

## Communication from Public

**Name:** K A  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 11:45 AM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** In regard to continuing the COVID-19 vaccine requirement for new hires: As a tenured, management rank member of the police department, I have advised multiple, highly qualified applicants against applying for City of Los Angeles employment due to this unreasonable and unconscionable Ordinance. If the city is serious about maintaining sufficient staffing for public safety, this Ordinance must be rescinded. As to myself and many peers, I am leaving City employment before maximizing pension benefits and definitely before the 2028 Olympics in large due to the discrimination suffered under the Ordinance to this date. Good luck.

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** Terrah Goss  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 11:12 AM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** END TESTING AND THE EMPLOYEE VACCINE MANDATE IN ITS ENTIRETY. NO BOOSTERS.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Another P  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 09:30 AM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Please rescind the vaccine mandate. 1. you are violating the religious exemptions of thousands of individuals. It may take a while but you are costing the citizens of this city millions of dollars. 2. the vaccine does not work as promised, a. it does not prevent transmission, b. it does not prevent hospitalization or death (CDC has admitted that). 3. your obligation is to us the citizens of Los Angles, you seem more interested in pleasing the pharmaceutical companies which have been proven to lie to enrich themselves. 4. you have violated several US statutes, which charge with felony those who force medical treatment on others. Stop the vaccine mandates. And please do not lie to us anymore saying how much you care about those of us who are the working class. You have proven during the last 3 years that you care about your pocket book and we are nothing but vermin to you. You can start redeeming yourself by rescinding the illegal vaccine mandate. This goes for you also Karen Bass.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Derrick smith  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 09:46 AM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** The mandate forcing city workers to vaccinated was a mistake and should've never been implemented. The vaccine never stopped or prevented the spread of covid. The worst part about it is you know this prior to implementing the mandate. You put proper livelihood at risk just to flex your power. The only to begin to write this wrong is drop the mandate entirely and end testing for the unvaccinated.

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** Pedro Contreras  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 08:45 AM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** END TESTING AND THE EMPLOYEE VACCINE MANDATE IN ITS ENTIRETY. NO BOOSTERS!

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Susan Jimenez  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 01:22 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** We need the vaccine mandate to end. The CDC admits these so called vaccines cause massive increases in strokes and the booster shots cause more serious side effects. With all this information coming out from the CDC & FDA on these shots this will make all of you complicit to the injury and death of employees caused by the vaccines/mandates. The city attorney said that the Pfizer vaccine was FDA approved; however, the FDA approved Pfizer vaccine that is not available till 2025. If there was a FDA approved vaccine all EMERGENCY USE AUTHORIZATION of C-19 vaccines would be cancelled. Stop the testing and the vaccine mandates!

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 02:17 PM

**Council File No:** 21-0921

**Comments for Public Posting:** Please end the nonsense. End the ordinance 187134. Stop the unnecessary testing.

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** GR  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 03:06 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Please end the Covid-19 vaccine mandate for all current and future LA City employees. This has harmed many of us employees and our families. It has been very disappointing and disheartening to see this unfold. Please, I urge you all in the LA City Council, to end the covid-19 vaccine mandate. Thank you.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Deborah Wallace  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 03:49 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** This mandate has caused great hardship for my brother (Johann Wallace, a veteran) a LA Sanitation employee, and myself (his older sister). Unfortunately, he has not been able to find employment since he lost his job at LA City Sanitation. Sadly, he was denied unemployment benefits due to not being vaccinated. I am a 75-year-old pensioner and have been paying his rent and helping with expenses but, I can longer help him. He has placed me (due to the mandate) in big debt and my own living situation does not allow others. His situation is bad. He is now facing homelessness due to a lack of income for food, rent and expenses. He will very, very soon be living on the sidewalk. Now with new treatments for the coronavirus and President Biden declaring that coronavirus is no longer a Pandemic; I feel my brother deserves an opportunity to return to his work with LA Sanitation. I pray daily that he will very soon be able to wear his uniform proudly and return to work. We need the money. He has always appreciated working for the City of Los Angeles. It always gave me great pride that he had a good government job. Please let him return to work very soon. Please, don't let him be homeless. Thank you for your help. Peace and all good things.

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**Name:** Pat  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 04:19 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** End the mandates.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Jennifer  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 07:59 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** The City of San Diego & New York City just ended their employee vaccine mandates for all current & future City employees. City of LA needs to do the same. It is only one step in the right direction to end testing and approve all exemptions, but the wording about possibly being reassessed later needs to be deleted and the entire ordinance 187134 and last best final offer need to be rescinded. The State of Emergency is over, you are allowing people in city buildings now, there is absolutely no reason to keep the city employee vaccine mandate in place. End the mandates now!

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Mike Jordan  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 09:16 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Rescind the Covid Vaccine Mandate for current and future employees. Ask yourself why it is in place and if you truly want this type of governance for your kids and grandchildren. I will not raise my children to be discriminative of others regardless of the city's policies, and or "Mandates." Having been refused service within city limits during your illicit "Emergency Response" does not change my stance but only strengthens it. You preach anti-discrimination in all training and workshops yet scream it from the rooftops when it comes to this Mandate. Do the right thing and I abhor you to be on the right side of American History when the dust settles. The choice is yours.

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 09:08 PM

**Council File No:** 21-0921

**Comments for Public Posting:** Item 21-0921 – Mandatory Vaccination Ordinance (Ordinance No. 187134) On August 11, 2022, the CDC updated their COVID-19 guidance policies. Its recommendations for unvaccinated individuals were brought into line with the vaccinated. This was an acknowledgment by the CDC that the unvaccinated should not be differentiated and discriminated against. They recognized natural immunity provides protection against COVID-19 and that individuals need to conduct their own risk assessments. Why hasn't the City of Los Angeles implemented this guidance in their policies? A number of local Southern California agencies have either completely rescinded their COVID-19 vaccine mandates for employees or dropped all testing requirements. Last month, the City of San Diego council members voted to repeal its vaccine mandate. Caltrans, which had a vaccine or test policy, dropped their testing policies for the unvaccinated on September 17, 2022. At this point, it is known that the vaccines do not prevent transmission and that COVID-19 can pass between individuals regardless of vaccination status. The City of Los Angeles's COVID 19 policies are discriminatory and outdated. Ordinance 187134 must be rescinded, and the testing policies abolished.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Drago  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 05:34 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** These past two years, the Los Angeles mayoral and city council ordinances, as well as LA county notices, regarding Covid 19 mandates for testing, tracing and vaccination have been an abomination, in complete opposition to a free society and to US Constitution. Abolish the vaccine and testing requirements immediately. Follow the science at all times. Do not pick and choose. These vaccines kill and maim

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**Name:** Robert  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 05:07 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** The city of Los Angeles needs to cancel the vaccine mandate ASAP for city employees. They must bring back the employees that were either put off work and/or terminated and made whole with back pay. They must also issue an apology because the City council knows they violated the employees civil rights. Being elected representatives of the people they should know better that mandates are NOT LAWS!! There is a reason WE THE PEOPLE have the US CONSTITUTION! Also it has been proven that getting vaccinated does not stop transmission of getting or spreading COVID. The CDC and the director of the CDC has said it on their website. The city council must be held accountable for violating the employees civil rights and remember that they were elected to protect people's rights and nothing else!! That's it!! They were not asked to protect our health or anything else.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Ian Jameson  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 05:07 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** In re Agenda Item 3, the resolution relative to updating the Mandatory Vaccination Ordinance (Ordinance No. 187134) and implementation procedures, the resolution as currently written is untenable. The second clause allowing for reinstitution of surveillance testing of the unvaccinated in the event of an uptick in COVID-19 infections needs to be eliminated. A clause needs to be added completely rescinding all vaccination, masking, and testing mandates and legislating that the city will henceforth respect the constitutionally guaranteed right of all its employees to medical privacy. Now-former Director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases Anthony Fauci admitted to Ayman Mohyeldin in a December 29, 2021 appearance on The Rachel Maddow show, "...although a PCR is good to tell you, am I infected...the very fact that it's positive for, as the CDC director said, for several days and even weeks later, it doesn't give you any indication of whether or not you're transmissible. And I think that's the understandable confusion that people have about testing. Testing saying whether you're infected or not versus are you infected plus transmissible." <https://www.msnbc.com/transcripts/transcript-rachel-maddow-show-12-29-21-n1286909>  
According to Fauci, these tests have never been capable of indicating infectiousness. Ergo, it has always been pseudoscientific to mandate their use for anyone, vaccinated or otherwise. Additionally, none of the COVID-19 tests, and none of the COVID-19 vaccines currently available in the U.S., have FDA approval. Pfizer BioNTech's Comirnaty and Moderna's Spikevax COVID-19 vaccines do have FDA approval on paper but are not available for administration anywhere in the U.S. Therefore, all of the mandated COVID-19 medical products referenced herein are Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) medical products. 21 U.S.C. Section 360bbb-3(e)(1)(A)(ii)(III) codifies a right of refusal to all EUA medical products. EUA medical products therefore cannot be mandated. Thus, the City of Los Angeles' decision to mandate these products for employees who declined the COVID-19 vaccines has from its inchoation violated federal law. <https://www.law.cornell.edu/uscode/text/21/360bbb-3> End the unscientific, fascist mandates in toto.

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**Name:** Daniel Janeck  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 06:36 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** There should be no more testing and testing should stop immediately! The vaccine mandate should be rescinded and no more unconstitutional mandates should ever be considered. mRNA are Gene therapy and I give no consent for any medical treatment that alters my human make-up in any way. I oppose any and all testing and medical mandates. Sincerely, A member of Roll Call 4 Freedom LLC

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Old-timer  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 06:28 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** I have been an employee with this City for 4 decades, and I have never seen or experienced a more unfair or unjust governing body than what we have right now. By forcing the employees to take an experimental vaccine in order to keep their jobs, you threatened their livelihood, their ability to put a roof over their family's head, food on the table and to take care of their children. This will be forever a stain on the City's legacy. END THE MANDATES NOW!

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Frieda  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 06:20 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Rescind the COVID-19 mandate and testing for all City employees. Reinstate all employees that were terminated with pay back. It is time to stop this madness. The evidence shows that the mRNA vaccines are dangerous causing people to lose their life, suffering long terms health problems and it does not stop transmission of the virus.

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** Antonio Montoya  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 05:53 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** End testing and the employee vaccine mandate in its entity. No boosters !

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 06:14 PM

**Council File No:** 21-0921

**Comments for Public Posting:** Drop mandatory testing immediately and apologize for this discriminatory policy.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** J. Alvarez  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 11:23 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** City Council members as a constituent of this great city, I respectfully request you end the COVID-19 mandate ordinance #187134 for the City of Los Angeles and ALL its employees. We can no longer ignore the scientific data and the results of how negatively this specific vaccination has impacted angelinos and the world. How much longer will you continue to contribute to the tyrant ideology of forcing and coercing an ineffective product that causes more harm than good? Remember that everyday you allow this mandate to continue the greater the negative impact this has to the future of this beautiful city and those that live and work in it. We have survived this emergency without and with vaccinations and yet we are all still here. It is time that we move forward and that you allow all city employees and future ones to move on with their lives and return to normalcy. Sunset the COVID-19 mandate in its entirety effective immediately for current and future employees and let's focus on working cohesively to make our city a sought out destination of growth and success.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Terry Carter  
**Date Submitted:** 02/06/2023 11:43 PM  
**Council File No:** 21-0921  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Do the right thing for your City employees and the citizens of Los Angeles who deserve proper service. A complete rescission of the mandatory vaccination ordinance, reinstatement and backpay for all employees terminated as a result of this poorly based ordinance, and deletion of the vaccine requirement for new employees.