

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Councilmembers, I am calling on you to rescind 41.18 (d). The proposed amendments are not forward thinking, and I am concerned they will make our city's homelessness crisis much worse. If the city wants to address public safety issues around homelessness, we must include houseless Angelenos, service providers and others with professional and lived experience in the process. As a teacher who has worked with homeless teens for years, I am especially concerned that restrictions unfairly punish Angelenos who are facing economic hardship, including hundreds of unsheltered children under the age of 18 and transitional age youth aging out of foster care. Please focus your efforts on housing and supportive services rather than on increasing burdens for people just trying to get by. Thank you.