


CITY OF LOS ANGELES
INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: September 15, 2022

TO: Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council
c/o City Clerk, Room 395

FROM:  for
Keith Mozee
Executive Director and General Manager
Bureau of Street Services (StreetsLA)

SUBJECT: CASE FILE NO. 22-0499 – RECOMMEND THE CITY COUNCIL GRANT THE APPEAL BY THE BRONHOLLY AND CAROLUS RESIDENTS COALITION SUBMITTED ON APRIL 28, 2022

The Bureau of Street Services (StreetsLA) recommends that the City Council:

1. **GRANT** the appeal.
2. **DETERMINE** based on the whole of the administrative record, that the record does not support a finding that no reasonable possibility exists that the Project will not have a significant effect on the environment due to unusual circumstances as required by CEQA Guideline section 15300.2(c). In particular, because no biologist’s report was submitted by the Applicant, no evidence exists in the record of the Project’s impacts to protected trees or protected wildlife that may be impacted by the Project. As a result, insufficient record evidence exists to support a finding that either categorical exemption identified by the NOE applies.
3. **RESCIND** the Notice of Exemption (NOE).
4. **DIRECT** the permit application be returned to StreetsLA for further consideration consistent with this Report and the Council’s determination.

Attachments

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