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Summary: The Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council ("CeSPNC") supports the changes to the municipal lobbying ordinance ("MLO") regarding neighborhood councils with minor changes to the draft MLO that will benefit transparency. Under section 48.08.8 of the current lobbying ordinance, a lobbyist disclosure is only required for written communication to NCs. Given the move to Zoom meetings, the ordinance's lobbyist disclosure requirement should also apply to an oral presentation and/or public comment to an NC. Under AB 361, NCs are prohibited from requiring "speaker cards," which is traditionally where lobbyist disclosures are made. While the CeSPNC can request lobbyist disclosures, the CeSPNC has no enforcement mechanism. The lack of an enforceable oral lobbyist disclosure requirement leaves many NC board members at an information disadvantage which should be addressed