

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Carey Bennett

**Date Submitted:** 10/31/2022 09:18 AM

**Council File No:** 21-1224

**Comments for Public Posting:** I am a frequent passenger on Buses in LA. The experience is almost always frustrating and unpleasant at best. One of the reasons why it's such a bad experience is when drivers illegally drive and park in bus lanes and slow down my commute. Traveling by bus is already a much longer process than traveling by car. But cars blocking bus lanes makes traffic even worse for everyone by slowing down public transportation. The whole point of taking the bus is supposed to be getting more cars off the road. For every passenger on the bus, that's one less car on the road to congest traffic, threaten people walking and rolling, and contribute to climate change. So why isn't the LA City Council prioritizing those bus passengers by making their commute less hideous by enforcing automated enforcement of dedicated bus lanes? Automatically ticketing parked cars is a great first step!

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**Name:** Mimi Holt

**Date Submitted:** 10/31/2022 09:52 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please address cameras on buses ASAP, here' s why: Drivers illegally drive and park in bus lanes all the time in Los Angeles, slowing down bus traffic, inconveniencing all bus riders along the route. And lack of enforcement rewards poor and inconsiderate decision-making by entitled and selfish drivers. Cars blocking bus lanes makes traffic worse for everyone by slowing down public transportation. We need automated enforcement to get cars out of the bus lane, Automatically ticketing parked cars is a great first step. Please pass this law. Sincerey, Mimi Holt

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**Name:**

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**Comments for Public Posting:** The number one reason I hear people making about not using transit is that it's less commute time than taking their car. Number one reason. There are a lot of ways to make it a more attractive choice, including more frequent buses/trains, and more lines. I support these too. But the plan of cameras auto-ticketing cars that block bike lanes would require far less budget and would instantly deter people from blocking transit and slowing the travel time down. This frustrates transit riders to no end, yet this simple solution is available. No downsides aside from tickets to people who already know they are doing something illegal. A modern city addresses public transit in ways to encourage people to leave their car at home. Everyone wins. Please implement this asap!

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Jennifer Ho

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Hi, as someone who would like to see safe, diverse modes of transportation in LA, I support support the plan to have cameras on buses automatically ticket cars parked in bus lanes. I have seen firsthand how drivers that illegally park in bus (and/or bike) lanes make traffic worse for everyone by slowing down public transportation. It also creates dangerous conditions on the road for everyone - drivers, cyclists, public transit commuters alike. We need automated enforcement to get cars out of the bus lane. Please move forward on this plan as soon as possible. Thank you for your time and consideration.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** esme

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Drivers illegally drive and park in bus lanes all the time in Los Angeles. This is not ok. Cars blocking bus lanes makes traffic worse for everyone by slowing down public transportation. We need automated enforcement to get cars out of the bus lane. Automatically ticketing parked cars is a great first step. I Support the plan and encourage it to move forward quickly. Thank you.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** J. Ross

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Every time I ride along Wilshire, parked cars are blocking the bus lane, and solo drivers are driving on it illegally. This will enforce a law that we already decided on. It's not controversial. Car drivers will whine, but they're the ones creating the problems.