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Comments for Public Posting: Agenda item 3, case # 24-1521 introduced by Eunises Hernandez, Marqueeese Harris Dawson, and Councilman Curren Price who is currently facing corruption charges eviscerates generations of scientific and community concerns regarding public health. Environmental contamination has destroyed families and other life forms in the city of Los Angeles. The City of Los Angeles by design drew the lines of segregation that continues to impact communities devastated by environmental racism. The Center For Disease Control has mapped the cancer clusters and documented other life threatening illnesses across the city. After the attacks of 911 public access to this very important portal of information was limited to doctors. We have died, suffer from chronic illnesses, our reproductive organs damaged, we have suffered from spontaneous abortions, children have been born with defects, our life spans have been shortened, and our elected officials have not provided us with the proper medical equipment to properly diagnose us to create a treatment plan for the victims who have been poisoned. The devastating fires should not be used as an excuse to fast track building on contaminated sites. Punto! Anyone supporting this motion is guilty of a dereliction of duty and is betraying their oath of office. For generations certain areas of the city have not built affordable housing units. These areas should be integrated and the city should make these areas the first choice for building housing. Relocation funds should be provided for those who wish to relocate from toxic areas. The public should not be subjugated to live upon toxic public or private property. In the memory of Rachel Louise Carson a marine biologist and author of the legendary book Silent Spring may we learn from our tragic past and protect our future generations from harms they can't see, feel, or contemplate before the unrepairable harm is detected. Vote No!