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**Community Impact Statement**

5/09/18

**To:** Councilmember Bob Blumenfield (Public Works Committee), Full City Council

**From:** Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council (WHWCNC)

**Re:** **CF 17-1143** Withdrawals and Reinstatements of Public Streets

**Position:** For

The Board Approved this CIS on 05/09/18 by a vote of: Aye (17) – Nay (0) – Abstain (0)  
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The Woodland Hills-Warner Center Neighborhood Council (WHWC) respectfully submits the following Community Impact Statement:

WHEREAS, streets designated by ordinance as “out of service” have not been vacated by the City of Los Angeles and are, in fact, in public use; and

WHEREAS, many of these streets have become seriously deteriorated as to become a public safety hazard for all residents, who rely on unimpeded access for emergency services vehicles - including fire and police; and

WHEREAS, Council File 14-1474 states that the City Attorney has advised the that the City must maintain a non-vacated street in a safe condition and that City may be liable for any damages due to its un-maintained condition; and

WHEREAS, Bureau of Engineering Standard Plan S-470-1 states that the City Council, by ordinance may adopt specific standards which would allow for streets that differ in specifications from official city standards; and

WHEREAS, as of 2014, there were 525 street segments listed as out of service, and 64% of these streets are in Council District 3; therefore

THE WOODLAND HILLS WARNER CENTER NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL strongly supports the action taken in CF 17-1143 and calls on the City of Los Angeles to implement a program to repair and maintain existing “out of service” streets expeditiously.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joyce Fletcher".

Joyce Fletcher  
President

Woodland Hills-Warner Center NC

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sheppard Kaufman".

Sheppard Kaufman  
Vice President

Woodland Hills-Warner Center NC

cc: CD3 Office

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