



August 12, 2012

Ms. June Lagmay, City Clerk
Office of the City Clerk
City Hall
200 North Spring Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Council President Herb Wesson
City Hall
200 North Spring Street, Room 430
Los Angeles, California 90013

RE: **Community Care Facilities Ordinance:** Council File 11-0262, CPC-2009-800-CA, draft ordinance amending Sections 12.03, 12.21, 12.22, 12.24 and 14.00 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code

Dear Ms. Lagmay and Council President Wesson:

As the first certified Neighborhood Council in Hollywood, Central Hollywood Neighborhood Council wishes to advise you of our recommendations for the above-referenced ordinance.

At the request of community groups opposed to the CCF Ordinance and CHNC Board member David Ambroz, the issues and concerns surrounding this ordinance were vetted at the CHNC PLUM committee on July 9, 2012. Mr. Mark Parra and Ms. Kerry Morrison provided background information to the Committee.

On a motion by Oliver Netburn, seconded by Scott Campbell, the PLUM committee unanimously approved the motion to recommend that the CHNC Board submit a community impact statement to the Los Angeles City Council in opposition to the proposed Community Care Facilities Ordinance and to recommend formation of a blue ribbon panel to review proper, or streamlined, enforcement of nuisance abatement laws already in existence.

At the regularly scheduled CHNC Board meeting on July 23, 2012, Scott Campbell presented the PLUM Committee approved motion. Jeff Christianson, project director of the Sober Living Network, reprised the presentation made to the CHNC PLUM Committee and noted the coalition of organizations that have come together to oppose the proposed ordinance and why.

On a motion by Scott Campbell, seconded by Laurie Goldman, the CHNC Board unanimously approved the motion that a CHNC letter be written to the Los Angeles City Council expressing opposition to the proposed Community Care Facilities Ordinance and recommend the formation of a blue ribbon panel to review proper or streamlined enforcement of nuisance abatement laws already in existence. *NOTE:* Community Impact Statement was not included in the approved motion

CHNC respectfully requests that this letter of opposition be placed in the Community Care Facilities Ordinance file.

Thank you for allowing us to advise you on this important matter.

Sincerely,

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President

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