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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(28) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 10/12/2021

Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information

Date: 10/23/2021

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Directed To: City Council and Committees

Council File Number: 21-0773

Agenda Date:

Item Number:

Summary: Mid City West Neighborhood Council supports this motion to provide trash receptacles along with regular trash collection services, to unhoused Angelenos. Disposing of trash is harder for unhoused individuals when there are no bins nearby or when bins are not regularly emptied and cleaned. Without bins, unhoused Angelenos must often pile refuse causing unsanitary and unsafe conditions. We therefore back this proposal to make regularly serviced receptacles available at every encampment in Los Angeles. Doing so will improve sanitation, cleanliness, access, and quality of life and reduce the risk of fire and disease for both those who live in encampments and their neighbors, visitors, and passersby. We especially applaud the motion's commitment to regularly servicing the receptacles through a formal program. We also encourage the City to add recycling bins in the same locations, whenever possible.



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PASSED 28 years, 0 nays, and 0 abstentions on October 12,2021

October 23, 2021

Los Angeles City Council
City Hall
200 N Spring St.
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Councilmembers:

Council File: 21-0773 | Position: Support

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Sincerely,

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