Sincerely,

Betty Bui

Betty Bui bnbui2012@gmail.com 4708 powder Mill road Beltsville, Maryland 20705



# Ban manufacture and sale of fur

1 message

Julie Rivas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jrivas0314@gmail.con To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:16 PM

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Sincerely,

Julie Rivas jrivas0314@gmail.con 11743 w Port Au Prince Lane El Mirage, Arizona 85335



# **BAN SALE OF FUR LA**

1 message

Hakim Lukwago <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: h.lukwago@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:21 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Hakim Lukwago h.lukwago@yahoo.com 9933 Woodman Ave Mission Hills, California 91345



# Ban the Sale of Fur

1 message

Megan Roberts <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: megastelllar13@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:40 PM

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Sincerely,

Megan Roberts

Megan Roberts megastelllar13@yahoo.com 9610 pineapple place Lakeside, California 92040



# Ban use of fur and animal cruelty

1 message

Gaurav Sadanand <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: gaurav.sadanand92@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:12 PM

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Sincerely,

Gaurav Sadanand gaurav.sadanand92@yahoo.com Baner Pune, Maharashtra 411045





## Ban fur in LA

4 messages

Ashley Cespedes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ashley leon@ymail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:34 PM

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Sincerely,

Ashley Cespedes ashley leon@ymail.com 107 e. Park st. Alhambra, California 91801

Lidia Marquez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: chikitab0nita@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:44 PM

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Sincerely,

Lidia Marquez chikitab0nita@hotmail.com 7654 Bothwell Rd Reseda, California 91335

mariah godinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: m.r.godinez11@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:14 PM

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Sincerely, Mariah Godinez

mariah godinez m.r.godinez11@gmail.com 2201 locust ave long beach, California 90058 Vickye Prattes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vprattes@me.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:49 PM

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Sincerely,

Vickye Prattes vprattes@me.com 2232 Carefree Circle Marietta, Georgia 30062





## **Barbarianism**

1 message

Tracy Turner <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: crayzeetracy@outlook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:11 PM

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Tracy Turner crayzeetracy@outlook.com 5405 South Gippsland Hwy Agnes, Victoria 3962



## Be a better human

1 message

María López Rodríguez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: marikilla\_pipiola@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:05 PM

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Sincerely,

María López Rodríguez marikilla pipiola@hotmail.com Real Dos torres, Andalucía 14460



# Be on the right side of justice. Help the innocent animals

1 message

DAISY Barrios <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: daisy63084@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:20 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

**DAISY Barrios** daisy63084@gmail.com Thousand Oaks Dr Tujunga, California 91042





## California fur ban

1 message

Bre Vizzini <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: brevizzini@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:54 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely, Bre Vizzini

Bre Vizzini brevizzini@gmail.com 7504 so Barnes rd unit A Portland, Oregon 97225





### Common sense

1 message

Amanda Deinstadt <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Amandakristen213@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:23 AM

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Sincerely, Amanda Deinstadt

Amanda Deinstadt Amandakristen213@gmail.com 20 sadowski dr Old bridge, Nj



# **CRUELTY IN THE FUR TRADE**

1 message

Myra bayes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: comfortablyblonde@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:10 PM

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Sincerely,

Myra bayes comfortablyblonde@hotmail.com mill house cottage, East Lane woodbridge, England ip13 6eb





# Even animals feel fear

1 message

Kylee Dulfer <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kkdulfer7486@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:40 AM

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Sincerely,

Kylee Dulfer kkdulfer7486@gmail.com Holly lane Bonsall, California 92003



# For the love of animals, PLEASE BAN FUR!!

1 message

Pamela Mares <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: pamelamares01@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:57 AM

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Sincerely,

Pamela Mares pamelamares01@gmail.com 17440 Rockrose Cr. Yorba Linda, California 92886





# For your consideration

1 message

Carissa Gerzeny <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: gerzeny.carissa@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:51 PM

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Carissa Gerzeny

Carissa Gerzeny gerzeny.carissa@gmail.com 13603 Marina Pointe Drive marina del rey, California 90202





# **FREE LA**

1 message

Sam Molina <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sammleone98@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:52 AM

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Sincerely, Sam Molina

Sam Molina sammleone98@gmail.com 17433 Vanowen St Apt 9 Lake Balboa, California 91406



# Fur Ban is the only way

1 message

Daniela Moreno <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: d4ny.3lla@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:33 AM

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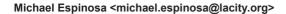
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Daniela Moreno

Daniela Moreno d4ny.3lla@gmail.com carrera 71c bogota, Huila 111121





## Fur Ban LA

1 message

Kelsey Otten <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kotten24@aim.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:11 AM

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Sincerely,

Kelsey Otten kotten24@aim.com 1800 NE 114th St Miami, Florida 33181



### Fur ban

16 messages

Karen Schraeger <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: krn3779@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 2:44 PM

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Sincerely,

Karen Schraeger krn3779@gmail.com P.O. Box 778 BRICK, New Jersey 08723

Lucy Osinski <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lucy.osinski@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 4:50 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

As a millennial we are faced with so many issues we cannot seem to solve. Even just going to supermarket the amount of fact checking and effort to source clean products is endless. It feels never ending and you start to feel totally helpless and instead watch dumb tv shows and look at social media. There are so many of us who feel like we cannot help but YOU CAN! The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

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Sincerely,

A young millennial looking for change

Lucy Osinski lucy.osinski@gmail.com 12436 stanwood pl Los Angeles ca, California 90066

Lauren Alfonso <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lauren.alfonso77@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 5:25 PM

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Sincerely, Lauren Alfonso Lauren Alfonso lauren.alfonso77@yahoo.com 6292 Hill. Ave Whittier, California 90601

Maricela Mendez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mendezm1@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Maricela Mendez mendezm1@yahoo.com 14284 Luna Rd Victorville, California 92392

Rahat Chaudry <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rahatchaudry@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Rahat Chaudry rahatchaudry@gmail.com 185 Garnet rd Auckland, 1022

Lena Joeres <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lenajrs@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Lena Joeres lenajrs@gmail.com Eichendiek Kaköhl, Schleswig-Holstein 24327 Patrycja Szulc-Gorwa <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: patrycja79@yahoo.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely. Patrycja Szulc-Gorwa

Patrycja Szulc-Gorwa patrycja79@yahoo.co.uk 11 Redvins Chichester, England PO18 0QJ

Laura Mendez Zumbado <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lau27mz@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Laura Mendez Zumbado lau27mz@gmail.com Moravia San Jose, 11041

Annabelle Magnuson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: annabelle.magnuson@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely. Annabelle

Annabelle Magnuson annabelle.magnuson@gmail.com 5432 Aldrich ave south Minneapolis, Minnesota 55419

Dominic Burger <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dom100@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Dominic Burger

Dominic Burger dom100@hotmail.com 2 Frenchay Flock Mill Bristol, England BS16 1LR To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Beth Murphy beefybeats9@gmail.com 1108 S 47th St A4 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19143

Nicole Achermann <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nicole\_achermann@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Nicole Achermann nicole achermann@hotmail.com Horwerstrasse 8 Kriens, Connecticut 6010

Robin Walter <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nibwalter@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Robin Walter

nibwalter@hotmail.com

29 Group 11 RR1 East Selkirk, Manitoba R0E 0M0

Lisa Jeffrey <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: I.I.jeffrey@att.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Lisa Jeffrey I.I.jeffrey@att.net 2608 Calle Morelia Pleasanton, California 94566

Rebecca Scott <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rebeccaescott1987@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Rebecca Scott rebeccaescott1987@gmail.com Horiuchi Kanagawa, 2400112

Diane Lyon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ddlyon@sympatico.ca To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Diane Lyon ddlyon@sympatico.ca 2 stanmire Kitchener, Ontario N2b3w2





### **Fur Band**

1 message

Samantha Navarro <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: s.israel9107@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:55 PM

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Sincerely, Samantha Navavrro

Samantha Navarro s.israel9107@gmail.com 2623 w mission Visalia, California 93277





## Fur fashion

1 message

Erika Dahri <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: erika.dahri@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:12 PM

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Erika Dahri, Norway

Erika Dahri erika.dahri@hotmail.com Korveien Rykene, Aust-Agder 4821





## Fur free LA!

1 message

Shruti GowriSrikar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: shrutigowrisrikar@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Shruti GowriSrikar shrutigowrisrikar@gmail.com 3000 market st Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104





# Fur Free LA

7 messages

Carl Pier <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: carl@pier.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 2:58 PM

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Sincerely,

Carl Pier

carl@pier.com

S.Reeves Dr

Beverly Hills, California 90212

Tina Dorn Weaver <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: belou492@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely. Tina Dorn Weaver

Tina Dorn Weaver belou492@yahoo.com 8612 E. Calle Bolivar Tucson, Arizona 85715

Louisa Fitschen <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: louisa89@hotmail.de To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Louisa Fitschen

Louisa Fitschen louisa89@hotmail.de Lange Straße 14 Gelnhausen, Hessen 63571 Bronwyn Goddard <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bronwyn.goddard@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Bronwyn Goddard bronwyn.goddard@gmail.com Judith street Johannesburg, 2915

Donald Jr. Amar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: donald\_onfitness@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Donald

Donald Jr. Amar donald onfitness@hotmail.com Kota Kemuning Shah Alam, Selangor 40460

Lusiné Abelyan <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: artofabelyan@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:54 AM

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Lusiné Abelyan artofabelyan@yahoo.com Reseda Tarzana, California 91335

Christine Walz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: aka\_tine@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Christine Walz aka tine@yahoo.com 21624 Masterson ct Saugus, California 91350



## **Fur Free LA-STOP TORTURING ANIMALS**

1 message

Rob Adams <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: robursoul@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:28 PM

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This is not acceptable to continue to allow animal abuse. It must end-Sincerely,

Rob Adams robursoul@gmail.com 21500 Burbank Blvd 128 Woodland Hills, California 91367



## **Fur Free Los Angeles**

1 message

Judith Pelletier <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: judy.l.pelletier@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:47 PM

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Sincerely,

Judith Pelletier

Judith Pelletier judy.l.pelletier@gmail.com 14374 E. Purdue St. Moorpark, California 93021





### Fur free world

1 message

David Duncan <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: funkydunk666@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:52 AM

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Sincerely,

David Duncan funkydunk666@gmail.com Sutton's lane London, England Rm12 6rd





#### fur free

1 message

susanna nylander <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: susannanylander46@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:12 PM

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Sincerely,

susanna nylander susannanylander46@hotmail.com lauranpolku1a7 vantaa, Etelä-Suomi 01360



### Fur is animal abuse!

1 message

Christine Hennessey <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: avalon mist Imt@icloud.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:19 PM

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Sincerely,

Christine Hennessey avalon mist lmt@icloud.com 3875 N Country Club Rd apt 216 Tucson, Arizona 85716



### Fur is Murder!!

2 messages

Janelle Kazic <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Janelle.Kazic@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:25 PM

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Sincerely,

Anyone with a Soul

Janelle Kazic Janelle.Kazic@gmail.com 1815 Hayashi rd Kelowna, British Columbia V1P1A7

Janelle Kazic <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Janelle.Kazic@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:26 PM

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### Fur is murder

1 message

Wendy Sykes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: wendysykes88@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:01 AM

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Sincerely, Wendy Sykes

Wendy Sykes wendysykes88@gmail.com 1584 Chert Dr San Marcos, California 92078



# Fur is not fashion, Fur is murder.

1 message

Nissa Escobar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: pinupdoll138@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:52 PM

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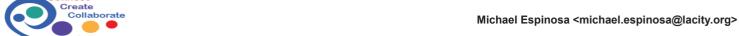
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Sincerely,

Nissa Escobar

Nissa Escobar pinupdoll138@yahoo.com 1228 Bonnie beach Los angeles, California 90023



### Fur is not fashion

1 message

Stephanie Godinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: stephr90.sr@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:15 PM

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Sincerely,

Stephanie Godinez stephr90.sr@gmail.com 2400 E Lincoln Ave Anaheim, California 92806



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## Fur trade totally unacceptable

1 message

Genevieve Mitchem <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: genevieve 19@hotmail.co.uk To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:16 AM

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Sincerely,

Genevieve Mitchem genevieve 19@hotmail.co.uk 19 market close Poole, England Bh15 1nq



# Fur, not a necessity! The cruelty of this is appalling.

1 message

Anthony Martinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: martinez-anthony@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, **Anthony Martinez** 

**Anthony Martinez** martinez-anthony@live.com 3216 W De Leon St. Unit 27 Tampa, Florida 33609





#### Fur

5 messages

Javier Sosa <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: javiersosa500@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Javier

Javier Sosa javiersosa500@yahoo.com 1200 Rancho Dr Hollister, California 95023

Nina Maria Kolstad <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nina.m.kolstad@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Nina Maria Kolstad nina.m.kolstad@gmail.com Ørneberget 7c Harstad, Troms 9408

Noelle Zocco <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: noelle.zocco@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Noelle Zocco noelle.zocco@gmail.com 2620 Luciernaga St Carlsbad, California 92009

Maggie OBrien <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: maggieqobrien@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:37 PM

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Sincerely.

Maggie OBrien maggieqobrien@gmail.com 26026 o hara lane Santa Clarita, California 91381

Julie Tidball <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: julietidball@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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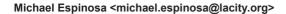
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Sincerely,

Julie Tidball julietidball@hotmail.com 61 grange road London, England Se256th





### fur=death

1 message

sydney jordan <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sydmj66@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:29 AM

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Sincerely,

Sydney

sydney jordan sydmj66@yahoo.com 4600 Sw 13th st gainesville, Florida 32608





### Hello

1 message

Yvonne Penraat <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vvonne-penraat@live.nl To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:00 AM

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Sincerely,

Yvonne Penraat yvonne-penraat@live.nl Dekemastate Huizen, 1275c



## Help make la fur free

1 message

Sharon Prior <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: priorsharon49@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:13 AM

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Sincerely,

Sharon Prior priorsharon49@gmail.com Southwark path Basildon, England Ss143qw





## **Help Save Lives**

1 message

Robyn Rubio <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cuz.im.phly@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Robyn Rubio cuz.im.phly@gmail.com 1450 East Pioneer Drive West Covina, California 91791





### **Help the Helpless**

1 message

Alex Patton <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ryohny@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:47 PM

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Thank you again for your strength to stand up for these animals and to work on behalf of our city. I also urge that all members of the city council vote in favor of the measure when the time comes.

Sincerely. Alex Patton

Alex Patton ryohny@gmail.com 208 Wellington Dr. Dublin, Georgia 31021





### Help

1 message

Sigrid Spichal <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: siggi msus112@yahoo.de To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:25 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Sigrid Spichal siggi\_msus112@yahoo.de Heuermannstr.

Hamm, Nordrhein-Westfalen 59077



# I am strongly against all products of animals. So many animals extinct already. We need heal the planet not to destroy it every day, just because of money.

1 message

Zoran Dragicevic <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: dawnbreaker95@outlook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:28 AM

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Zoran Dragicevic dawnbreaker95@outlook.com Koceljeva bb Sabac, Централна Србија 15220



# **IN ATTN TO: Members of Los Angeles City Council**

1 message

Fateh Sidhu <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: fsidhu@usc.edu To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:12 AM

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Sincerely,

Fateh Sidhu fsidhu@usc.edu 2662 Orchard Ave Los Angeles, California 90007



# Inhuman killing and the treatment of animals kept for the fur trade.

1 message

Jean Rogers <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rogers3rf@btinternet.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:47 PM

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Sincerely,

Jean Rogers rogers3rf@btinternet.com Ash Grove

Ryton Tyne and Wear, England NE40 3Rf





### Innocent animals:(

1 message

Andres Vejar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: andresvejar95@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:32 AM

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Sincerely,

Andres Vejar andresvejar95@gmail.com 9142 Eucalyptus dr Bakersfield, California 93306





## Innocent are killed daily!

1 message

kahyra paulete <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kahyrap@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:30 AM

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Sincerely,

kahyra paulete kahyrap@gmail.com 475 sw 11th st APT. 9 miami, Florida 33130



## Ir's 2018!! Fur is dead and disgusting!!

1 message

Hollie Patterson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: hollie.patterson18@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:21 PM

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Sincerely,

Hollie Patterson hollie.patterson18@gmail.com 728 Mercer ST. SE Atlanta, Georgia 30312



### It is time to end the fur trade

1 message

Kevin Wride <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kjwride@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:01 PM

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Sincerely,

Kevin Wride

Kevin Wride kjwride@hotmail.com 98 temperance st Aurora, Ontario L4g2p8





## It's 2018. Make a change

1 message

Ashley Cisneros <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ashlevcisneross33@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:23 AM

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Sincerely, Ashley Cisneros

Ashley Cisneros ashleycisneross33@gmail.com 846 Copper Privado Ontario, California 91762



### Killing for profit

1 message

Elizabeth Knowles <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: elyknowles11@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:31 PM

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Sincerely,

Elizabeth Knowles elyknowles11@gmail.com 322 Columbus ave Valhalla, New York 10595





### LA FUR BAN

1 message

Nicole Schmid <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Niggi.schmid@gmx.ch To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 10:11 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing to urge the city council to ban the manufacture and sale of fur in the City of Los Angeles, joining other progressive, forward-thinking cities like San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood.

I have serious concerns about the inhumane treatment of animals on fur farms. The fur that is sold within our city comes from sentient beings who suffer and experience pain. We cannot continue to tolerate an industry that profits off this kind cruelty for such trivial ends in an era where science is showing us that animals have complex emotional lives.

We have the ability to make a wide variety of alternatives, even eco-friendly fashion made from recycled materials. Many of fashion's top designers are dropping fur from their collections, including Gucci, Michael Kors and Jimmy Choo.

Los Angeles has the opportunity to make a clear statement to the rest of the world that the confinement, torture and brutal killing for fur will not be tolerated. The fur industry has no place in our city. I therefore urge you to vote yes for a Fur Free LA.

Nicole Schmid Niggi.schmid@gmx.ch Technosstrasse 4716, Solothurn Welschenrohr





### LA FUR FREE

2 messages

Michael Foster <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: foster-mike@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:21 AM

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Sincerely,

Michael Foster foster-mike@hotmail.com 167 CORNELL DRIVE KEARNEYSVILLE, West Virginia 25430

Ignacio Zuniga <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: zuniganach@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:53 PM

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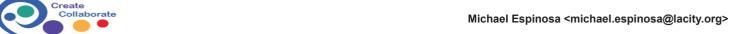
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Sincerely,

Ignacio Zuniga zuniganach@hotmail.com 3607 Seabright Ave Long Beach, California 90810





2 messages

Nancy Nyack <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: snorklett@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Nancy Nyack snorklett@gmail.com 667 hody drive, Box 187 Ok falls, British Columbia V0H 1R0

Nancy Nyack <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: snorklett@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:32 PM

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## Let the fashion city set an example

1 message

Yessica Henao <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: maxixima@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Yessica Henao maxixima@hotmail.com 12653 Somerset Oaks St orlando, Florida 32828



# Let's be the change

1 message

Andres Perez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Andresp\_13@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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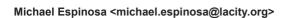
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Sincerely,

Andres Perez Andresp\_13@yahoo.com 2507 Sarandi Grande Dr. Hacienda Heights, California 91745





## Let's Make LA Fur Free

1 message

Renee Grant <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cadgreen@ptd.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:59 AM

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Sincerely,

Renee Grant cadgreen@ptd.net 58 CHANDLER CIRCLE, Pen Argyl, Pennsylvania 18072



## Los Angeles Fun Ban

1 message

Mikayla Hinton <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mikayla\_hinton@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:07 AM

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Mikayla Hinton

Mikayla Hinton mikayla hinton@yahoo.com 26020 Ohara Ln Stevenson Ranch, California 91381



## LOS ANGELES FUR BAN ORDINANCE

1 message

Randi Schumacher <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: randi.schumacher@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:47 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing in support of Councilmember Blumenfield and Councilmember Koretz's proposed ban on the manufacture and sale of fur in Los Angeles. I am currently a resident of Idaho; however, I closely watch California as a progressive legislation leader for the country.

Fur products, whether from animals on fur farms or those trapped in the wild are a result of a cruel and inhumane industry. I consider California a progressive leader for this country. Other cities' fur bans resonated with people all over the country - and it's time for LA to follow suit. The movement will hopefully continue on into other states and cities, such as New York.

For decades investigators have documented the extreme suffering of animals on fur farms and those trapped in the wild. Animals on fur farms live in unnatural and inhumane conditions only to be cruelly slaughtered with no regard for their suffering. They are poisoned, gassed, electrocuted, or often times skinned alive. Additionally, trapped animals suffer in foot traps, sometimes for days or weeks, only to meet the same fate as animals on fur farms.

These animals have feelings. They feel pain. They experience fear. There is no reason to support an industry that's entire basis stems from extorting suffering beings. Humans can do better.

By putting an end to the sale of fur in our city, we would encourage creativity and alternatives. Los Angeles is a city of innovation, it is not a city that tolerates archaic and cruel practices even for the sake of the "livelihoods" of a few individuals who refuse to evolve to a changing marketplace. There are many, many businesses who make a living using faux fur. There is no reason to continue to use animal fur when there's a plethora of alternatives.

It is time for LA to join San Francisco, Berkeley, and West Hollywood and send a message that fur is over. I urge you to please vote yes on this ordinance. Innocent and helpless animals are depending on cities like LA to lead the way to a cruelty-free industry.

Sincerely,

Randi Schumacher

Randi Schumacher randi.schumacher@gmail.com 4767 N. Morninggale Dr., 101 Boise, Idaho 83713



## Los Angeles Fur Ban

1 message

Travis Hinkley <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Thinkley91@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:06 PM

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Sincerely, Travis Hinkley

Travis Hinkley Thinkley91@gmail.com Mesa Dr.

oceanside, California 92056



# Make LA for free! Every life counts!

1 message

Cassandra Emery <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: getsayystgetsie@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:24 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

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There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane."

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Cassandra E.

Cassandra Emery getsayystgetsie@gmail.com 21 woodland glen Park forest, Illinois 60466





## **MAKE LA FUR FREE!**

1 message

Bianka Guerra <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bianka-alea@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:21 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Bianka Guerra bianka-alea@hotmail.com 1150 croissant champigny Laval, Québec H7e4m1



### Make LA Fur Free

6 messages

McKenna Bediamol <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mckennaxrose@icloud.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:01 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles County City Council Members:

I am not going to write you a paragraph of statistics and logistics about the evidence gathered of inhumane treatment towards animals and using their fur for our selfish needs. You already know it is happening. You are smart and I know you are capable of comprehending the magnitude of the situation. The real question is, how much longer will you keep up the fight? I hope you keep fighting. I hope you keep supporting the ban on animal fur in LA. We always want to save the world, but little do we realize saving the world, the whole, starts with saving the little guys and the little things first—the little things that make up the whole. If we want to save the world, it starts with little actions of good like these, stopping animal fur usage.

Keep fighting. Keep supporting, and never stop.

For the little guys.

Sincerely,

A very concerned Human

McKenna Bediamol mckennaxrose@icloud.com 546 S Wayside St Anaheim, California 92805

Becky Adam <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: becky\_adam@outlook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:33 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely.

Becky Adam becky adam@outlook.com 13934 Bora Bora way #206 Marina del Rey, California 90292

Robb Colin <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rcolin9024@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Robb Colin Robb Colin rcolin9024@yahoo.com 1205 S Church st Visalia, California 93277

Marisa Cast <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: marisa.bisho@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:42 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is ridiculous, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink. There are so many better alternatives to fur, and there is no absolute reason as to why people need to wear it anymore considering we have heated houses. Its not like we are being snowed in every winter (and even if we were, there are better fabrics to keep people warm).

Opinion polls throughout the world continually show high levels of public disapproval of fur. This ban gives us an excellent opportunity to close our city to the cruel, unnecessary, outdated fur trade, and lead the way by making LA the fourth and largest city to ban the sale and manufacture of fur.

There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane."

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Marisa Cast

Marisa Cast marisa.bisho@live.com 7003 Noah Caldwell, Idaho 83607

Angela Aivazian <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: babyxpiink89@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:30 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Angela

Angela Aivazian babyxpiink89@yahoo.com 1156 Pasadena, California 91104

Adriana Shahipour <info@sq.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: adrishahipour@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:31 PM

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Sincerely,

Adriana Shahipour

Adriana Shahipour adrishahipour@gmail.com 2119 45th Road, Apt 1 Long Island City, New York 11101





# Making L.A. a peaceful city....

1 message

karla alegria <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: karlaalegria27@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:08 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Karla V Alegria

karla alegria karlaalegria27@yahoo.com s rampart blvd los angeles, California 90057



# Manufacture and sale of fur products should be stopped

1 message

Sarolta Pópity <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: charlotte0620@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:40 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Thank you again for your strength to stand up for these animals and to work on behalf of our city. I also urge that all members of the city council vote in favor of the measure when the time comes.

Sincerely,

Sarolta Pópity charlotte0620@gmail.com Becsei Szeged, Csongrád 6723



## My request to Ban Manufacture and Sale of Fur Productos.

1 message

Rose Serrano <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: roseserrano1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:02 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Rose Serrano roseserrano1@gmail.com Calle de la Victoria # 4a, Naucalpan, México 53370



# My Support of Los Angeles Fur Ban

1 message

Barbara Gitlitz <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: gitlitzb@gene.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:31 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Distinguished CouncilMembers:

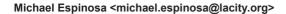
I urge your YES vote for the LA Fur Ban. Please end this archaic, inhumane industry. We no longer need the pelts of innocent animals to stay warm or make a creative fashion statement. End the farms and the dismal existence of these suffering animals who live only to be slaughtered.

Please let our Los Angeles be a leader in the end of this suffering and a forerunner for industries built on our ingenuity and kindness.

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Barbara Gitlitz gitlitzb@gene.com 330 West Avenue 42 Los Angeles, California 90065





## No Fur Please!

1 message

Makenzy Mckeen <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kenzymckeen@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:01 AM

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

Makenzy Mckeen kenzymckeen@gmail.com 738 meridian circle Corona, California 92882





### No fur.

1 message

Davinia Hernández Gómez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: davinia.hdezgomez@facebook.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:24 PM

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Sincerely,

Davinia Hernández Gómez davinia.hdezgomez@facebook.com Villa de Mazo, Santa Cruz de La Palma, Santa Cruz de La Palma Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Islas Canarias 38730





## No more cruelty!

1 message

Kajsa Ingelsson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kaisa@lifeofmiau.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:05 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Kajsa Ingelsson kajsa@lifeofmjau.com 1360 n crescent heights blvd West hollywood, California 90046





### No More Fur!

1 message

Natalia Rosas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bookingnataliarosas@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:17 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Natalia Rosas bookingnataliarosas@gmail.com 4990 River Glen dr Unit 167 Las Vegas, Nevada 89103





### No more!!!

1 message

Bethany Thomas <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: athenabell1985@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:34 AM

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Sincerely,

**Bethany Thomas** athenabell1985@gmail.com P.O. box 1643 Alma, Arkansas 72921





## NO TO CRUELTY OF ANY KIND!

1 message

gem bryAN <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: GEMBEFIT007@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 2:33 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

gem bryAN GEMBEFIT007@GMAIL.COM

Wicklow, A63 A066



## **PLEASE Ban Animal Fur in Los Angeles**

1 message

Susan Wheatley <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: suandcru@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:51 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is absolutely despicable - it doesn't matter whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink. They are all living, feeling, thinking Beings - they ALL feel pain, fear - ALL want to live.

Opinion polls throughout the world continually show high levels of public disapproval of fur. This ban gives us an excellent opportunity to close our city to the cruel, unnecessary, outdated fur trade, and Lead The Way by making Los Angeles the fourth and largest city to ban the sale and manufacture of fur. What a remarkable opportunity.

There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane." In fact, there truly is in fact, NO way to "humanely" kill someone who does not want to die.

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Most Sincerely,

Susan Wheatley

Susan Wheatley suandcru@hotmail.com 16361Duchess Lane Huntington Beach, California 92647



## Please ban fur in LA!!!

1 message

Summer Parker <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: summer.parker@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:36 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

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Sincerely,

Summer Parker summer.parker@yahoo.com 1727 n Crescent Heights Los Angeles, California 90069



## Please Ban Fur in LA

1 message

Victoria Villarnovo <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vvillarnovo@aol.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:15 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Victoria Villarnovo vvillarnovo@aol.com 5766 Devonshire Blvd. Miami, Florida 33155





### Please ban fur

10 messages

anne porritt <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: anne.porritt@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 5:59 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely, Anne

anne porritt anne.porritt@gmail.com 1660 N Wilton PI Los Angeles, California 90028-6869

Sara Rahbar <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: srahbat1@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 6:10 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely.

Sara Rahbar srahbat1@yahoo.com 74 hicks lane Great neck, New York 11024

Steven Burden <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: stevenburden@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 6:11 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Steven Burden stevenburden@gmail.com 201 wagnon road Sebastopol, California 95472 Steven Burden <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: stevenburden@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 6:12 PM

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Steven p burden

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Armineh Khachatoorian <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: akhachatoorian@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:01 AM

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Sincerely, Armineh khachatoorian

Armineh Khachatoorian akhachatoorian@hotmail.com 2312 Maurice La crescenta, California 91214

Emily Macdonald <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: scoochie9@verizon.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:25 AM

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**Emily Macdonald** scoochie9@verizon.net PO Box 205 Brewster, Massachusetts 02631

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:58 AM

Jordan Adcock <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cotton199714@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Jordan Adcock cotton199714@gmail.com 2123 Russell Pope rd Wingate, North Carolina 28174

Brenna Van Norman <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: brennavannorman@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:57 AM

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Sincerely,

Brenna Van Norman brennavannorman@gmail.com 3455 Kearny Villa Rd San Diego, California 92123

Janet Crawford <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: janey@myprisminsurance.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:30 AM

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Janet Crawford janey@myprisminsurance.com 24905 sunnymead blvd Moreno Valley, California 92553

Rozanna Torres <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rozanna.torres@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Rozanna Torres rozanna.torres@yahoo.com 716 sierra vista Alhambra, California 91802



## Please don't look away!

1 message

Arthur Amro <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: art.amro@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:56 AM

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Sincerely, Arthur Amro

Arthur Amro art.amro@gmail.com 71 Downshire Rd Montreal, Québec H3x1h4



# Please End the Chuckwagon Races

1 message

Zaher Naoum <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: zaher599@walla.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:46 AM

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Sincerely,

Zaher Naoum zaher599@walla.com kori 1 haifa, 65798765430



# Please end the suffering

1 message

Joanna Brady <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jbradybvb@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:17 AM

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Sincerely,

Joanna Brady

Joanna Brady jbradybvb@gmail.com 23 Essex st Dracut, Massachusetts 01826



# Please help these helpless creatures

1 message

Liana Amro <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lianaamro@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely. Liana Amro

Liana Amro lianaamro@gmail.com 3 Westmount Square #1116 Montreal, Québec H3z2s5



# Please let's help the animals

1 message

Noelia Polanco <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: noelia.tatis@icloud.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:11 PM

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Sincerely,

Noelia Polanco noelia.tatis@icloud.com 6 memorial drive Beverly, Massachusetts 01915



# Please make LA fur free

1 message

Sarah Friedenberg <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: friedenbergs@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:49 AM

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Sincerely,

Sarah Friedenberg friedenbergs@gmail.com 12625 PREGO CT SAN DIEGO, California 92130



# PLEASE MAKE LOS ANGELES FREE FROM ALL FUR! ALL FUR ARE TORTURE OF A PANIC AND A AFRAID ANIMAL

1 message

Carina Cederholm <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: chevenne1@live.se To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:49 PM

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Sincerely. Carina Cederholm

Carina Cederholm cheyenne1@live.se Sandsjödal 210 Nol, Västra Götalands län 44990





# Please make Los Angeles fur free!

1 message

Anna MacKenzie <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: annabananamac@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:13 PM

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Sincerely,

Anna MacKenzie annabananamac@gmail.com 2207 1/2 Ocean Park blvd Santa Monica, California 90405



# Please put an end to this inhumanity...

1 message

Corry Amro <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: corryamro@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Corry Amro

Corry Amro corryamro@hotmail.com 6211 Cote St Luc Rd #402 Montreal, Québec H3x2h2





# **PLEASE READ**

1 message

Cynthia Chavez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: cynthiaschavez1991@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:46 AM

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Sincerely,

Cynthia Chavez cynthiaschavez1991@gmail.com 24079 Tango Dr Valencia, California 91354



# Please save innocent lives by banning fur!

1 message

Estefany Mendez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mendez.estefany3@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:22 PM

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Sincerely,

Estefany Mendez mendez.estefany3@gmail.com 439 N Kingsley Dr Los Angeles, California 90004



# Please step up and stop the atroicity of fur

1 message

Cathryn Giunta <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ladybug0906@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:40 AM

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Sincerely,

Cathryn Giunta ladybug0906@yahoo.com 16400 Upton Road, 27 East Lansing, Michigan 48823



# **Please Stop Animal Cruelty And Abuse**

1 message

Evangeline Miranda <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: geegh@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:37 PM

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Evangeline Miranda geegh@hotmail.com 11151 Scripps Ranch Blvd San Diego, California 92131



# Please stop the barbaric practice of fur

1 message

Michelle Pinon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mjp.0968@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:35 PM

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Sincerely,

Michelle Pinon mjp.0968@gmail.com 1854 SW Myers Place Gresham, Oregon 97080





# **PLEASE STOP THIS!!**

1 message

Natalia Lopez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: beautycomeast@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:54 AM

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Sincerely,

Natalia Lopez beautycomeast@gmail.com 5075 Peacock Ln. Riverside, California 92505



# **Please Vote Yes**

1 message

Mia Wallace <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mmchocomil@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Mia Wallace mmchocomil@yahoo.com 2125 E. San Mateo Compton, California 90221



# Please, stop this horror!

1 message

Brinte Colebrants <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: brinte.colebrants@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:31 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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**Brinte Colebrants** brinte.colebrants@gmail.com Bleekvenweg 63 Wuustwezel, Vlaanderen 2990



# Please, support the ban on the manufacture and sale of fur products in the city of Los Angeles! 1 message

Anna Brewer <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: annekea1@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:16 AM

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Sincerely,

Anna Brewer annekea1@hotmail.com PO Box 331 Phoenix, Arizona 85001





# **Please**

1 message

Ariana Plummer <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: a3324plummer@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:22 PM

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Sincerely,

Ariana Plummer a3324plummer@gmail.com 9264 w Russell rd Las Vegas, Nevada 89148





#### PLEASE.

1 message

jessica couture <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jessicamb3@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:32 PM

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Sincerely,

jessica couture jessicamb3@live.com 9 Adelfa Ladera Ranch, Colorado 92695





# Respectfully

1 message

Deborah Craft <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: bdmcraft@comcast.net To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:55 AM

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Sincerely,

Deborah Craft bdmcraft@comcast.net 4880 Mill Run Jackson, Michigan 49201



# Save animals, ban fur

1 message

Wendy Sykes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: wendysykes88@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:00 AM

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Sincerely, Wendy Sykes

Wendy Sykes wendysykes88@gmail.com

San Marcos, California 92078



# SAY YES TO THE LA FUR BAN

1 message

Sol Seliman <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: solselyt@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:23 AM

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Sincerely, Sol Seliman

Sol Seliman

solselyt@gmail.com

Capital Federal, Ciudad Autónoma de Buenos Aires 1425



# Set an Example for the rest of the world!!!

1 message

Amanda Machado <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: amachado 14@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:50 PM

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There is no such thing as humane slaughter. There is no way to "humanely" SKIN an animal. There is no such thing as HUMANE MURDER.

Please. Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely, Amanda Machado

Amanda Machado amachado 14@yahoo.com 18322 Wall st Carson, Ca 90746



# Show the world you care, ban fur.

1 message

Francis Pinciotti <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: fpincy@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:04 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely, Francis Pinciotti

Francis Pinciotti fpincy@gmail.com 1747 Tinker Dr Lutz, Florida 33559





#### shtreimel fur ban

1 message

jonathan ohayon <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jonathanohayon@hotmail.fr To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:24 AM

Michael Espinosa,

I would like to talk about the Shtreimel.

The traditional poland jewish hat which needs between 13 and 42 animal tails!!

Why those number?

Just because of superstition.

I'm jewish myself, and my grand father who was from poland always taught me that « in the Jewish tradition, animals are irreplacable in G.od's masterpiece ».

They're describes in the torah as sensitive and innocent creatures, and humanity shall dominate them with compassion, kindness and responsibility.

Wearing this hat is against the fundamental principles of the Jewish religion ..

No religions, however, authorizes the mistreatment or killing of an animal without necessity.

It is possible to buy a shtreimel made of synthetic fur, which is actually more common in Israel.

But i have a question for you:

when you see that the fur ban is growing all around the world.

Do you prefer to wait and be a follower?

Or to make a change right now, to be an exemple for the world and a leader?

jonathan ohayon

jonathanohayon@hotmail.fr

sepulveda blvd

torrance, California 90505



# Stop fur fashion

1 message

Jordain Thornton <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jordainthornton11@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:05 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely, Jordain Thornton

Jordain Thornton jordainthornton11@gmail.com 1617 danielle rebecca ave. las vegas, Nevada 89086





# Stop Fur!!!!

1 message

Shelby Mill <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: grease-1959@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:44 PM

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Sincerely,

Shelby Mill grease-1959@hotmail.com 15861 64th St E Sumner, Washington 98390





# Stop fur

3 messages

Ines Rosier <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: inesrosier@vahoo.fr To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:26 AM

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Sincerely,

Ines Rosier inesrosier@yahoo.fr Rue des abesses Chelles. Île-de-France 77500

Esmeralda Cisneros <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: ecisneros84@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Esmeralda Cisneros ecisneros84@yahoo.com 564 Trier Ave La Puente, California 91744

Dani Green <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: payables@tchebaqual.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:38 PM

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Sincerely,

Dani Green payables@tchebagual.com 46 Payne road Bethel, Connecticut 06801



# Stop fur-cruelty

1 message

Lucy Zhang <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: lucyz5354@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:24 PM

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Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely, Lucy Zhang

Lucy Zhang lucyz5354@gmail.com

Silverwood

Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island C1E 2A2



# Stop harming innocent animals for meterial

1 message

Graceyn Arkinstall <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: graceyn.111@gmail.col To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:52 PM

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Sincerely,

Graceyn Arkinstall graceyn.111@gmail.col 42 Landing Circuit Springfield Lakes, Queensland 4300



# Stop hurting animals!

1 message

Tania Martinez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: t.martinez327@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:18 PM

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Sincerely,

Tania Martinez t.martinez327@gmail.com 37484 golden isles Hallandale, Principado de Asturias 33456





# STOP IN THESE INHUMANE WAYS.

1 message

Rachel Wieland <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: raychelilleene@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:49 AM

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Sincerely,

Rachel Wieland raychelilleene@yahoo.com 1009 112th St SE unit D206 Everett, Washington 98208





# Stop it

1 message

Svetlana Portnaia <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Sportnaia@list.ru To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:01 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Svetlana Portnaia Sportnaia@list.ru Idesa5 Chisinau, Chişinău 2001



# Stop killing animals for their fur!

1 message

Yvette Lambregts <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: pybilambregts@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:21 PM

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Sincerely,

Yvette Lambregts pybilambregts@gmail.com Hunnenveld Arnhem, 6846CN



## Stop supporting Fur production!

1 message

Jana Hoppe <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: jana.h1@web.de To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:00 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Jana Hoppe jana.h1@web.de Peter-Michely-Str Saarbrücken, Saarland 66117



# Stop the Cruelty - Make LA Fur-Free

1 message

Hayley Schore <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: hailbopps@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:55 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Sincerely,

Hayley Schore hailbopps@gmail.com Motor Avenue Los Angeles, California 90064



## Stop The Suffering!

1 message

Richard Karcich <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rmkarcich@msn.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 3:18 PM

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Sincerely,

Richard Karcich rmkarcich@msn.com 4929 E Maplewood PI Centennial, Colorado 80121





## Support a ban on fur

1 message

Katherine Sampson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: Katsampson333@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 11:41 AM

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Sincerely,

Katherine Sampson Katsampson333@gmail.com 308 W Main St Alliance, Ohio 44601





## Support the Ban on Fur

1 message

Jessica Schuller <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: irschuller@widener.edu To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:03 AM

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Sincerely,

Jessica Schuller jrschuller@widener.edu 3737 Vartan Way Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17011





## Support the fur ban

1 message

Larissa Wiens <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: larissa.wiens@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely, Larissa Wiens

Larissa Wiens larissa.wiens@gmail.com Vespuccistraat 85 Amsterdam, 1056SK





## **Urgent help**

1 message

Paula Monks <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: paula monks@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:11 PM

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Sincerely,

Paula Monks paula monks@hotmail.com 40 Grace Park Meadows Dublin, Washington 9





## **URGENT! PLEASE READ!**

1 message

Miseon Kim <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: miseon.mullen@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:52 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Miseon Kim miseon.mullen@gmail.com 514 Jamacha Rd El Cajon, California 92019



## Vote Yes . Please read

1 message

Crystal Vasquez <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: hairbycrystal02@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:08 AM

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Sincerely,

Crystal Vasquez

Crystal Vasquez hairbycrystal02@gmail.com 8606 Vanalden Ave Northridge, California 91324



## Vote YES for LA Fur Ban

1 message

Ivy Gillette <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: oceanpebble07@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:47 AM

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You can learn a lot about a community based solely on how it treats those most vulnerable.

Sincerely, Ivy Gillette

Ivy Gillette oceanpebble07@yahoo.com 2826 SE 16th place 201 Homestead, Florida 33035





## War Against Fur

1 message

Shabnam Nasiri <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: shabnamnasiri356@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 7:59 PM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely, Shabnam Nasiri

Shabnam Nasiri shabnamnasiri356@yahoo.com 100 Wildcroft Drive Martinez, California 94553



## We can do better together

1 message

Mikaila Locsin <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: locsinmikaila@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 11:36 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely,

Mikaila

Mikaila Locsin locsinmikaila@yahoo.com P.O. Box 246 San Martin, California 95046





## Wearing someone

1 message

Angela Chappa Larrea <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: angela.chappa@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:12 AM

Michael Espinosa,

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Sincerely, Angela Chappa Larrea

Angela Chappa Larrea angela.chappa@gmail.com 9153 162nd PI NE Redmond, Washington 98052



# WRITE TO COUNCILMEMBER ANDRÉS CASTRO

1 message

Andrés Castro <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: andrescastroama@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 5:29 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

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Andrés Castro andrescastroama@gmail.com Torreón Coahuila, Coahuila de Zaragoza 27397





## LA FUR BAN

1 message

Anne Mcarthur <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: annemail3@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 10:14 AM

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I'm haunted by images of animals being skinned alive. You never know where this fur comes from and even at its best, these animals are not treated well. They are thinking creatures. Would you allow your dog or cat to be caged and skinned? Please take a stand.

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Anne Mcarthur annemail3@yahoo.com 4544 Westlawn #8 Los Angeles, California 90066





#### Make LA fur free

5 messages

Tarra Cokor <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: tecokor@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Wed, Aug 29, 2018 at 10:48 PM

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Sincerely,

Tarra Cokor tecokor@gmail.com 3388 Skyline View Drive Reno, NV. 89509

Tracey Gibbons <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: tsgibbons@northrock.bm To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Tracey Gibbons tsgibbons@northrock.bm 45 Ord Road Paget, Texas PG03

Kelli Daniel <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: kellijdaniel@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 6:31 AM

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Kelli Daniel kellijdaniel@yahoo.com 209 Education Ave Durham, North Carolina 27713 steph schiff <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: stephandspence@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 1:41 PM

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Sincerely.

steph schiff stephandspence@yahoo.com 7 Williams LN Newtown, Connecticut 06470

Geoff Christian <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: notarealemail@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 9:47 PM

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Geoff Christian notarealemail@gmail.com 2657 Windmill Pkwy Henderson, Nevada 89074





#### **BAN fur in LA**

1 message

Rebecca Sykes <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: sykesrebecca22@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 10:59 AM

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Sincerely,

Rebecca Sykes

Rebecca Sykes sykesrebecca22@gmail.com 1584 Chert Dr San Marcos, California 92078



#### **FUR BAN**

2 messages

Amanda Davis <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: amanda221@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Sincerely,

Amanda

Amanda Davis amanda221@live.com 1020 south crescent heights Blvd Los Angeles, California 90035

Victoria King <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vjane.king.17@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 4:24 PM

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Sincerely,

Victoria King vjane.king.17@hotmail.com 116 maple st Limestone, Tennessee TN





## Please make LA Fur Free

1 message

Cindy Wu <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: mymiro@yahoo.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 11:33 AM

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Sincerely,

Cindy Wu mymiro@yahoo.com 938 pebble beach place Placentia, California 92870





#### La fur free

1 message

Julie Spicer <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: rainyday\_mists@hotmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 12:27 PM

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Sincerely,

Julie Spicer rainyday\_mists@hotmail.com 3118 172nd st sw Lynnwood, Washington 98037





## LA FUR BAN

1 message

Abby Godfredson <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: godfreab@students.pittschools.org To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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Los Angeles has the opportunity to make a clear statement to the rest of the world that the confinement, torture and brutal killing for fur will not be tolerated. The fur industry has no place in our city. I therefore urge you to vote yes for a Fur Free LA.

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## **MAKE LA FUR FREE**

2 messages

Kati Ballasch <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: nickati@icloud.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 8:38 AM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

I am writing to ask you to support the ban on the manufacture and sale of fur products in the city of Los Angeles. I was proud and excited to hear that the city is considering a ban on the sale of products from an extremely cruel and inhumane industry.

As you may already know, there is much evidence obtained by various animal welfare groups demonstrating cruel treatment suffered by animals such as foxes, rabbits, and mink. Many of our city's imports are from countries where animal welfare is not protected, and unfortunately we see similar violations even in countries with animal welfare laws. There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane." Animals across the industry are are kept in tiny cages their entire lives and go insane from boredom and stress. Other animals like coyotes are trapped in the wild where they are separated from their children and endure days of suffering before they shot or bludgeoned to death.

Other California cities such as West Hollywood, Berkley and San Francisco already have bans in place. Los Angeles will be the largest City yet to have such a ban in place. As a fashion city we would be setting an example to the rest of the country and the world.

Thank you again for your strength to stand up for these animals and to work on behalf of our city. I also urge that all members of the city council vote in favor of the measure when the time comes.

Sincerely,

Kati

Kati Ballasch nickati@icloud.com 722 Shanghai Bend Rd. Yuba City, California 95991

Melissa Zuniga <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: silveryoko33@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Thu, Aug 30, 2018 at 12:50 PM

Michael Espinosa,

Dear Los Angeles City Council Members:

The fact that there is still the unnecessary suffering of animals for fur fashion is deplorable, whether the animal involved is a cat, a dog, a coyote, a fox or a mink.

Opinion polls throughout the world continually show high levels of public disapproval of fur. This ban gives us an excellent opportunity to close our city to the cruel, unnecessary, outdated fur trade, and lead the way by making LA the fourth and largest city to ban the sale and manufacture of fur.

There can be no guarantee that the products offered for sale in our city, yet produced elsewhere are "humane."

Please vote YES for the LA Fur Ban and use your voice for positive change to make LA a more humane city.

Sincerely,

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#### **Animals Deserve Better**

1 message

Katie Gunning <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: katiegunning@live.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 6:54 AM

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Sincerely,

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## Support the Ban!

1 message

Ashi Labouisse <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: umamonroe9@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

Fri, Aug 31, 2018 at 7:09 AM

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Sincerely, the Labouisse family

Ashi Labouisse umamonroe9@gmail.com 1305 Hayne Road Hillsborough, California 94010





## Ban fur please

1 message

Lilly Pellegrini <info@sg.actionnetwork.org> Reply-To: vickibroome1@gmail.com To: michael.espinosa@lacity.org

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