

Communication from Public

Name: Lauren Natoli

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Comments for Public Posting: I am concerned about the project in 20-1113. While I am in full, adamant support of housing resources, I am concerned about the astronomical cost of the mentioned project. The cost too high for the amount of units contained, and I worry that program dollars may be wasted on a project that is inefficient and throwing away precious supportive dollars. Please reconsider the way the money is being spent on this housing project, and find if there is a smarter way to house Los Angeles' most vulnerable population.

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Name: Miki Jackson

Date Submitted: 09/07/2020 09:20 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Miki Jackson with AHF/Housing is a Human Right It is imperative that the maximum amount of housing be secured for people who are unhoused and people who are in danger of becoming unhoused. That means getting the most housing out of every dollar we have to dedicate to housing for our lowest income residents. The item shows that only 50 units will be built with over \$22 million dollars. That is a whopping \$440,000.00 per unit. There are many demonstrations of ways to build quality housing at much lower cost than that. That would allow us to build more housing for more people in need. It is necessary that every way of stretching scarce funds to benefit the maximum number of people in need be employed. The emergency of Covid on top of the already extreme emergency of homelessness in our city has made our funds even harder to come by. It behooves us to be even more diligent than ever in stretching our resources.