

Communication from Public

Name:

Date Submitted: 02/07/2023 03:35 PM

Council File No: 22-1576

Comments for Public Posting: I'm writing to support this item, which will bring long overdue improvements to the district. Right now the district has no protected bike lanes and many of its bus stops have no shelter from heat or rain or benches, a horrible experience as a transit user. Thank you to councilmember Soto-Martinez for taking action!

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Name: Evan Clark

Date Submitted: 02/07/2023 01:50 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: Thank you to Councilmember Soto-Martinez for being a rockstar and taking swift action to change CD13 into a safe, bikeable area. It's disgusting that CD13 doesn't have a single mile of protected bike lanes right now. There is blood on the hands of city planners who continue to ignore the need to safe pedestrian-friendly streets and ignore the endless car violence happening in our neighborhoods. Anything less than a truly safe way for people to work or bike to the LA River Bike Path is abhorrent. Please support 22-1576.

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Comments for Public Posting: CD13 has suffered from a lack of multimodal infrastructure investment for years under the previous Councilmember. The majority of CD13 bus stops lack shelters, benches, and other important amenities. CD13 doesn't have a single mile of protected bike lane and has very few unprotected bike lanes, despite many of its streets being part of the High Injury Network. There is still no safe way for people to bike to the LA River Bike Path in CD13. Thank you to Councilmember Soto-Martinez for taking swift action to change CD13 into being safer for all modes of transportation.

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Name: Allison Mannos

Date Submitted: 02/07/2023 12:45 PM

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Comments for Public Posting: I am writing in strong support of this motion as a CD13 and East Hollywood resident. Our district has suffered from a lack of multimodal infrastructure investment for years under the previous Councilmember, who relied heavily on ineffective fixes like crosswalks and failed to expand bike or bus only lanes in our transit dependent and high traffic communities. I use transit, walk, and bike heavily in my community, like my numerous neighbors, our low-income and immigrant families, in East Hollywood, Elysian Park, Frogtown, and Echo Park. I am hopeful that this motion will fast track cost effective and connected ways to continue our more sustainable and affordable lifestyles, such as an extensive bus only and bike lane network that many similarly sprawling sister cities such as Mexico City and Bogota have figured out ages ago. A huge thank you to Councilmember Soto-Martinez for taking swift action to change CD13 into being safer for all modes of transportation! Thank you for your consideration and action to save lives. Allison

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Name: Mimi Holt

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Name: Lionel Mares

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Comments for Public Posting: Like Council District 6, Council District 13 has suffered from a lack of multimodal infrastructure investment for years under the previous Councilmember (Mitch O'Farrell). The majority of CD13 bus stops lack shelters, benches, and other important amenities... many Spanish speakers suffer the most because they rely on public transit to get to work, school and other places. Thank you Council member Soto-Martinez for your compassion.