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Community Impact Statement
Council File 11-1705
Billboard Sign Ordinance
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The Greater Echo Park Elysian Neighborhood Council (GEPENC) requests that the following Community Impact Statement be attached to City Council File 11-1705.

On July 28, 2015, the GEPENC Board of Governors held a Brown Act--noticed meeting with a quorum of 14; and, with a vote of 14-yeas, 0-nays, and 0-abstentions, the GEPENC adopted the motion in support of the Community Impact Statement for Council File 11-1705.

The Greater Echo Park Elysian Neighborhood Council (GEPENC) supports the Sign Ordinance as adopted by the City Planning Commission (CPC) and City Attorney Michael Feuer, where:

- **NO amnesty** is granted to billboards that are standing **without permits** or are not in compliance nor have gone through the process of the L.A. Department of Building and Safety; these signs need to be cited, and citation fees collected;
- Digital signs are to be placed in designated Sign Districts only; and
- Conditional Use permits for the placement of digital billboards outside of the Sign Districts are declined.

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