

Communication from Public

Name: Laurie L Goldman
Date Submitted: 04/21/2023 10:41 AM
Council File No: 22-1196-S1
Comments for Public Posting: SUPPORT DEMOCRACY and approve an independent redistricting commission!

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Name: Zarek Dietz

Date Submitted: 04/22/2023 10:13 AM

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Comments for Public Posting: It is time to increase the number of council members. Los Angeles on a whole is too big for the number of council members we currently have to effectively focus and make this city better. Most council members have areas that have various needs and concerns. It is like trying to multi task, no one can multi task effectively. Smaller districts will help improve those areas and quicker. Think of it like school classrooms. Currently they are too big, too many kids in the classroom. And teaching them properly is difficulty. Reducing the class size will provide a better education for our children. The same for council members and their districts.

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Name: PATRICIA DEXTER

Date Submitted: 04/22/2023 09:14 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Redistricting to add council seats in Los Angeles is woefully overdue. Our council members represent an average of 260,000 people in each district - almost 100,000 more than the average council district in Manhattan! The most densely populated city in the U.S.!! In addition, our council members are the highest paid in the nation, and even that fact has not curbed the lure that their power has to deal corruptly with developers and other business entities pressing for leverage on the city council. We MUST bring the LA City Council members back to representing their constituents by reducing each council district's footprint and putting the voters squarely in control of each council member's ability to win and retain a council seat by honestly looking after the peoples' needs and not diluting them in giant district maps. This requires every council person to have the courage of true public service, to forfeit some of their own power for the good of Los Angeles and its' people. As a native Los Angeleno of 67 years I beg you to do what you obviously know to be the right thing.

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Name: Patricia Dexter Dexte

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