

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Councilmember O'Farrell, Ryu, Bonin, Nury Martinez, Joe Busciano, Gil Cedillo, Herb Wesson, Curren Price Jr, Arming Park Rangers is such a bad idea. NRA Busciano and NRA Cedillo want to militarize our Park Rangers. How tragic is it that the above knuckleheads want even more shootings of black and brown and poor people by City workers. My question to Cedillo and Busciano is will Park Rangers(Smokey the Bear) be given M1 Abrams Main Battle Tanks to clear encampments of poors? Will LA's Smoky the Bears be mounting surplus M-20 machine guns on their Jeeps. Seriously though, the LA City Council must petition their President Donald Trump to send as much surplus military weapons to Rec and Parks so that Rec and Parks can mount an offensive against those poors in Echo Park. May I suggest to the NRA's LA Councilmembers Cedillo and Busciano that they need to start arming Sanitation's garbage men pronto. Sweeping poors of our streets is not safe without a Smith & Wesson on every Sanitation workers belt. Y'all can get some more BUKU donations from the gun manufacturers to your officeholder accounts by arming more City workers. Go for it Mitch!

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Comments for Public Posting: This is a crazy idea. We don't need a whole other set of armed cops in our city parks. Look what happened to Tamir Rice in a park with a toy gun. Look what happened to Erik Rivera walking down the street with a fluorescent green water pistol here in L.A. Look what happened to Ezell Ford, Grechario Mack, Omar Abrego and too many others to name. We don't want armed park rangers around our kids in the parks and recreation areas of Los Angeles. It will make nobody feel more secure, and a lot of kids feel more threatened and unwanted and endangered.