

Communication from Public

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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Councilmembers, As Los Angeles architectural historians and advocates for naturally occurring affordable housing and open space, we write to express our strong support for the proposed Community Land Trust Pilot Program. Creating such a program, and easing the path for tenant or nonprofit ownership, could simultaneously solve several of the most serious problems facing Los Angeles: the lack of lasting affordable housing, and the loss of fine historic buildings and the green space that is intrinsic to their design. Please act swiftly not just to explore such a program, but to implement it. The rate at which we're losing good buildings and good neighbors is, frankly, terrifying. best regards, Kim Cooper & Richard Schave Esotouric Los Angeles 90032