Your Community Impact Statement has been successfully submitted to City Council and Committees.

If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at <u>NCSupport@lacity.org</u>.

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Contact Information Neighborhood Council: Los Feliz Neighborhood Council,Los Feliz Neighborhood Council Name: Jon Deutsch Phone Number: (213) 973-9758 Email: jon.deutsch@losfeliznc.org The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(14) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0) Date of NC Board Action: 02/19/2019 Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information Date: 02/26/2019 Update to a Previous Input: No Directed To: City Council and Committees Council File Number: 19-0126 Agenda Date: Item Number:

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## -COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT-

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