

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Councilmembers: 1.) This Motion will get the City sued at least twice and should be referred to the City Attorney before heading to any final vote. In sum, the Motion seeks to reverse decades of poor City Council leadership by members elected to represent low income areas of the City, by creating a race based system for answering requests to fix pot holes and other infrastructure requests. The Bureau of Street Services prioritizes services based on litigation settlements paid out to those injured on City Property. Please refer to BSS GM Hagekhalil for his presentation on this issue. 2). The Motion should be amended to require an assessment and prioritization of sites that pose the greatest safety issues, regardless of where they are located. 3). The Motion doesn't take into account the City's holistic lack infrastructure for 4 decades in ALL neighborhoods: Why does Brentwood have a City Park with an "F" rating if all of the money was going to "white, wealthy" communities? Why are sidewalks impassable in Westwood and Pacific Palisades or failing to meet ADA requirements? If those communities sue the City based on this Motion, they will win. They also haven't had infrastructure improvements. Respectfully submitted, Michelle Bisnoff