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Summary: The Voices Neighborhood Council on June 9, 2020 voted unanimously to SUPPORT, City Council File 20-0692 to cut the LAPD budget by \$100-\$150 million and to redirect the resources to communities of color. Further, the Voices Neighborhood Council urges the City Council to direct the LAPD to cut at least \$300-400 million without cutting the LAPD community outreach or LAPD training and education. The funds should be reallocated to increase the neighborhood council budget to \$100,000, to fund mental health professionals, homeless liaisons, social workers, and community beautification in communities of color particularly in our area of South Los Angeles. These recommendations were also verified in a Virtual Town hall held on June 13, 2020 with stakeholders. We thank you for your attention to this matter and appreciate your commitment to strengthen our community.



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June 13, 2020

RE: Council File: 20-0692

Councilman Curren D. Price Jr.
4301 S. Central Ave
Los Angeles, CA 90011

Via Email

Dear Councilmember Curren D. Price Jr.,

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Sincerely,

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