

# MOTION

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The Mid-City Neighborhood Council (MNC) is coordinating a street banner campaign. MNC is commemorating 20 years of service to the community with street banners featuring the artwork of William Charles "Bill" Byers. Byers, a talented artist and Jazz musician, lived in Mid-City and taught art at Locke High School in South Los Angeles. Bill was privileged to have had famed musicians Patrice Rushen and the late, great, Ndugu Chanler, as students. Byers, supported Los Angeles jazz clubs and artists raising social consciousness and the cultural achievements of jazz legends through his paintings, as well as the every-day plaintive faces of African-American peoples subjected to oppression and institutionalized discrimination. The series featured in the banners is called "Jazz" and celebrates the freedom of Jazz music while paying tribute to legendary Jazz musicians. MNC is honored to recognize William Charles Byers with these banners and looks forward to many more years of serving the stakeholders of Mid-City.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council, in accordance with Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 62.132, approve the Street Banner program being coordinated by the Mid-City Neighborhood Council, as a City of Los Angeles Non-Event Street Banner Program for the period of June 2022 to June 2023.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Council approve the content of the attached street banner design.

PRESENTED BY:

  
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Councilmember, 10<sup>th</sup> District

SECONDED BY:



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