

## Communication from Public

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Dear Los Angeles City Council: I have reviewed your Motion regarding "Hiring Incentives" for applicants for Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD). I have to strongly oppose this 'Motion' presented by council member Monica Rodriguez (CD-7). The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) has the LARGEST budget in comparison to other City Departments that lack funding and staffing to meet the needs of the community. I ask that the city council Vote NO on this motion, and I strongly urge Council Member Monica Rodriguez and Bob Blumenfield to rescind this Motion. The funds are better off serving the community. Please, rescind this motion. -- Sincerely, LIONEL MARES