

## Communication from Public

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**Comments for Public Posting:** The fact that Van Nuys Airport (VNY) is being discussed, expanded and increasing operations - re: JET TRAFFIC - while CD6 has NO representation is appalling. This motion has some very good points, except the line that calls for "additional hanger space." Having worked on this motion with Ms. Martinez and her staff of CD6, the intention was to MOVE the existing hangers along Hayvenhurst OUT to the more industrial EAST side of VNY. The fact that there are jets only yards away from thousands of residents is criminal and needs to be dealt with ASAP. We don't need more hangers to accommodate even more jets. I've lived in the neighborhood right across the street from VNY (West of Hayvenhurst) since 1986. The airport was manageable and not the health hazard and pseudo-COMMERCIAL AIRPORT it is today. Thousands of residents are being impacted by the dramatic increase of JET operations over the past couple of years. This needs to be addressed ASAP - and having COMMUNITY INPUT into the decision making for the "vision plan" and future of VNY is a MUST! Regarding the economics of VNY - it needs to change from the high impact of private charter & transient jets, to something that is compatible with its location. EXAMPLE: Turning the hangers into SOUND STAGES is a viable alternative to bring in revenue, without destroying the environment & surrounding schools & neighborhoods. Bringing back the entertainment industry is a WIN/WIN for all concerned. Revenue, JOBS & low impact. The nearby communities, residents and schools are the real STAKEHOLDERS - and so far we don't have a voice in what is happening in the future planning of VNY. It seems only the FBOs, Private & Jet Charter companies, and business interests are making the decisions. Hopefully this motion will address that and rectify the situation before anymore leases, construction or expansions are even considered.