

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 12:09 PM

**Council File No:** 25-0002-S44

**Comments for Public Posting:** I urge support for SB 684 and AB 1243, The Polluters Pay Climate Superfund bills, which will quantify costs of climate damages to the state of California, and hold the largest fossil fuel polluters responsible to pay their fair share of the damage. Without this bill, California taxpayers will continue to pay for the costs of climate damage, while the polluters responsible—who have raked in massive profits enhancing climate chaos—will avoid paying their fair share, making the affordability crisis for Californians even worse. Thank you.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Janet Upjohn  
**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 01:59 PM  
**Council File No:** 25-0002-S44  
**Comments for Public Posting:** My post is in support of AB684.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** ianthe zevos

**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 03:08 PM

**Council File No:** 25-0002-S44

**Comments for Public Posting:** please put the City of Los Angeles on record as supporting Make Polluters Pay (SB684)! this city and its people are working overtime to adjust to the impacts of climate change and recover from the devastation of this year's climate-change fueled fires. the City and the State must make the companies that KNOWINGLY brought about this crisis for their own enrichment bear the financial costs of what their products have brought about. unfortunately more climate devastation is most likely inevitable and the public should not be left holding the bag.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Andrea

**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 03:15 PM

**Council File No:** 25-0002-S44

**Comments for Public Posting:** I encourage your to support the Resolution 25-0002-s44 in support of SB 684 (Menjivar) and AB 1243 (Addis), the Polluters Pay Climate Superfund bills. We cannot wait to address Climate Change. Our children are counting on us to take action now. Sincerely, your constituent from Northridge, Andrea R.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Heather Anderson

**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 03:45 PM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please support Council Member Katy Yaroslavsky's motion for the LA City Council to support Assembly Bill 1243 and Senate Bill 684 to create the Polluters Pay Climate Superfund Act. The burden of paying for climate-related damages from emissions should not be borne solely by the citizens of the state. The fossil fuel companies that have contributed to the incredible damage to our state in the form of wildfires, drought and floods should also bear some of the responsibility to pay for fixing that damage. If they can afford to pay millions for lobbyists to defeat these bills, they can most certainly afford to pay into the superfund. It would be very meaningful to have our city council stand up for this bill.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Terry Saucier

**Date Submitted:** 06/01/2025 04:42 PM

**Council File No:** 25-0002-S44

**Comments for Public Posting:** I am writing to ask you to pass CF 25-0002-S44, a resolution in support of the Polluters Pay Climate Superfund bills SB684 and AB1243. While Los Angeles and the planet continue to suffer from the predicable outcomes of extracting and burning fossil fuels, the world's largest fossil fuel companies and their investors are reaping billions in profits. They've known for more than 50 years what their business model would do, however, they've actively worked to lie to the American people and world. Californians face billions in climate crisis related costs in the years ahead. Los Angeles is on the front lines. Our fire "season" is now year-round, the most recent fires destroyed entire cities and communities with an estimated price tag of more than \$250 billion. We are also seeing sea levels rise and the heating up our oceans, which is eroding our beaches and causing entire marine ecosystems to collapse; it's not even summer yet and we are already witnessing uncontrolled algae blooms that are killing off marine mammals, birds and fish. It's past time for the world's largest multinational fossil fuel companies doing business in California to pay their fair share of climate-related damages based on their documented CO2 emissions from 1990-2004. The funds will be used to support climate resilience, mitigation, and infrastructure for communities, businesses and workers. My hope is that by taking the actions as outlined in the Polluters Pay Climate Superfund bills we will not only be able to help communities today but also stop the current business model of burning fossil fuels so that we can prioritize sustainable green renewable energy that will ensure a livable planet for all.