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Brief Summary: The Glassell Park Neighborhood Council urges the Los Angeles City Council to approve this Motion to study and implement measures to protect the health of our existing trees and increase the number of trees in our communities.

Additional Information: The GPNC SUPPORTS this Resolution because ensuring the health of our existing trees and increasing the number of trees that provide urban shade canopies is crucial to our well-being.

This CIS is based on the action taken at the regularly scheduled Board of Directors meeting on May 19, 2015, when the GPNC adopted the following motion by a vote of 7 yes, 0 no, 0 abstaining and directed that a CIS be filed reflecting its position.



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Council File 15-0467

Honorable City Council  
c/o Office of the City Clerk  
Los Angeles City Hall  
200 North Spring Street, Room 395  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

The Glassell Park Neighborhood Council requests that the following Community Impact Statement be attached/added to Council File 15-0467 that asks the City Council to approve directing the Bureau of Street Services’s Urban Forestry Division to report regarding the health of trees in Los Angeles including an assessment of current regulations, recommendations for new regulations and guidelines; and how the recent sidewalk repair plan will impact our urban forest..

**COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT**

The Glassell Park Neighborhood Council SUPPORTS this Resolution because our current drought is both taxing the health of our trees and causing our City to become warmer; ensuring the health of our existing trees and increasing the number of trees that provide urban shade canopies is crucial to our well-being.

This Community Impact Statement is based on the action taken at the regularly scheduled Board of Directors meeting on May 19, 2015, when the Glassell Park Neighborhood Council adopted the following motion by a vote of 7 yes, 0 no, 0 abstaining and directed that a Community Impact Statement be filed reflecting its position.

Motion: “The Glassell Park Neighborhood Council urges the Los Angeles City Council to approve this Motion to study and implement measures to protect the health of our existing trees and increase the number of trees in our communities.”

Sincerely,

Marge Piane (gpnc.margepiane@gmail.com)  
On Behalf of the Glassell Park Neighborhood Council