

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: As a voting member of the LGBTQ+ Alliance of Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils I support this Council File with the following amendment. "INSTRUCT the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment to develop a plan and protocol to proactively provide training on issues relating to gender identity and gender expression to individual neighborhood councils". I do not agree with the amendment from BLUMENFIELD and O'FARRELL to provide the training only when a board member or actively-involved stakeholder has transitioned or made known that they have changed their name or preferred pronouns. All Neighborhood Council Board Members need to be trained on on diversity, equity, gender identity, and gender expression.