

Communication from Public

Name: Charles Weber III
Date Submitted: 04/19/2023 04:35 PM
Council File No: 22-1196-S1
Comments for Public Posting: There needs to be a more aggressive strategy developed by the LAPD, City Council, County Board of Supervisors, the Sheriff's Department and traffic management to put an end to street racing and takeovers. It is now affecting our peace in the community, our insurance rates, our property values and public safety.

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Name: Carol A Pilkington
Date Submitted: 04/19/2023 06:58 PM
Council File No: 22-1196-S1
Comments for Public Posting: The district I used to be in was Bloomfield's which was practically around the corner from where I live. Now I'm part of a district and Council office that has no relation to my neighborhood. It's ridiculous! I used to get responses and solutions to my concerns within days, now I don't get anything except an email that my concerns have been passed on and then they fall into a black hole. I think it is despicable and wrong. At least Bloomfield's office took things seriously and was proactive in their action and I was always kept in the loop. It really sucks!

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Name: Charles Weber III
Date Submitted: 04/19/2023 02:16 PM
Council File No: 22-1196-S1
Comments for Public Posting: There is a need for recruiting more volunteers to man polling booths. There also needs to be a strategy to insure their safety as well.

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Name: Mona Field
Date Submitted: 04/19/2023 09:43 AM
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Comments for Public Posting: Dear Honorable City Councilmembers, The League of Women Voters has been a strong supporter of independent redistricting commissions (IRC) as a method for ensuring equity and transparency in drawing district maps. IRCs are essential to fair representation in a democratic government. LWV California was integral in creating the IRC process for the state of California, which voters passed in 2008. LWV Greater Los Angeles looks forward to seeing a ballot measure to that effect for Los Angeles City voters in 2024. We believe that council expansion would give the people of Los Angeles better, more responsive representation. Holding hearings throughout the City will allow Angelenos the opportunity to provide input required for an inclusive process. We list steps you can take that will encourage input from the widest range of Angelenos. 1) Offer at least two weeks' notice for all meetings, and post agendas at least a week in advance. 2) Provide a clear timeline of the process with an overview of each phase: community feedback on the CLA report, draft proposal, and the City Attorney draft ordinance BEFORE the measure appears on the ballot. 3) Establish a Charter Reform website where the public can find redistricting resources, up-to-date information on hearings, and how to offer public comment. 4) Schedule hearings during evenings and weekends. 5) Provide remote, as well as in-person options for public comment. 6) Ensure language accessibility. 7) Engage methods of communication for the greatest possible community outreach. Thank you for seriously considering these recommendations. Mona Field, President League of Women Voters of Greater Los Angeles

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Name: Natalya Zernitskaya
Date Submitted: 04/19/2023 09:07 PM
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Comments for Public Posting: I strongly support efforts to update the City charter to form an independent redistricting commission.