

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** Ed Koch  
**Date Submitted:** 04/12/2023 08:13 AM  
**Council File No:** 22-0454  
**Comments for Public Posting:** Please save this landmark!

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 04/12/2023 12:15 PM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** Pacific Dining Cart is a beloved institution. We come here for celebrations.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Rod Sims

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 12:17 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** We must preserve our heritage in Los Angeles. I visited the Pacific Dining Car on two occasions, and both evenings remain forever in my memory. The pandemic tragically ended its reign as a restaurant, but it should continue in some other form and avoid the wrecking ball.

## **Communication from Public**

**Name:** Charles DAtri  
**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 01:12 AM  
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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please save the Pacific Dining Car!

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Richard Ortiz

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 02:46 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** I hope this does not fall on deaf years. With all the gentrification and changes everywhere it would be an enormous shame to see the PACIFIC DINING CAR demolished. It IS an establishment that holds so much history and richness in its representation of Los Angeles. Please DO NOT ALLOW THIS ONE TO SLIP AWAY TOO! Please show us Angelenos and all welcomed visitors that it's not just about the money, but more so about preserving heritage. This is what truly rings out to future generations. Please don't let this be a "Oh, that's where the famous Pacific Dining Car used to be, too bad its gone now." "Yeah, nothing gets preserved anymore and its all about the dollar and associated politics" exchange as we pass by whatever would replace this jewel in our wonderful city of Los Angeles. Your going to get numerous comments to save the PDC. Do the right thing and save it for us all. Thank you for your time. Take care (especially the Pacific Dining car).

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Linda Dickey

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 05:43 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please approve the historic site designation for Pacific Dinning Car. A friend first took us there for a birthday lunch. We returned for dinners which were a true delight. Please preserve this historic restaurant so it can continue to be an ambassador of fine dining for younger generations.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Theodore Toth

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 05:59 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** We love the Pacific Dining Car, its old LA, old Hollywood that we are losing piece by piece. Don't let this piece go please.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** JOHN Rodriguez

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 06:45 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** Have to stop bulldozing historic sites in the city of Los Angeles. Historic sites like Pacific Dining Car make Los Angeles what is it today, the best city in the United States.



## Communication from Public

**Name:** Lifetime City Resident

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 06:59 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** If any location should be preserved, then PDC should be. This place is historic.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** A Deleon

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 07:16 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** My family has been gathering at Pacific Dining Car to celebrate birthdays, holidays and simply to enjoy their delicious food for generations. Pacific Dining Car was one of my grandfather's favorite restaurants and my father still loves to go there. The closure during the past 3 years was a huge disappointment to our entire family, as it had become our favorite restaurant gathering place. The downtown location, slightly off the beaten track, meant that it has always been a go to meeting spot for my business meals as well. I've seen numerous celebrities and local dignitaries dining there over the years. The casual low-light ambiance, and small semi private dining rooms makes it easy to be a dining getaway. There is no dining experience in Los Angeles quite like the PDC, where a leisurely meal prepared with top quality ingredients, and the best steaks and seafood in town, is what repeat customers come for, and expect. There is an old world feel to this treasure of an eatery. In the rush to embrace trends, Pacific Dining Car has remained loyal to what brought them success years ago: great food, welcoming atmosphere and respite from the hectic world outside. Oh, and did I forget to mention the wait staff? You can always tell how big the heart of a restaurant's ownership is, by the number of wait staff that remain at their jobs. Pacific Dining Car had wait staff that had been with them for decades. Just one more fact that made PDC a pleasure to dine at, and support with our dollars. Please give Pacific Dining Car full Historic Designation. The building is part of the experience we have all had there throughout our lives. It is a touchstone to my family's history, but even more importantly, to the collective history of Angelenos for over a century. Let's keep this much-loved and legacy business there for everyone to continue to enjoy and support.

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**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 07:33 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** The pacific dining car is unlike any dining experience anywhere. It's unique to a city that has so many unique businesses to deeper pockets. Los Angeles is full of people on their way to be somebody else. That mindset eradicates objectivity. PDC is a vital piece of storied Los Angeles. Stop thinking of your wallet and start thinking about quality of life.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Socorro Belmontes

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 08:15 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** I grew up in Los Angeles and Pacific Dining Cart Was a highlight restaurant to visit. Its customers were from all walks of life including politicians. The Covid situation was a thorn that destroyed all food establishment. It's sad that this icon establishment cannot be preserved . This statement comes from a resident of Los Angeles of 75 yrs.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Darren Kelley

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 08:16 AM

**Council File No:** 22-0454

**Comments for Public Posting:** Councilmember Eunisses Hernandez, Please ave the Pacific Dining Car as a historical landmark. My family and I just discovered it in the last decade, and now it's gone! Please help prevent another great Los Angeles business from disappearing.

## Communication from Public

**Name:**

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 08:20 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** We went to the PDC weekly for over 15 years and before that back to the 1970's. A historic restoration and hopeful reopening would be worthwhile and fun.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Javier Lozano

**Date Submitted:** 04/13/2023 08:36 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** Please save the iconic Pacific Dining Car from demolition.