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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(19) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

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Summary: The EPNC urges swift completion of the legal and land use study of oil and gas extraction sites, and supports an ordinance establishing a 2,500-foot setback around oil and gas extraction sites for sensitive land uses including homes, schools, and hospitals or proper environmental containment of the site so it does not adversely affect the surrounding neighborhood.

ECHO PARK NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

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Community Impact Statement (CIS) Council File No. 17-0447

Proposed 2,500 ft. Setback around Oil and Gas
Extraction in Los Angeles

November 28, 2017



CERTIFIED NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL
APRIL 16, 2002

To: Honorable City Council, Los Angeles City Hall, 200 N. Spring Street, room 395,
Los Angeles, CA 90012 c/o Office of the City Clerk

The Echo Park Neighborhood Council (EPNC) is requesting that the following
Community Impact Statement be attached to City Council File 17-0447.

On November 28, 2017, with a quorum of 19, the EPNC Board of Governors held a
Brown Act-noticed meeting and with a vote of 19 yeas, 0 nays, and 0 abstentions, the
EPNC voted to submit this CIS in support of

(a) swift completion of the legal and land use study of oil and gas extraction sites
which drilling operations routinely use and emit toxic chemicals in urbanized areas
in the City of Los Angeles especially in low-income Latino and African-American
neighborhoods, and

(b) an ordinance establishing a 2,500-foot setback around oil and gas extraction
sites for sensitive land uses including homes, schools, and hospitals or proper
environmental containment of the site so it does not adversely affect the
surrounding neighborhood in order to mitigate the hazardous impacts that frontline
communities experience daily in the City of Los Angeles.

Respectfully,

Tad Yenawine
Chair, Echo Park Neighborhood Council