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Impact Information Date: 05/02/2019 Update to a Previous Input: No Directed To: City Council and Committees Council File Number: 19-0002-S19 Agenda Date: Item Number:

Summary: COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT Council File: 19–0002-S19 Ban of Anticoagulant Rodenticides / Commercial and Industrial State Regulations / Wildlife Sensitive Areas. AB 1788: amend Section 12978.7 of, and to add Section 12978.8 to, the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to pesticides. -FOR- In Los Feliz, we've seen the damage rodenticides can do. We fell in love with P22's majestic image in National Geographic in November 2013 and to be heartbroken only 5 months later he was discovered with mange and virtually unrecognizable due to ingesting rodenticides which contain anticoagulants. Luckily P22 was nursed back to health but our local coyotes, birds of prey, bobcats, fishers, foxes, and endangered species such as the northern spotted owl, pacific fisher, and San Joaquin kit fox don't have that luxury. This also poses a deadly threat to our house pets as well. We recommend this city ban of all anticoagulants within a 5 mile buffer zone of wildlife sensitive areas, and we support this assembly bill which would create the California Ecosystems Protection Act of 2019 and expand this prohibition against the use of a pesticide containing specified anticoagulants in wildlife habitat areas to the entire state.