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## File 20-600 - Support for The People's Budget

1 message

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**Connie Shen** <connie@happyhour.agency>

Sun, May 31, 2020 at 8:42 PM

To: councilmember.martinez@lacity.org

Cc: clerk.cps@lacity.org

I support The People's Budget and the city prioritizing Care Over Cops and am emailing to urge you to deny the Mayor's proposed budget.



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## Phone Messages from L.A. Constituents

1 message

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
Cc: Isabel Onate <isabel.onate@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:03 AM

Good morning,

Received messages on main line from following:

District 13 Resident - Opposes Mayor's Budget  
Owen's Boyd (CD5) - Opposes Mayor's Budget  
Megan McDonald - Supports "People's" Budget  
Cody Husband - Opposes Mayor's Budget

Thank you,  
Izzy



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**Fwd: People's Budget LA**

1 message

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:15 AM

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**From: 'Blake Danchik' via Clerk - CityClerk** <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 7:21 AM  
**Subject:** People's Budget LA  
**To:** <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Like the many Angelenos who have called in and tweeted their opposition, I am urging the City Council to block the Mayor's horrific and white supremacist budget.

The LAPD is one of the most abusive and corrupt law enforcement departments in the country, and the city is repeatedly sued over the LAPD's abuse of power. We are in the midst of a global health pandemic — thousands remain unhoused and millions are at risk of joining those ranks. Black, Brown, poor, institutionalized and unhoused bodies are at the greatest risk of being exposed to and dying from COVID-19. These are the same folx who are disproportionately impacted by LAPD violence.

The People have spoken. They want the city to invest in universal needs like quality housing for all, universal access to healthy food, financial and economic support, climate justice, free and quality public transit, public health and mental health support. They want the city to divest from traditional policing. And they DO NOT want you to give LAPD an additional \$100,000 for the "Through Our Eyes" Program.

I demand you adopt a People's Budget that emphasizes Care not Cops and which DEFUNDS THE POLICE.

I want to make clear that your failure to listen to your constituents does not mean that we will give up. We will continue to make our voices known, both online and through in-person protests.

Thank you for your time.

Blake Danchik  
1-818-536-2051  
[blakedanchik@yahoo.com](mailto:blakedanchik@yahoo.com)  
IATSE Local 80



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**Yonggunnz** <yonggunnz@gmail.com>  
To: councilmember.martinez@lacity.org  
Cc: clerk.cps@lacity.org

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:46 AM

I support The People's Budget and the city prioritizing Care Over Cops and am emailing to urge you to deny the Mayor's proposed budget.



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## Fwd: A Call to Adopt The People's Budget

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:20 AM

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From: **Taylor Micelotta** <taylormicelotta@gmail.com>  
Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 9:22 PM  
Subject: A Call to Adopt The People's Budget  
To: <CityClerk@lacity.org>

To the City Clerk of Los Angeles,

I'm reaching out as one of your constituents on an issue I feel strongly about. **There needs to be an emergency city council meeting to deny the Mayor's budget, which favors policing over services, and support The People's budget.**

The last few weeks have been painful for our city and country -- watching the police murder black Americans is nothing new, but it is painful for everyone each time. I am devastated by how this pattern is effecting my community, my friends, my neighbors and the entire country. It is especially disappointing to see the lack of action being taken by our policy makers.

I can't help but notice the incredibly poor prioritization of our resources and money. We have doctors and nurses in garbage bags to protect themselves from the corona virus, a large deficit of ventilators and N-95 masks, while we have a tremendously numbered and armed police force protecting Derek Chauvin's home and instigating violence during peaceful protest. TANKS driving through neighborhoods and spraying rubber bullets at people standing outside of their homes. This may not all be happening in Los Angeles, but policy changes at all levels are needed to make any significant change. **It is up to you to do the right thing.**

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I urge you to demand a lower percentage of the budget to go to the LAPD.

Restructuring this budget should be in reaction to both the **deep structural racism implemented by the police force AND our current public health crisis.** It seems incredibly obvious, but for some reason it's taking a lot more than it should to move in this direction.

Attached is the people's budget. Please use it as a guide. **This is what LA's constituents think the budget should be. It is what your constituents want you to invest in.**

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

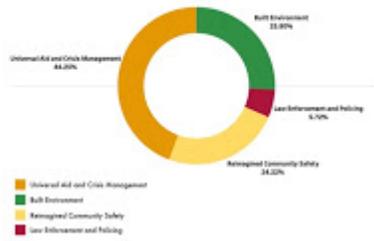
Taylor Micelotta  
North Hollywood Resident

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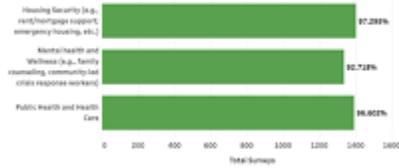
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### The People's Budget Priorities



### Top Priorities for Investment



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## Fwd: Can you help?

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:22 AM

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From: '**Jessica Moog**' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:48 AM  
Subject: Can you help?  
To: <cityclerk@lacity.org>

My name is Jessica Moog and I am emailing as a native Angeleno and resident at 1442 Lucile Ave, 90026 in Los Angeles. This is an emergency message asking you and the entire L.A. government to help defund the LAPD, demilitarize our downtown, and condemn police brutality through real and lasting reform.

I'm asking you to use your position and voice to put our city's resources into the things our community needs most, like violence prevention, housing, and resources for mental health and youth. Black and brown lives must be VALUED and PROTECTED, not given lip service & pandered to, while more money flows into the LAPD. Curfews will not hold back the pain and progress of a nation.

The People's Budget represents a progressive path forward that has the true support of a community of voters like myself; this path heads towards a government and police force that values human life, and serves and protects our minority communities MORE than they do the privileged and comfortable areas like my own.

There must be change, and it must be now. Please be in our side.

Sincerely,  
Jessica Moog  
[jessicamoog@yahoo.com](mailto:jessicamoog@yahoo.com)  
[626 807 8006](tel:6268078006)



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**Fwd: Police Budget CHANGE**

1 message

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:24 AM

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From: **Elizabeth Grace Herzog** <lizzygherzog@gmail.com>

Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 9:42 PM

Subject: Police Budget CHANGE

To: &lt;CityClerk@lacity.org&gt;

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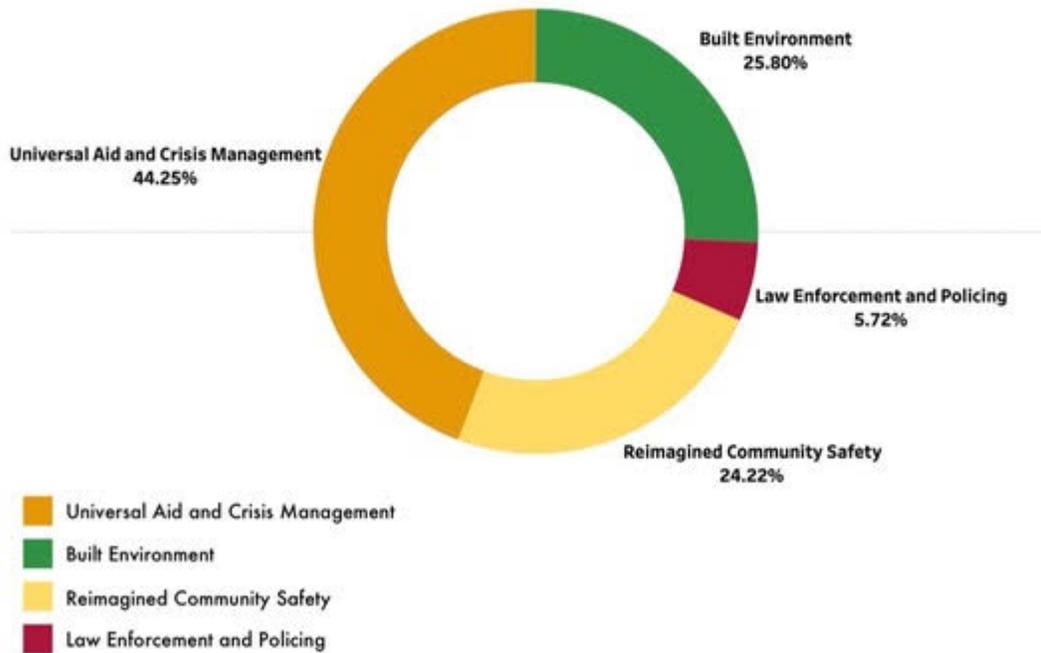
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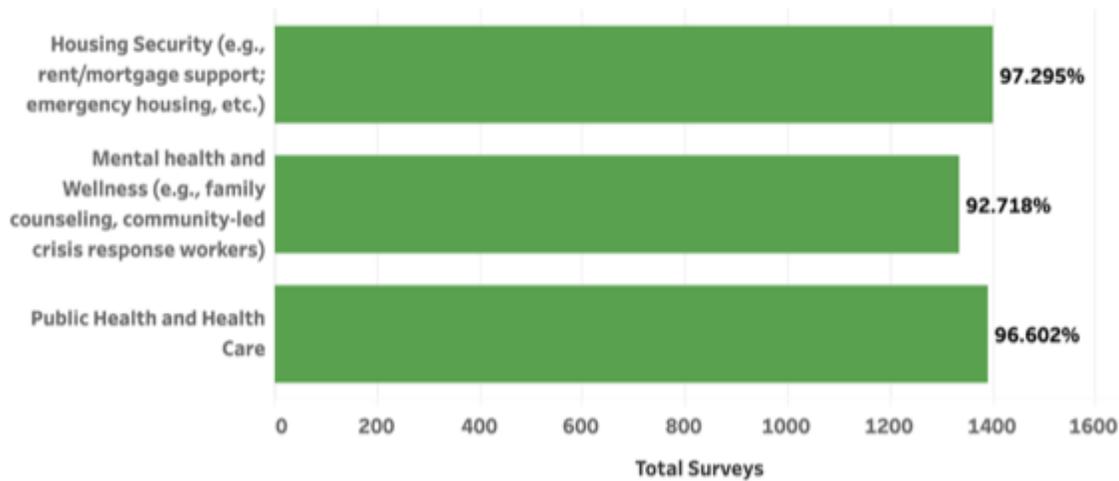
Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,  
Lizzy Herzog  
Brentwood Resident

# The People's Budget Priorities



## Top Priorities for Investment





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**Fwd: Care Not Cops: Reject the Mayor's Budget and Adapt the People's Budget**

1 message

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:26 AM

To: City Clerk Council and Public Services &lt;Clerk.CPS@lacity.org&gt;

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From: **Mark David Christenson** <markdavidchristenson@gmail.com>

Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 6:05 PM

Subject: Care Not Cops: Reject the Mayor's Budget and Adapt the People's Budget

To: &lt;councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.blumenfield@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.martinez@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.rodriguez@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.price@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.wesson@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.bonin@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.Lee@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.huizar@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;councilmember.buscaino@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;Councilmember.Krekorian@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;cityclerk@lacity.org&gt;, &lt;cd4.issues@lacity.org&gt;

Councilmembers,

My name is Mark David Christenson, I live at [1965 Rodney Drive](#).

I urge you to deny the mayor's proposed budget and support [The People's Budget](#) with a focus on defunding the over militarized police force of LA County. The future of our city, both over the next few weeks, and the next several years depends on shifting our priority away from treating our citizens like criminals. Anything less is an abdication of your responsibility to represent and protect LA's most vulnerable and will be remembered when you are up for re-election.

Thank you,

MDC

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Mark David Christenson  
[markdavidchristenson@gmail.com](mailto:markdavidchristenson@gmail.com)[www.markdavidchristenson.com](http://www.markdavidchristenson.com)

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City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

## Fwd: 2020-2021 LA CITY BUDGET

1 message

**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:25 AM

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From: **Princess Leus** <princessleus777@gmail.com>

Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 8:13 PM

Subject: 2020-2021 LA CITY BUDGET

To: cityclerk@lacity.org <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Holly Wolcott,

My name is Princess Leus, and I have been a resident of Los Angeles for 16 years. I love this city and am proud to call myself an Angeleno. The Mayor's response to COVID-19 has been encouraging, and I am glad to see that actions are being taken to ensure the safety of our city's residents.

I am writing to you today because I recently read that the proposed 2020-2021 budget allocates over \$3 billion to the LAPD.<sup>1</sup> In light of the recent (and ongoing, for decades) police brutality committed in the United States at large, here in Los Angeles, and because of the murders of George Floyd, Breonna Taylor, Tony McDade, and countless more innocent black people at the hands of police officers, I feel compelled to write and ask you - as I am sure many have - to allocate funds away from the LAPD's budget and invest in education and ending the homelessness crisis here in Los Angeles.

There are many important issues facing our citizens, and an increased police presence only serves to increase the number of African Americans (and people of color) who will experience extreme, potentially life-ending instances of police brutality in the future. Additionally, there is evidence that a movement away from aggressive police presence leads to a decrease in crime. In 2017, when "New York police officers temporarily reduced their "proactive policing" efforts on low-level offenses, major-crime reports in the city actually fell, according to a study based on New York Police Department crime statistics." <sup>2</sup>

I am a concerned citizen who is angrier than ever at systemic injustice, the school to prison pipeline, and the plethora of ways in which our country is designed to place roadblocks in the way of people of color, specifically African Americans. One such obstacle is the disproportionate amount of violence that black and brown people face at the hands of police officers, both in this city and country.

I would respectfully ask Mayor Garcetti to invest in education and relieving homelessness rather than continuing to overfund the police force.

Sincerely,

Princess Leus

*Citations:*

1. *City of Los Angeles Open Budget.* [http://openbudget.lacity.org/#!/year/2021/operating/0/department\\_name/Police/0/program\\_priority?vis=barChart](http://openbudget.lacity.org/#!/year/2021/operating/0/department_name/Police/0/program_priority?vis=barChart)
2. "In New York, Major Crime Complaints Fell When Cops Took a Break From 'Proactive Policing.'" *LA Times.* September 26, 2017. <https://www.latimes.com/science/sciencenow/la-sci-sn-proactive->

6/1/2020

City of Los Angeles Mail - Fwd: 2020-2021 LA CITY BUDGET

*[policing-crime-20170925-story.html](#)*



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## Fwd: CARE NOT COPS - REJECT BUDGET

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:25 AM

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From: **Beth Appel** <beth.appel@gmail.com>  
Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 9:32 PM  
Subject: CARE NOT COPS - REJECT BUDGET  
To: <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Hello David E. Ryu,

As my City Council Representative I ask you to reject the Mayor of LA Garcetti's budget and put the majority of funds towards housing, health care, education, good jobs, mental health and more.

-Beth Appel



City Clerk Council and Public Services &lt;clerk.cps@lacity.org&gt;

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**Fwd: Care Not Cops: Reject the Mayor's Budget and Adapt the People's Budget**

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My name is Beth Appel, I live at [1965 Rodney Drive](#).

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Thank you,

Beth Appel



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To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:27 AM

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From: **Mark David Christenson** <[hobbit138@gmail.com](mailto:hobbit138@gmail.com)>  
Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 5:59 PM  
Subject: CARE NOT COPS - REJECT BUDGET  
To: <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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## Fwd: An EMERGENCY City Council Meeting Is Necessary

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:29 AM

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From: **Rekha Shankar** <rekhalshankar@gmail.com>  
Date: Sun, May 31, 2020 at 5:27 PM  
Subject: An EMERGENCY City Council Meeting Is Necessary  
To: <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Hi Council Member Ryu,

I would like to request that the city hold **an emergency city council meeting** in light of recent events. **We need to deny the mayor's budget in favor of policing** and **support the people's budget**. I know the city budget is due tomorrow, 6/1, and that is why we need to hold this meeting **as soon as possible**.

After this pandemic settles, I do **not** want such large amount of money spent on policing (and the seemingly inevitable brutality of the police department). I want it to go toward helping the homeless population in Los Angeles (staggering), toward bettering the public transport system (which would benefit many lower income people), and toward any measure that raises up the less fortunate in the city.

Thank you for your time.

Best,  
Rekha Shankar

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[rekhashankar.com](http://rekhashankar.com)



City Clerk Council and Public Services &lt;clerk.cps@lacity.org&gt;

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## Adopt a People's Budget

1 message

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**Christine Varney** <christinelvarney@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:59 AM

To: "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" &lt;councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org&gt;

Cc: "clerk.cps@lacity.org" &lt;clerk.cps@lacity.org&gt;

Dear Paul Krekorian,

**You need to adopt a People's Budget and defund the police. Looking at the thousands of Los Angeles County residents who came out to peacefully protest the systemic violence against Black people and support reallocating funds away from the police, you can not turn a blind eye to the numbers.**

We are in the midst of a health pandemic with severe economic consequences. Over 50% of Angelenos are unemployed — and we can expect 42% lasting unemployment. Over 50% of this city is renters — and if folx are unemployed, they cannot pay rent. Prior to the pandemic, there were around 60k unhoused folx; after evictions and economic insecurity due to COVID-19 and its fall out, we can expect thousands more. We, as a city, are just beginning to see the economic fall out from this public health crisis, which disproportionately will affect Black and Brown people, livelihoods and businesses.

In this context, the Mayor is proposing an increase to LAPD, despite the fact that crime has fallen considerably during the past few months. LAPD has seen a rise in overtime which, more often than not, is paid out to officers harassing unhoused folx, and Black, Indigenous, people of color.

After declining to vote on this draconian proposal last week, City Council referred it back to the Budget and Finance Committee. Now, the Committee has decided not to meet, thereby shirking its duty and upholding the racist and white-supremacist structures that underlie both the proposal and City Council as a governing body.

I am calling on you, Paul Krekorian, to schedule a Budget and Finance Committee emergency meeting and strike down the mayors budget proposal, and instead work with People's Budget which centers Care, not Cops. **You need to Adopt a People's Budget which defunds the police.** Public opinion is with me, especially after the visibility from the protests this weekend.

Thank you for your time,

Christine Varney



City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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## Fwd: Fund services, not police!

2 messages

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:28 AM

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From: **Jeimee Estrada** <jeimee.estrada@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:28 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

Now more than ever, we need a budget centered on humanity.

We need housing.  
We need healthcare.  
We need good jobs.  
We need healthy food.  
We need mental healthcare.  
We need free public transit.  
We need educational enrichment.  
We need small business resources.

We don't need more police.

As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jeimee Estrada  
[2581 Arvia St Unit 2](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90065](#)

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:55 AM

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## State Council File 20-0600

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**Christian Balbuena** <cbalbuena90@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:35 AM

To: "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>

Cc: "clerk.cps@lacity.org" <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

We need to amend the budget! We want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs. We want more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times. We must make a more evenly distributed budget.

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Christian Balbuena

CSULB Alumni

BS: Kinesiology - Exercise Science



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**Fwd: Fund services, not police!**

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Brendan Sargent  
1902 Bellevue Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90026



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From: **Jack Herzog** <jackherzog17@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 9:58 AM  
Subject: Peoples Budget  
To: <CityClerk@lacity.org>

To City Clerk,

I'm reaching out as one of your constituents on an issue I feel strongly about. **There needs to be an emergency city council meeting to deny the Mayor's budget, which favors policing over services, and support The People's budget.**

The last few weeks have been painful for our city and country -- watching the police murder black Americans is nothing new, but it is painful for everyone each time. I am devastated by how this pattern is effecting my community, my friends, my neighbors and the entire country. It is especially disappointing to see the lack of action being taken by our policy makers.

I can't help but notice the incredibly poor prioritization of our resources and money. We have doctors and nurses in garbage bags to protect themselves from the corona virus, a large deficit of ventilators and N-95 masks, while we have a tremendously numbered and armed police force protecting Derek Chauvin's home and instigating violence during peaceful protest. TANKS driving through neighborhoods and spraying rubber bullets at people standing outside of their homes. This may not all be happening in Los Angeles, but policy changes at all levels are needed to make any significant change. **It is up to you to do the right thing.**

Mayor Garcetti not only called on the national guard, the most powerful police force imaginable, but he has proposed a despicable budget for the LAPD in the coming year. **54% of the money going to the police. Where is this number coming from? Can you please rectify this?**

I urge you to demand a lower percentage of the budget to go to the LAPD.

Restructuring this budget should be in reaction to both the **deep structural racism implemented by the police force AND our current public health crisis.** It seems incredibly obvious, but for some reason it's taking a lot more than it should to move in this direction.

Attached is the people's budget. Please use it as a guide. **This is what LA's constituents think the budget should be. It is what your constituents want you to invest in.**

Thank you for your time.

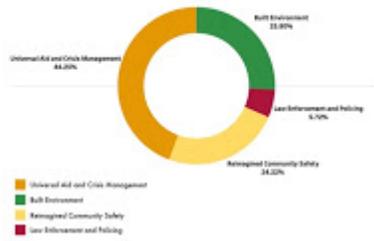
Sincerely,

Jack Herzog  
North Hollywood Resident

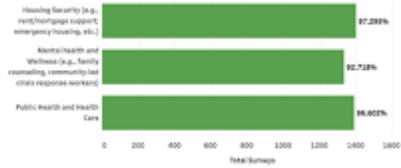
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### The People's Budget Priorities



### Top Priorities for Investment



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## Reallocate the Budget

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**Serena Liu** <mail.serenaliu@gmail.com>  
To: councilmember.martinez@lacity.org  
Cc: clerk.cps@lacity.org

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 9:47 AM

Dear Nury Martinez,

[In regards to Council File 20-0600]

As a City of LA stakeholder, and a resident of LA County, I am urging you to reconsider the Mayor's proposed budget and to make recommendations to **reallocate funding & resources away from LAPD to much needed services that actually help and serve the community**. While all other city departments have proposed cuts to their budget, LAPD will see a 7% increase in the Mayor's proposed budget. In a time when there is so much need, I don't believe this is a good allocation of our limited resources. By reducing funding to much needed services while increasing funding to the LAPD, we are putting too much reliance on police to perform duties they are not equipped to do. Let's instead focus resources on services that actually serve people and their needs. People are unemployed, food-insecure, unable to pay rent, and suffering from mental and physical health issues. We need a budget that genuinely serves the people.

"Now is the time to think transformatively about city spending. Time to divest from policing that has fallen unfairly on communities of color."

Thank you for your time,

Serena



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**re council file 20-0600**

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**Thomas Templar** <gttemplar@yahoo.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 9:39 AM

To: "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" &lt;councilmember.martinez@lacity.org&gt;, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org" &lt;councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org&gt;

Cc: "clerk.cps@lacity.org" &lt;clerk.cps@lacity.org&gt;

Council members,

Please call an emergency city council meeting! The budget proposed by Mayor Garcetti will be a disservice and injustice for us people of Los Angeles. We do not need a greater budget for police, what we need is more services and more forward thinking. We need better planning for future events similar to covid-19. We need better services for homeless. We need more after school programs. We dont need more police.

We believe that the government should be responsive to the needs, priorities, and demands of the people. There is clearly a wide chasm between the budget proposed by the Mayor (and directly or indirectly endorsed by the City Council) and the one envisioned by Los Angeles residents.

The people budget of LA addresses the needs of us Angelenos. It must be considered against the mayors budget.

Sincerely,

Thomas Templar

Life long resident of Los Angeles



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## Fwd: Fund services, not police!

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 9:36 AM

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From: **Tyler Douse** <tdouse@e4e.org>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 9:34 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Tyler Douse  
[448 South Hill Street Suite 708](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90013](#)



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**Fwd: Black Lives Matter: Defund the Police and Support the Community**

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:56 AM

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From: **Moissis, Chloe** <Chloe\_Moissis@spe.sony.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:31 AM  
Subject: Black Lives Matter: Defund the Police and Support the Community  
To: [cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org) <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

Dear Clerk Wolcott,

Black Lives Matter. I am emailing in support of the movement, the peaceful protestors, and to demand equality. I demand acknowledgment and accountability for the devaluation and dehumanization of Black lives at the hands of the police. Enact stricter hiring protocol, defund the police and use that money to support more community outreach, education and safety measures to ensure that Black lives are given equal opportunities as those in privilege. I, using the words of the Black Lives Matter movement, call for radical, sustainable solutions that affirm the prosperity of Black Lives.

Take action. Defund the police and punish those abusing the power of privilege. Demand equality.

Best,

Chloé Moissis



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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
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Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:01 AM

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From: **Cristela Reyes** <creyes@e4e.org>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:59 AM  
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To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Sincerely,  
Cristela Reyes  
448 S Hill St  
Los Angeles, CA 90013



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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Lar Chengappa  
[1243 armacost ave](#)  
[Los angeles, CA 90025](#)



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From: **Dalia Kabab** <daliakabab@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:52 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

We DO NOT need more police.

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As a social worker in LA, I want my elected representatives to support the People's Budget. This budget reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos which includes housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city. More mental health services which includes investments in MORE crisis teams who can be called INSTEAD of the police. Rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times. WE SHOULD NOT BE RELYING ON THE POLICE TO PROVIDE BASIC SOCIAL SERVICES.

Thank you,

Dalia Kabab

Sincerely,  
Dalia Kabab  
10480 National Blvd  
Los Angeles, CA 90034



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From: **Eduardo Escobar** <eduardo.escobar@equitasacademy.org>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:52 AM  
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To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Eduardo Escobar  
[4175 S Budlong Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90037](#)



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From: **Jennifer Hontz** <jennyhontz@gmail.com>  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jennifer Hontz  
7901 YORKTOWN AVE.  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90045



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From: **Addie Davis** <addiecdavis@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:51 AM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Addie Davis  
423 N Boylston St  
Los Angeles, CA 90012



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From: **Natalie Mejia** <ms.nataliemejia@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:46 AM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Natalie Mejia  
218 Chestnut Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90042



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Caitlin Testa  
[2723 W 8th Street](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90005](#)



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Sincerely,  
Emilie Hill  
9138 Telfair Ave  
Sun Valley, CA 91352



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Sincerely,  
Michelle McGee  
3710 Pacific Avenue, Apt. 16  
Marina del Rey, CA 90292



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Sincerely,  
Kara Mauro  
448 S Hill St  
Los Angeles, CA 90013



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Sincerely,  
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[10337 Tujunga canyon](#)  
[Tujunga, CA 91042](#)



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From: **Vincent Selhorst-Jones** <vincent.selhorst@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:47 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

Since this is an email message as part of an online petition, I always doubt a human will wind up reading it. But, if you are a human reading this message, thank you for your time.

Cuts across the board but not to police is like cutting first-aid kits while leaving emergency rooms intact. It seems like a good idea for dangerous situations -- ER is where things go when the situation is desperate -- but it forgets the fact that people are forced into the emergency room because they couldn't find care elsewhere. There will always be situations that necessitate ER-type responses, but we should strive to ensure our institutions help prevent a need to use those extreme options to the extent that we can.

Nothing stops a bullet like a job. Nothing prevents a riot like a sense of community. Choosing cops over every other service means the city has the tools to stop riots, but not to avoid them in the first place.

You have tough budget decisions ahead of you no matter what with tax revenues the way they are right now. I do not envy you, but try to think to the long-term development of all communities. Good luck.

Sincerely,  
Vincent Selhorst-Jones  
3359 Rowena Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90027



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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
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From: **Joshua Brown** <jabrown1234@gmail.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Joshua Brown  
18344 Collins St  
tarzana, CA 91356



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**Fwd: Emergency City Council Budget Meeting - DEFUND THE POLICE**

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From: **Geoff Fong** <gfong33@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:39 AM

Subject: Emergency City Council Budget Meeting - DEFUND THE POLICE

To: &lt;cityclerk@lacity.org&gt;

Dear Councilmember Ryu,

I'm reaching out to you in regards to Mayor Garcetti's proposed budget. I'm deeply concerned over the funding of the police force. I'm apart of a vocal coalition of concerned citizens wanting to see the city divert funds from LAPD and move the resources toward community and social programs.

Our budget and tax dollars have gone to the LAPD far too long and it's time to invest in our communities. The proposed 54% of the budget towards police is unacceptable. We want to see no more than 10% go towards the police. Please rethink your ideology and invest in education, healthcare, public transit, the environment, and small businesses. These are the things that are going to help our city, not a overfunded police force.

If you do not call upon a emergency meeting to discuss the budget, our coalition will be deeply disappointed. We will be forced to vote different next election and you can guarantee we will campaign for candidates that have the communities interest at heart.

Sincerely,

Geoffrey Fong



City Clerk Council and Public Services &lt;clerk.cps@lacity.org&gt;

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:41 AM

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From: **Julia Giordano** <juliamclaughlin@pathwaysedu.org>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:32 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Julia Giordano

Sincerely,  
Julia Giordano  
3425 Bellevue Ave #6  
Los Angeles, CA 90026



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Thank you,

Nicole Guillen

Sincerely,  
Nicole Guillen  
3359 Rowena Ave.  
Los Angeles, CA 90027



City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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## Fwd: Fund services, not police!

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:26 AM

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From: **Mario Garcielita** <mario.garcielita@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:15 AM  
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Sincerely,  
Mario Garcielita  
1443 1/2 Pleasant Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90033

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:40 AM

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From: **Julia Mason** <deedub111@ail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:16 AM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Julia Mason  
[1601 n. Sierra bonita](#)  
[Los angeles, CA 90046](#)



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Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:36 AM

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From: **Andrew Larkin** <drew.larkin3@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:07 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Andrew Larkin  
631 W 41st Dr  
Los Angeles, CA 90037



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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:30 AM

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From: **Emily Slason** <slasonemily@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:28 AM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Emily Slason  
[1111 Wilshire Blvd.](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90017](#)



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## Mayor's Budget

1 message

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**James Mitchell** <jamescmitchell2@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:18 AM

To: "clerk.cps@lacity.org" <clerk.cps@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org"

<councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>

Hello Nury and Paul,

We want you to call for an emergency city council meeting. Please deny the Mayors budget in favor of services over policing and support the people's budget.

We need to work on protection and housing for our homeless community. We also need more money to fix our public transportation system.

Thank you,

James M.

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-James Mitchell



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## Deny Mayor's Budget

1 message

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**Isabel Yao** <isabologna@gmail.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:17 AM

To: "clerk.cps@lacity.org" <clerk.cps@lacity.org>, "councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org"

<councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>, "councilmember.martinez@lacity.org" <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>

Hello Nury Martinez and Pauk Krekorian,

I want to call for an emergency council meeting to deny the mayor's budget in favor of services over policing. I support the People's Budget. I want more money to go towards community care such as transportation and housing.

Thank you,  
Isabel Y.

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Isabel Yao



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## Questions about the City Budget Process

2 messages

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**Lex Roman** <lex@lexroman.com>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:50 AM

To: Clerk.CPS@lacity.org, CityClerk@lacity.org

Cc: Jane Nguyen <jane.socal@gmail.com>

Hello,

I am looking to get clarity on the city budgeting process, given that the City Council did not approve/reject/modify by today's deadline in the Charter.

What possible actions could City Council, the Mayor or the public take to affect the city budget? Does the Mayor still have power to change anything before July 1?

Any clarity you can offer on the process, especially how the budget could be modified, would be greatly appreciated. All the official documents I can find assume the Council would have taken a vote.

Thanks,  
Lex Roman

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 10:59 AM

To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Cc: Isabel Onate <isabel.onate@lacity.org>, Melinda Novoa <melinda.novoa@lacity.org>

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City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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## Fwd: People's Budget LA

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**Anna Martinez** <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:54 AM

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From: **Lauren Fernandez** <fernandezlaur1116@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 11:52 AM  
Subject: People's Budget LA  
To: <CityClerk@lacity.org>

Hi -

I am a resident of West Hollywood and I would like to call a special meeting to vote in the People's Budget for 2020-2021.

Thanks,

Lauren

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**Lauren Fernandez**  
[LinkedIn](#)



City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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## Fwd: Services Over Policing

1 message

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:47 PM

Sender's email: [bjamesgardner@icloud.com](mailto:bjamesgardner@icloud.com)

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From: **'Brandon Gardner' via Clerk - CityClerk** <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:44 PM  
Subject: Services Over Policing  
To: <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

I'm contacting my City Council member David Ryu to ask him to deny the mayor's budget and support services over policing.

Brandon Gardner  
[1809 N Berendo St.](#)  
Apt. 105  
Los Angeles, CA 90027



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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:32 PM

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From: **Michael Gudex** <mtg2056@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:32 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Michael Gudex  
[1700 N. Avenue 46](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90041](#)



City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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**Izabella Hovhanisian** <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:31 PM

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From: **Shannon Bertilacci** <s.bertilacci@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:32 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Shannon Bertilacci  
3621 Greenwood Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90066



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To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:22 PM

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From: **Harry Shin** <shinharr@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:20 PM  
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[2130 FAIR PARK AVE](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90041](#)



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Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:22 PM

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From: **Megan Dunstan** <meganxdunstan@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:09 PM  
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To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Megan Dunstan, Special Education Teacher

Sincerely,  
Megan Dunstan  
4026 Inglewood Blvd Apt 7  
Los Angeles, CA 90066



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To: City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:52 PM

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From: **Julie Naturman** <jcn0479@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:40 PM  
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To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Sincerely,  
Julie Naturman  
6638 Platt Avenue  
West Hills, CA 91307

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 8:00 PM

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**From:** Maria Ceballos <isabel.ceb3@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 7:59 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Maria Ceballos  
4905 Buchanan St  
Los Angeles, CA 90042

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 7:31 PM

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**From:** Kiana Blackman <kianawork@gmail.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Kiana Blackman  
[2751 Budau Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90032](#)

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From: **Tara Peters** <djtara2@gmail.com>  
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Tara Peters  
[932 1/2 S. Serrano Ave.](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90006](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 7:11 PM

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**From:** **Jacqui Neale** <jrneale33@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 7:06 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jacqui Neale  
6600 topanga canyon  
Woodlandhills, CA 91303

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:38 PM

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**From:** **Susana Cuautle** <susana.cuautle@gmail.com>  
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**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Susana Cuautle  
155 W 104th ST  
Los Angeles, CA 90003

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:36 PM

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We need small business resources.

We don't need more police.

As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Susana Cuautle  
[155 W 104th ST](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90003](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:23 PM

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**From:** Ben Lembck <ben.lembck@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:17 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ben Lembck  
6157 Mesa Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90042

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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**From:** **Kanani Datan** <kkdatan.other@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:14 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,  
Kanani Datan

Sincerely,  
Kanani Datan  
[511 S Burnside Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90036](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:12 PM

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From: **Ana Torres** <ana82torres@ucla.edu>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:11 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ana Torres  
127 E 36th Pl  
Los Angeles, CA 90011

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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From: **Tessa Lamb** <talisonlamb@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:08 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Tessa Lamb  
3033 Wilshire Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90010

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:08 PM

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**From:** Devan Davis <devankdavis97@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:08 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Devan Davis  
[1456 South Bedford Street](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 6:04 PM

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From: **Vera Lugo** <veralugo17@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 6:01 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Vera Lugo  
[2006 W 41st Dr](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90062](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:55 PM

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**From:** Mieke Cortez <mieke.cortez@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 5:53 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Mieke Cortez  
8035 Altavan Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90045

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:54 PM

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**From:** **Carolina Pennise** <carolinapennise@hotmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 5:51 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Carolina Pennise  
[10837 palms Blvd](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:54 PM

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**From:** **Hanna Nelson** <HANNAGNELSON1991@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 5:50 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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We need small business resources.

We don't need more police. The over-funding and militarization of police is disgusting! Seeing the national guard deployed when schools are facing millions, billions of dollars cut to education is disgusting. The police and national guard are being used to prevent Californians from demonstrating their first amendment rights, which is disgusting.

As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS and resources to ensure ALL students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Hanna Nelson  
[3770 Tuller Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:47 PM

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**From:** **Mary Grogan** <meg.grogan08@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 5:45 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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As an LA resident, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Mary Grogan  
[6712 1/2 W OLYMPIC BLVD](#)  
[LOS ANGELES, CA 90048](#)

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## LA City Budget: Defund the Police

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**From:** Jenny Luu <jennyluuwho@gmail.com>

**To:** councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org

**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:43 PM

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Dear Council President Martinez, Chair of Budget and Finance Committee Krekorian, LA Council Member Cedillo, and LA City Clerk:

Council file 20-0600: I would like to contribute this email to the public record.

I write to you as a constituent demanding an emergency city council meeting be called to deny Mayor Eric Garcetti's proposed budget. **The city of Los Angeles needs to adopt the People's Budget and DEFUND THE POLICE.**

Your support of People's Budget is necessary, because it will fund the services the people of your city are entitled to and depend on to survive, including affordable housing, physical and mental healthcare, education, public transportation, among others. Instead of funding these essential services, Mayor Garcetti proposes an over-funding of the LAPD during a significant drop in crime.

The fundamental needs of the constituents you have been elected to serve should be of paramount importance, and a rejection of this request for an emergency city council meeting will represent a failure on your part to care for all of us in your charge.

As an LA native, resident, and public schoolteacher, I am urging you to publicly support the People's Budget in the midst of this health pandemic and in preparation for the imminent economic fallout.

Your constituent,  
Jenny Luu  
Resident of 91030

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:17 PM

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**From:** David Saldana <david.g.saldana@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:16 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
David Saldana  
[233 S. La Fayette Park Pl.](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90057](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:16 PM

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**From:** Michael Ramos <[rlight20@gmail.com](mailto:rlight20@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:01 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Michael Ramos  
[19011 Leadwell Street](#)  
[Reseda, CA 91335](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:14 PM

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**From:** **Reina Tran** <[rpastor314@gmail.com](mailto:rpastor314@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:40 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Reina Tran  
[4726 Townsend Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90041](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:13 PM

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**From:** Jessica Reff <jessicareff@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:38 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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We don't need more police and police don't need tear gas and rubber bullets!

As pre school teacher in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jessica Reff  
4834 Mary Ellen Ave  
Sherman Oaks, CA 91423

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:13 PM

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**From:** **Saunder Choi** <[saunderchoi@gmail.com](mailto:saunderchoi@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 4:56 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:13 PM

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**From:** Ingrid Cano <caningj@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 4:51 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ingrid Cano  
1118 71st  
La, CA 90044

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:13 PM

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From: **Lori Ashcraft** <[la@loriashcraft.com](mailto:la@loriashcraft.com)>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 4:47 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Lori Ashcraft  
[5913 Willoughby Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90038](#)

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## LA City Budget: Defund the Police

1 message

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**From:** Vivian Lam <vivn.lamb@gmail.com>

**To:** councilmember.cedillo@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org, councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, clerk.cps@lacity.org

**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:00 PM

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As an LA native, resident, and public schoolteacher, I am urging you to publicly support the People's Budget in the midst of this health pandemic and in preparation for the imminent economic fallout.

Your constituent,  
Vivian Lam  
Resident of 90007

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**Fwd: LA City Budget**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:33 PM

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**From:** John Paul Ramirez <johnpaulram@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:33 PM  
**Subject:** LA City Budget  
**To:** <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>  
**Cc:** <CityClerk@lacity.org>

June 1, 2020

John Paul Ramirez

1936 N. Kenmore Ave.

Los Angeles, CA 90027

Dear Ms. Martinez:

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Shalom,

John Paul Ramirez



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**Fwd: LA City Budget**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:33 PM

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**From:** John Paul Ramirez <johnpaulram@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:33 PM  
**Subject:** LA City Budget  
**To:** <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>  
**Cc:** <CityClerk@lacity.org>

June 1, 2020

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[1936 N. Kenmore Ave.](#)[Los Angeles, CA 90027](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:18 PM

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From: **Timothy Lay** <tlay290@gmail.com>  
Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:15 PM  
Subject: Fund services, not police!  
To: Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Timothy Lay  
[620 S. Gramercy Pl](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90005](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:09 PM

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**From:** **Dan Thalkar** <dan.thalkar@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 4:06 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Dan Thalkar  
[4788 Templeton Street](#)  
[LOS ANGELES, CA 90032](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:54 PM

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Sincerely,  
Oscar Morfin  
[9672 Bartee Avenue](#)  
[Arleta, CA 91331](#)

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**From:** **Aoibh Bergher** <aoiharper@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:51 PM  
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Sincerely,  
Aoibh Bergher  
[940 n Serrano Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90029](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:46 PM

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**From:** Sarah Goldbaum <sarah.goldbaum@nyu.edu>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:47 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Sincerely,  
Sarah Goldbaum  
1580 Yosemite Dr #12  
Los Angeles, CA 90041

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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**From:** **Folasha Simpson** <[simpsonfolasha@gmail.com](mailto:simpsonfolasha@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:20 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Sincerely,  
Folasha Simpson  
[2813 Edgehill Drive](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90018](#)

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:39 PM

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**From:** **Brandon Warfield** <[brandonpwarfield@gmail.com](mailto:brandonpwarfield@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:36 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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[11800 Kling St](#)  
[Valley Village, CA 91607](#)

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**From:** **Sandra Luna** <sandralluna@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:32 PM  
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Sincerely,  
Sandra Luna  
[1234 Normandie Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90006](#)

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## Reallocate the Proposed Budget

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**From:** Serena Liu <mail.serenaliu@gmail.com>  
**To:** paul.koretz@lacity.org  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:28 PM

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Dear Paul Koretz,

[In regards to Council File 20-0600]

As a City of LA stakeholder and a resident of LA County, I am urging you to reconsider the Mayor's proposed budget and to make recommendations to **reallocate funding & resources away from LAPD to much needed services that actually help and serve the community**. While all other city departments have proposed cuts to their budget, LAPD will see a 7% increase in the Mayor's proposed budget. In a time when there is so much need, I don't believe this is a good allocation of our limited resources. By reducing funding to much needed services while increasing funding to the LAPD, we are putting too much reliance on police to perform duties they are not equipped to do. Let's instead focus resources on services that actually serve people and their needs. People are unemployed, food-insecure, unable to pay rent, and suffering from mental and physical health issues. We need a budget that genuinely serves the people.

"Now is the time to think transformatively about city spending. Time to divest from policing that has fallen unfairly on communities of color."

Thank you for your time,

Serena

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:17 PM

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**From:** Ivannia Nolasco <inolasco95@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:15 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ivannia Nolasco  
8526 Bothwell Rd  
Northridge, CA 91324

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**From:** Rachel Schlosser <rachel.schlosser.88@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:11 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Sincerely,  
Rachel Schlosser  
940 North Serrano Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90029

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:16 PM

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**From:** **Pallavi Srinivasan** <srinivasan.s.pallavi@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:07 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
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Pallavi Srinivasan  
[1260 S Beverly Glen Blvd #206](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90024](#)

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**From:** **Betty Vick** <bcv4753@lsusd.net>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:06 PM  
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[13202 Beaver Street](#)  
[Sylmar, CA 91342](#)

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**From:** **Kristian Hernandez** <kristianhernandez919@gmail.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Kristian Hernandez  
[17229 Orozco St](#)  
[Granada Hills, CA 91344](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 3:01 PM

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**From:** **Alexandra Jaramillo** <amarjaramillo@gmail.com>  
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Alexandra Jaramillo  
[3218 Larissa drive](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90026](#)

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**From:** **Jeremy Zwang-Weissman** <jzeedub@gmail.com>  
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[2567 Amherst Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90064](#)

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**From:** **Celine Ordioni** <celine.ordioni@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:38 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Celine Ordioni  
[752 N Van Ness Ave Apt 203](#)  
[LA, CA 90038](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:40 PM

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**From:** **Carmen Hernandez** <[C.hernandez999@gmail.com](mailto:C.hernandez999@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:35 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Carmen Hernandez  
[17229 Orozco st](#)  
[Granada Hills, CA 91344](#)

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Sincerely,  
Robert Dietz  
[1745 Camino Palmero St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90046](#)

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## Phone Message from Maisie Hurwitz re: Opposing Mayor's Budget

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:38 PM

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Good afternoon,

Received a call on the main line from Ms. Maisie Hurwitz voicing her opposition to the Mayor's Budget and stating that funds could be spent on homeless, etc.

Thank you,  
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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:27 PM

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**From:** **Matthew Goldberg** <Mattg219@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:28 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Matthew Goldberg  
20841 Gretchen Street  
Winnetka, CA 91306

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**From:** **Samantha Warrick** <samanthawarrick@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:24 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Samantha Warrick  
[10877 Palms Blvd #4](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:21 PM

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**From:** **Roxy Radulescu** <roxyrad3@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:21 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Roxy Radulescu  
2987 Sunnynook Dr  
LOS ANGELES, CA 90039

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**Fwd: I REJECT THE MAYORS BUDGET**1 message

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From: **Silvestre Serrano** <serrano.silvestre10@gmail.com>

Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:18 PM

Subject: I REJECT THE MAYORS BUDGET

To: <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, <recorder@rrcc.lacounty.gov>, <info@ceo.lacounty.gov>, <councilmember.harris-dawson@lacity.org>, <cityclerk@lacity.org>, <ridley-thomas@bos.lacounty.gov>, <mayor.helpdesk@lacity.org>, <councilmember.martinez@lacity.org>, <councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org>

My name is Silvestre Serrano, and I reject the mayors proposed budget. I would like to see the \$3 billion dollars directed towards improving the health and education of our community, not police funding.

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## I want an Emergency City Council Meeting Called

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**From:** Catherine Fanchiang <cfnchng@gmail.com>

**To:** councilmember.martinez@lacity.org, councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org

**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:23 PM

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Council Member,

I write to you as a constituent demanding an emergency city council meeting be called to deny the Mayor Garcetti's proposed budget. The Mayor's proposed budget overfunds the LAPD despite the fact that crime has fallen considerably, and that is not what we Angelenos need.

In the midst of a global pandemic, increasing unemployment, and increasing homelessness, the proposed budget does not reflect the needs of the city and its people. This is why I urge you to support The People's Budget. The People's Budget will fund services we need like healthcare, housing, employment, and education.

The fundamental needs of the constituents you have been elected to serve should be your top priority. A rejection of this request for an emergency council meeting to be called will represent a failure of your job.

Thank you.

Catherine Fanchiang  
Resident of 91016

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:16 PM

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**From:** Marquise Anderson <mqsanderson@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:16 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Marquise Anderson  
[4183 Denker Ave.](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90062](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:15 PM

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**From:** **Kenzie Floyd** <[kenziefloyd724@gmail.com](mailto:kenziefloyd724@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:14 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Kenzie Floyd  
[4933 Monte Vista St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90042](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:15 PM

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**From:** **Amdrew Frangos** <[andrew.frangos@gmail.com](mailto:andrew.frangos@gmail.com)>  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Andrew Frangos  
[1839 Santa Ynez St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90026](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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**From:** **Megan Fay** <meganfay@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:14 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Megan Fay  
[546 N Spaulding Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90036](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:14 PM

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**From:** **Ali Lauer** <ali.lauer@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:13 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ali Lauer  
[2625 Johnston St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90031](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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**From:** Jada Anderson <jadaainla@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:09 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jada Anderson  
6105 Lexington Ave  
Los Angeles, CA 90038

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**Fwd: DEFUND THE LAPD**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:14 PM

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**From:** Guinevere Alcaraz <guinealcaraz@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:14 PM  
**Subject:** DEFUND THE LAPD  
**To:** <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Holly Wolcott,

Defund the LAPD.

You should be ashamed that 70% of Los Angeles's 2020-2021 funds are for the Police Department, that is more than libraries, school, hospitals, Parks and Recreation and the city attorney. Right now we are in the middle of a global pandemic and California is in Stage Two of reopening. We are nowhere near the place to reopen. My mother is a nurse working at Los Angeles Medical Center and she is allowed to have one PPE and one N95 mask PER WEEK. She is working to save lives right now.

Your police officers are armed to the teeth with rubber bullets and military vans, when they are the ones taking lives and ensuing violence. They are soldiers without a battle.

The people that you were elected to protect and serve are dying, they are being shot with rubber bullets, surrounded by tear gas, being attacked by police for reporting the news.

In five, ten or twenty years when you look back at this time and you ask yourself what did you do? You are going to regret enforcing a 6PM curfew with less than an hour warning. Allowing your police department to carry out true violence against protestors, allowing them to corner the people of Los Angeles, mothers, fathers, daughter and sons of Los Angeles. Where was this curfew during the height of quarantine?

I on the other hand will NOT regret my actions during this. I have sent email after email and call after call and there is still more to do. I know your councilmembers emails by heart. I have started the hardest conversations of my life with my family and friends.

I am not black. I am Filipino with immigrant parents. This fight is not about me. It is about black people fighting against institutionalized racism that has killed their sons and daughters. I have my own privilege and you have a responsibility. And if you wont accept that, than the people will continue to show you their pain. The people will continue to band together for real change.

Do more than what you can. You are close to the center of power in Los Angeles. Do your job and advocate for the people. In ten years, will you look back at your choices and BE SURE that you made the right ones?

DEFUND THE LAPD. SERVE THE PEOPLE OF LA. BLACK LIVES MATTER

Best,

Guinevere Alcaraz  
[guinealcaraz@gmail.com](mailto:guinealcaraz@gmail.com)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:08 PM

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**From:** **Stacey Zavala** <[ozwitch333@gmail.com](mailto:ozwitch333@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:05 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

As the budget is being considered, I need to stress the need for school-based and child-focused spending! We are looking at budget cuts from the state and teacher layoffs. We cannot follow CDC guidelines with less teachers and less funding. Please understand that my students with exceptional needs deserve a quality education. The way we make LA the best is by educating its children equitably and providing equal access! Now more than ever, we need a budget centered on humanity.

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Stacey Zavala  
[22943 Enadia Way](mailto:Stacey.Zavala@lacity.org)  
[WEST HILLS, CA 91307](mailto:Stacey.Zavala@lacity.org)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 2:02 PM

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**From:** Cheryl Zarate <cherylz0282@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:59 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Cheryl Zarate  
5515 Baltimore St  
Los Angeles, CA 90042

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:57 PM

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**From:** Ingrid King <grata4d@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:56 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ingrid King  
[4037 Berenice Pl](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90031](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
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**From:** **Elena Perez** <elenalucia.p@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:52 PM  
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Elena Perez  
[360 W Avenue 26](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90031](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
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**From:** **Jamie Campbell** <[campbell.jamielynn@gmail.com](mailto:campbell.jamielynn@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:45 PM  
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We don't need more police.

As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jamie Campbell  
[2702 Kenwood Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90007](#)

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**Fwd: Fund services, not police!**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:40 PM

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**From:** **Hector Ramos** <nysluggers@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:39 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Hector Ramos  
[12916 Oberlin Street](#)  
[Sylmar, CA 91342](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:32 PM

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**From:** **Ryan Carroll** <[ryantcarroll@gmail.com](mailto:ryantcarroll@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:33 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ryan Carroll  
[620 S. Gramercy Pl. #311](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90005](#)

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**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:32 PM

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**From:** **nicole pham** <nicolepham1123@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:32 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
nicole pham  
[6336 ORANGE ST](#)  
[LOS ANGELES, CA 90048](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:31 PM

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**From:** **Meghann Seril** <megpseril@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:31 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

Now more than ever, we need a budget centered on humanity.

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Meghann Seril  
[1908 W 75th St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90047](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:31 PM

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**From:** Kelly Cercone <izodiea@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:31 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Kelly Cercone  
[11737 Vanowen St](#)  
[North Hollywood, CA 91605](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:31 PM

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**From:** Michael Alfera <michael.alfera@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:29 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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We need small business resources.

We don't need more police, either to give us any of the above, or for any other reason.

As a supporter of education in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Michael Alfera  
417 S Hill St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90013

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**Fwd: City budget**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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**From:** 'heather ward' via Clerk - CityClerk <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:28 PM

Subject: City budget

To: <mayor.garcetti@lacity.org>, <richard.llewellyn@lacity.org>, <contact.lapdonline@gmail.com>, <councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org>, <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Hello,

It's my understanding that today, the new city budget will be approved including a large increase to the LA police department.

I demand an emergency meeting to ensure our budget is going where it is NEEDED such as:

To provide affordable and free housing

To feed underprivileged children

To support artists and gig workers most affected by Covid-19

If any additional funding is to be allocated to the LAPD, it should be spent on de-escalation training and other PROVEN methods for decreasing police brutality.

Thank you,

Heather Goldberg

Los Angeles Resident

Sent from my iPhone

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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**From:** **Amna Hussain** <amna318@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:28 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Amna Hussain  
[15159 dickens st Unit 2](#)  
[Sherman oaks, CA 91403](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:30 PM

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**From:** Lisa Finelli <lfinelli@equitasacademy.org>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:28 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,  
Lisa

Sincerely,  
Lisa Finelli  
[1612 w Pico blvd](#)  
[Los angeles, CA 90015](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
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**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:29 PM

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**From:** **Vanessa Parada** <[vmp4877@gmail.com](mailto:vmp4877@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:27 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Vanessa Parada  
[17151 W Roscoe Blvd](#)  
[Northridge, CA 91325](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:29 PM

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**From:** **bianca de la vega** <DELAVEGAB@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:26 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
bianca de la vega  
[8119 LOYOLA BLVD](#)  
[LOS ANGELES, CA 90045](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:29 PM

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**From:** Jason Kawana <jckawana@gmail.com>  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Jason Kawana  
[10779 Woodbine St Apt 300](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:28 PM

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**From:** Blossom Shores <2blossom@charter.net>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:25 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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We do need police reform.

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Blossom Shores  
PO Box 6715  
Woodland Hills, CA 91365

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## Fwd: Do Not Pass Budget Without Significant Changes

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:28 PM

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**From:** Kristofer Armstrong <kristofer.c.armstrong@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:25 PM  
**Subject:** Do Not Pass Budget Without Significant Changes  
**To:** <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Hello Ms. Wolcott,

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I demand an emergency meeting to ensure our budget is allocated for those who are in greatest need:

Provide affordable and free housing to the housing insecure and the homeless

Feed underprivileged families

Support artists and gig workers most affected by Covid-19

The lack of care and support for Los Angeles's most vulnerable is on perpetual display but takes on a renewed urgency in this time of crisis.

If any additional funding is to be allocated to the LAPD, it should be spent on de-escalation training, greater attention to racial, ethnic, and gender diversity in the hiring process, and other PROVEN methods for decreasing police brutality.

Thank you,

Kristofer Armstrong  
Los Angeles Resident

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:23 PM

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**From:** Evelyn Smith <ev.irene.smith@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:23 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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We don't need more police.

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Evelyn Smith  
[2137 7th Ave apt 3](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90018](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:23 PM

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**From:** **Christine Ko** <[christine.ko.107@gmail.com](mailto:christine.ko.107@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:21 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Christine Ko  
[111 W 7th St Suite 1101](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90014](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:22 PM

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**From:** Ryan Carroll <ryantcarroll@gmail.com>  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Ryan Carroll

Sincerely,  
Ryan Carroll  
[620 S. Gramercy Pl. #311](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90005](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:22 PM

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**From:** **Safiya Simpson** <simpsonsafiya@hotmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:17 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Safiya Simpson  
PO BOX 561201  
Los Angeles, CA 90056

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:22 PM

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**From:** **Elizabeth Escobar** <liz.escobar6@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:16 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Elizabeth Escobar  
19011 Leadwell St  
Reseda, CA 91335

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:21 PM

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**From:** **Nadine Staine** <nstaine4@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:15 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Nadine Staine  
[2033 west 43rd place](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90062](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:21 PM

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**From:** **Johanna Mendoza** <matgofem@hotmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:13 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Johanna Mendoza  
[13751 Sherman Way](#)  
[Van Nuys, CA 91405](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:20 PM

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**From:** **Anastasia Lopez** <[anastasia.r.lopez@gmail.com](mailto:anastasia.r.lopez@gmail.com)>  
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[3357 Oakhurst Ave.](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**From:** **Grace McCullough** <[grace.mccullough@gmail.com](mailto:grace.mccullough@gmail.com)>  
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[10121 tabor st, #48](#)  
[Los angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**From:** **Melissa Gosian** <[mgosian@gmail.com](mailto:mgosian@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:11 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Melissa Gosian  
[3806 pacific ave apt J](#)  
[Marina del Rey, CA 90292](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:19 PM

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**From:** **Melanie Rodriguez** <delnorte10@hotmail.com>  
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6659 McLennan Ave  
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Erin Sopapunta  
6547 RIVERTON AVE  
NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CA 91606

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:07 PM

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**From:** **Clarissa Andrews** <n2yng1z@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:08 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Clarissa Andrews  
[1419 East Young Street](#)  
[Wilmington, CA 90744](#)

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**From:** Erika Moreno <[moreno\\_ep@hotmail.com](mailto:moreno_ep@hotmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:08 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Erika Moreno  
[3506 Wellington Rd](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90016](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:06 PM

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**From:** Manuel Ruiz <mapache.ruiz@gmail.com>  
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[2862 Allesandro St](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90039](#)

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:06 PM

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**From:** Rachel Vidaure <rachel.vidaure@hotmail.com>  
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Rachel Vidaure  
5708 Babbitt Ave  
Encino, CA 91316

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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:06 PM

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**From:** Dayna Harary <dharary75@gmail.com>  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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[3445 Mentone Ave](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90034](#)

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**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:05 PM

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**From:** Vicki Redman <[victoria.l.redman@gmail.com](mailto:victoria.l.redman@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:05 PM  
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[780 Mount Washington Dr](#)  
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**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:00 PM

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**From:** **Marca Whitten** <marcawhitten7@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:01 PM  
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[2031 Panamint drive](#)  
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4824 Tujunga Avenue #207  
Los Angeles, CA 91601

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**From:** **Cassandra Davis-Wright** <cdwright6@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:57 PM  
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**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

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Sincerely,  
Cassandra Davis-Wright  
[1834 west 64th street](#)  
[Los Angeles, CA 90047](#)

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:59 PM

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**From:** **Bertha Ramos** <ramosb18@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:57 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Bertha Ramos  
11909 Allin St  
Culver City, CA 90230

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**From:** **Alexander Sridej** <[alex.sridej@gmail.com](mailto:alex.sridej@gmail.com)>  
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Alexander Sridej  
[5540 Mammoth Ave, Apt. 7](#)  
[Sherman Oaks, CA 91401](#)

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**From:** **Bernardo Ramos** <bsomar66@gmail.com>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 12:55 PM  
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Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Bernardo Ramos  
[12231 Via Santa Barbara](#)  
[Sylmar, CA 91342](#)

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**Fwd: Investigate**1 message

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**From:** Anna Martinez <anna.martinez@lacity.org>**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>, Mayor Helpdesk <mayor.helpdesk@lacity.org>**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 7:03 PM

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**From:** Sachie Alessio <sachie.alessio@gmail.com>**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020, 7:01 PM**Subject:** Investigate**To:** <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Councilmember,

My friend peacefully attended the march on May 30th in mid city and was appalled at the conduct of the LAPD.

When they reached the corner of 3rd and Fairfax, the atmosphere completely changed from one of love and community to fear.

Protestors were treated roughly and rubber bullets were shot into the crowd. There was no violence before this, and it was instigated by the LAPD.

I don't understand why they set up shop and split the peaceful march, nor why they didn't use other tactics if they felt the crowd was unruly - which it wasn't.

As your constituent, I am demanding that city council use their power to investigate the actions of the police department, and reassess their share in our budget. In a time of all time low crime, we do not need a militarized police rife with toxic sentiments towards the public they are tasked to protect and serve.

Thank you,

Sachie Alessio Heath

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## Fwd: How to Make Systemic Change According to the NAACP

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:30 PM

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Date: Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 5:26 PM

Subject: How to Make Systemic Change According to the NAACP

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Dear Elected Officials,

These are the changes I demand based on guidelines by the NAACP:

1. A ban on the use of chokeholds and knee holds.
2. The Use of Force Continuum for any police department to ensure there are at least 6 steps with clear rules on escalation.
3. State Open Records Act must ensure officer misconduct information and disciplinary histories are not shielded from the public. Recertification credentials may be denied for police officers if determined that their use of deadly force was unwarranted by federal guidelines.
4. Implementation of Citizen's Review Boards in municipalities to hold police departments accountable and build public confidence.

These are the changes I demand as a member of the community:

1. Defund police and allocate money into health care and public health departments. In particular, support preventative physical and mental health initiatives.
2. Fund projects and departments who devote their lives to improving quality of life: promoting education that promotes multiculturalism, fixing infrastructure, planting native plants, offering green spaces, and activities for children to play and communities to exercise.
3. Fund emergency preparedness against disease and natural disasters.
4. Create comprehensive policies that thoroughly investigate claims of police brutality in a timely manner. Make it a priority to condemn and reprimand officers who abuse their power. Make immediate arrests against officers who brutalize and/or kill unarmed peoples.

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Most of you are parents. If your child was yelling, crying, throwing a tantrum, and throwing things at you would you smack them in the head? Would you threaten them? Would you retaliate? I sure hope not. Hitting back and threatening will only add to their trauma.

You would love them. Listen to them. Hug them. You would tell your child that everything would be okay and you love them no

matter what.

When you decided to become a politician you devoted yourself to be a parental figure for your community. These are your children you are attacking.

Assume the responsibility as a parent.

Do not abuse your children. Treat them with love. Even when they lash out at you, it is your responsibility to take it. It is your responsibility to see that your child is hurting. It should break your heart. They are hurting so bad they do not know what to do. Assume the leadership and show them the way. Learn how you have contributed to their pain. Instead of running away—denying the fact you hurt your child—and taking out your insecurities on them, make a change within yourself.

Whether I voted for you or not, you must represent all of us. Not just one party or another.

Sincerely your constituent,

Nicole Dunseith

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**Fwd: Fund services, not police!**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
**To:** City Clerk Council and Public Services <clerk.cps@lacity.org>  
**At:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:24 PM

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**From:** **Judith Angeles** <jangeles@callutheran.edu>  
**Date:** Mon, Jun 1, 2020 at 1:24 PM  
**Subject:** Fund services, not police!  
**To:** Ms. Holly Wolcott <cityclerk@lacity.org>

Dear Ms. Wolcott,

Now more than ever, we need a budget centered on humanity.

We need housing.  
We need healthcare.  
We need good jobs.  
We need healthy food.  
We need mental healthcare.  
We need free public transit.  
We need educational enrichment.  
We need small business resources.

We don't need more police.

As an educator in LA, I want a budget that reflects our priorities and needs, including more services for unhoused Angelenos, including housing in the thousands of empty hotel rooms throughout the city; more mental health services; rent suspension and forgiveness for the 55% of Angelenos who are currently unemployed; more funding for public schools and resources to ensure all students — regardless of their situation — can continue learning during these uncertain times.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Judith Angeles  
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**Fwd: LA City Budget #CARENOTCOPS**1 message

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**From:** Izabella Hovhanisian <izabella.hovhanisian@lacity.org>  
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**Subject:** LA City Budget #CARENOTCOPS  
**To:** <[councilmember.martinez@lacity.org](mailto:councilmember.martinez@lacity.org)>, <[councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org](mailto:councilmember.krekorian@lacity.org)>, <[richard.llewellyn@lacity.org](mailto:richard.llewellyn@lacity.org)>, <[councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org](mailto:councilmember.ofarrell@lacity.org)>, <[cityclerk@lacity.org](mailto:cityclerk@lacity.org)>, <[mayor.garcetti@lacity.org](mailto:mayor.garcetti@lacity.org)>

Please deny the mayor's budget in favor of services over policing and support the people's budget. Instead of giving LA cops \$3 billion to abuse their power, Mayor Garcetti could house the homeless, protect small businesses, provide school resources, build tenant protection, expand mental healthcare, and provide free transit. CARE NOT COPS

Best,  
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