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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(11) Nay(1) Abstain(4) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Type of NC Board Action: Against unless Amended

Impact Information

Date: 03/21/2017

Update to a Previous Input: No

Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 15-1022-S2

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: The Greater Wilshire Neighborhood Council believes in encouraging community participation and enfranchising as many voters as possible without needing to modify the representative structure of our Board. Regarding the Report Back by DONE on Council File 15-1022-S2, the GWNC does not support online voting until such time that it can include verification of factual-basis stakeholder status. We reject and oppose the recommendation that voter registration documentation be only by self-affirmation and picture ID as that alone does not evidence voter residency, ownership, or employment within the geographic boundaries of the GWNC. We reject the need for simplified balloting only as a matter of efficiency that would require a change in our bylaws and the representative structure of our Board. We support the voter age being lowered to 16 years of age to encourage young Stakeholders to participate in the civic process.