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Your Community Impact Statement Submittal - Council File Number: 25-0006-S59

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Tue, Mar 18, 2025 at 2:25 AM

A Neighborhood Council Community Impact Statement (CIS) has been successfully submitted to your Commission or City Council. We provided information below about CISs and attached a copy of the CIS.

We encourage you to reach out to the Community Impact Statement Filer to acknowledge receipt and if this Community Impact Statement will be scheduled at a future meeting. Neighborhood Council board members are volunteers and it would be helpful if they received confirmation that you received their CIS.

The CIS process was enabled by the to Los Angeles Administrative Code §Section 22.819. It provides that, "a Neighborhood Council may take a formal position on a matter by way of a Community Impact Statement (CIS) or written resolution." NCs representatives also testify before City Boards and Commissions on the item related to their CIS. If the Neighborhood Council chooses to do so, the Neighborhood Council representative must provide the Commission with a copy of the CIS or resolution sufficiently in advance for review, possible inclusion on the agenda, and posting on the Commission's website. Any information you can provide related to your agenda setting schedule is helpful to share with the NC.

If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *listed on the Commission's agenda*, during the time the matter is heard, the designated Neighborhood Council representative should be given an opportunity to present the Neighborhood Council's formal position. We encourage becoming familiar with the City Council's rules on the subject. At the Chair's discretion, the Neighborhood Council representative may be asked to have a seat at the table (or equivalent for a virtual meeting) typically reserved for City staff and may provide the Neighborhood Council representative more time than allotted to members of the general public. They are also permitted up to five (5) minutes of time to address the legislative body. If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *not listed on the agenda*, the designated Neighborhood Council representative may speak during General Public Comments.

We share this information to assist you with the docketing neighborhood council items before your board/commission. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at empowerla@lacity.org.

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(11) Nay(0) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)

Date of NC Board Action: 03/17/2025

Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information

Date: 03/18/2025

Update to a Previous Input: No

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CIS - CF 25-0006-S59 Emergency Rental Assistance Program.pdf

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March 17, 2025

Los Angeles City Council
City Hall
200 N. Spring St.
Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: CF 25-0006-S59 - Emergency Rental Assistance Program/House LA Funds Reallocation/Tenant Evictions and Displacement/2025 Windstorm and Wildfire Recovery

Empowerment Congress West Area Neighborhood Development Council (ECWA) supports council file CF 25-0006-S59 which

- Instructs the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD), with the assistance of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), to disencumber \$15,000,000 and reallocate funds from the House LA Fund - Administration and appropriate these funds to the Emergency Rental Assistance (ERA) Program to assist Angelenos impacted by the 2025 Los Angeles Wildfire.
- Instructs the LAHD, with the assistance of the CAO and Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) to report to Council with additional expenditure categories to allocate to the ERA Program, and recommendations to sole-source, amend existing contract(s) and/or issue Request for Proposal to administer the program.
- Request the City Attorney to report to Council on Section 22.618.5 of the Los Angeles Charter and relevant sections to enable the Council to reallocate funds from each expenditure category in Section 22.618.3(d) to be reappropriated for emergency rental assistance to assist Angelenos impacted by the Los Angeles Wildfires due to ongoing Declaration of Local Emergencies.

There is an urgent need to distribute emergency rental assistance to prevent evictions and displacement of tenants impacted by the Los Angeles Wildfires in response to the January 7, 2025 Declaration of Local Emergency on Windstorms and Fire Weather, and to address the ongoing Declaration of Local Emergency on Housing and Homelessness in Los Angeles. Empowerment Congress West Area Neighborhood Council stands with the City Council in supporting efforts to alleviate the economic impacts of the Los Angeles Wildfires.

In Solidarity,

Empowerment Congress West Area Neighborhood Development Council (ECWA)