

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: What are councilmembers Blumenthal, Yaroslavsky, Krekorian, and Lee thinking?? They have submitted a proposal to take \$1 million from an already pared down city budget and give it to Zionist thugs, the likes of whom attacked peaceful UCLA pro-Palestinian demonstrators, in order to guard events in which real estate is being illegally offered "in the best Anglo neighborhoods" on stolen Palestinian lands. Demonstrators have a First Amendment right to protest such illegal activity in Los Angeles and the City has a duty to protect them and their rights.