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Agenda Date: Item Number:

Summary: The city of LA is in a housing crisis, specifically in regard to housing supply for low-income residents. Other cities have responded to this crisis by offering robust public housing options. California cannot do the same because Article 34 of the state constitution prohibits the development, construction, or acquisition of this type of project except under narrow circumstances and must be repealed. The Southern California Association of Nonprofit Housing has assessed that our region needs 500,000 new income-restricted units to fill in the housing gap, which we are not currently on track to build as a result of this limitation. The SORO NC supports CF 21-0002-S65 and urges the City of LA to SUPPORT SCA 2 to repeal Article 34 in order to remove limits placed on affordable housing construction.