

Communication from Public

Name: Chris vaughan

Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 11:49 AM

Council File No: 20-1575

Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is a part of our heritage and should not be considered for banning. California has a rich horseman and cattleman history starting with the Indians and vaqueros. It would be a sad day if LA let a ban happen.

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Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 11:52 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: I have Competed in Rodeo all of my life. We love and respect our livestock greatly and understand them more than anyone. Please do not let wildly misled/misinformed individuals determine the future of our lifestyle.

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Name: Brent Applegarth
Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 01:06 PM
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Comments for Public Posting: Rodeo is the first American sport true to our heritage these animals are our family treated better than words explained... educate yourselves before you open your mouth or make uneducated decisions!

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Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 02:28 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: You people are ridiculous trying to brand rodeo! This is a community of good people and animal lovers! you have a humanitarian crisis worry about your homeless not banning rodeo! Clean that mess up! Do better! At least those animals are WELL taken care of! There are standards, rules and REGULATIONS that have to be upheld, did any of you trying to ban rodeo think of that? Have any one of you people stopped in at a stop into a stock contractors place to observe or talk with them, I bet not!! Have you sat and talked with competitors, I bet not! These animals are more taking care of the most people seeing vets, chiropractors, living their best life on the regular! Any where from bucking stock to even the smallest animals used for rodeo, they are all just as much athletes and important as the riders and are treated with just as much respect! This is a way of life. What if it was people trying to erase your way of life? LONG LIVE RODEO!!

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Name: Gillian

Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 04:05 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: The proposed ordinance banning rodeo is full of misinformation. The City Council needs to do its research on Professional Rodeo practices instead of citing common practices which are not used in sanctioned rodeos. In addition, spurs and lasso ropes are used on livestock without causing physical injury to the livestock. It is very clear whomever drafted this ordinance is not educated on pro rodeo and animal care. Please vote no on the proposed ordinance until council can get an expert to research and provide factual information. Banning ropes and spurs will lead you down a road you cannot afford to go down. California is the #8 economy in the world for a reason. Ropes and spurs are required to raise cattle which feed us. Never should council consider infringing on our rights to rodeo, raise food or maintain our businesses in a humane way. Vote no now!

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Name: Tom Doud

Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 05:31 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: With all of the problems we are currently facing in Los Angeles in the year 2022, Crime, Homelessness, & Drug Use, why are we trying to shut down Rodeo? Are equestrians really the problem of Los Angeles? Pony rides in the Park are more of a problem than the crack tent on the LA River next to Tunnel #1? Have you done anything to prevent the illicit drug trade in the tents along the river? Please stop this foolishness. Fix the City. Help the human beings.

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Name: Tyler Swank

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Comments for Public Posting: Our state has a huge culture of rodeo, ranching and horse events. Cowboys, Vaqueros, and Charros had a huge impact on the culture of this state. The Rodeo Ban would be a slap to this historical culture. Why are we letting people regulate a sport and animal athletes that have no knowledge or experience with. The Olympics are coming to L.A. soon and this would affect the equine athletes and riders thus pushing these equine events somewhere else.

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Name: Craig Owen

Date Submitted: 12/28/2022 10:06 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I am against the proposed ban on rodeo in Los Angeles County. This is an attack on Western Heritage, and discrimination on Western culture by an extreme group of people that have no scientific evidence or sound reasons to propose such a ban. This ban must be discredited and thrown out. This sport and culture must be accepted and respected like all others are in Los Angeles County.