

## Communication from Public

**Name:** D. Corle

**Date Submitted:** 09/15/2023 11:42 AM

**Council File No:** 23-0543

**Comments for Public Posting:** Please do not pass the homeless in hotels ballot measure. This will, without question, destroy the hotel industry in LA and put hotel employees at unnecessary risk.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Skip Schoolnik  
**Date Submitted:** 09/15/2023 01:30 PM  
**Council File No:** 23-0543  
**Comments for Public Posting:** I cannot imagine a worse, anti guest, anti business, shameful idea.  
It is Dr Zhivago come to Los Angeles.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Cynthia Flynn

**Date Submitted:** 09/19/2023 05:15 AM

**Council File No:** 23-0543

**Comments for Public Posting:** I am writing this letter to express my heartfelt support and admiration for Mr. William Marsh, who has proven to be an exceptional swim instructor and a true asset to our community. Mr. Marsh played a pivotal role in teaching our three-year-old daughter how to swim independently, a milestone that we had been eagerly anticipating for quite some time. We were incredibly fortunate to have been recommended to Mr. Marsh by another family in the area who had experienced his expertise firsthand. The observation of witnessing Mr. Marsh work with our daughter was truly remarkable. His calm and gentle teaching style put our daughter at ease, making her swimming lessons not only effective but also an enjoyable experience for her. His patience, attentiveness, and the care he showed throughout the process were truly commendable. Mr. Marsh's unique approach to teaching swimming, which includes allowing children to learn in the privacy of his backyard pool, is nothing short of remarkable. If a family does not have access to a pool at home, Mr. Marsh teaches children in his own pool. Mr. Marsh's reputation as a renowned and popular swim instructor is well-deserved. His waitlist often spans a year or more, a testament to the high demand for his expertise and the exceptional quality of his instruction. Families in our community eagerly anticipate the opportunity to have their children learn from him, recognizing the life-saving skills and confidence he imparts to his students. What makes Mr. Marsh's contribution to our community even more significant is the crucial role he plays in preventing tragic accidents related to children and swimming pools. Drowning remains a leading cause of unintentional injury-related death in children, and the importance of swimming lessons cannot be overstated in addressing this issue. Mr. Marsh's dedication to providing affordable and accessible swim lessons in a safe and nurturing environment undoubtedly contributes to a safer future for our children. In a society where the need for water safety education is paramount, Mr. Marsh's commitment to teaching children how to swim is a shining example of a community-driven initiative. His efforts not only empower children with a life-saving skill but also instill confidence and joy in their hearts as they discover the wonders of swimming. We are deeply grateful to Mr. Marsh for the invaluable service he provides and the positive impact he has had on our

daughter's life. His dedication to teaching children how to swim and his unwavering commitment to safety are truly admirable. In conclusion, we wholeheartedly support and recommend Mr. William Marsh as an outstanding swim instructor and a dedicated advocate for water safety. His contributions to our community are immeasurable, and we feel fortunate to have had the opportunity to work with him. Sincerely, Cynthia Flynn

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Clelia El Adl Clemens

**Date Submitted:** 09/19/2023 07:08 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** We support the applicant's desire to have a permit. We believe learning to swim is a bare minimum skill to life and Bill teaches it with care and devotion. His expertise should be applauded and supported. In addition of teaching, Bill has created a community makes our city better.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** PR

**Date Submitted:** 09/19/2023 07:32 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** To say Bill Marsh has drastically changed the lives for the better of my two young children would not be an understatement. Bill has provided them with confidence that has affected all aspects of their lives, not just in swimming. Prior to taking classes with Bill my children were very afraid of the water due to some negative experiences that had happened in the past. Bill is such a kind, loving and gentle instructor and he was able to not only teach my kids how to swim but also taught them about resilience and instilled them with confidence. Months after taking classes with Bill they still bring him up and mention the life lessons he taught them. We have tried swim lessons at multiple swim schools and with a few different private instructors but my kids are always asking to see Bill again. He has a talent and a gift for working with children that is very rare and our community would be at a major loss if he was unable to provide his services at his home.

## Communication from Public

**Name:** Kassia Miller

**Date Submitted:** 09/19/2023 08:21 AM

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**Comments for Public Posting:** I am writing in support of William Marsh and his ability to conduct swimming lessons in his residential pool. By teaching youngsters to swim, Mr. Marsh provides an essential service that furthers the safety of our children. In 9 days he taught my daughter how to be safe around a pool, which is an invaluable asset. The lessons are calm and quiet, and Mr. Marsh is the picture of professionalism and kindness. There is no reason he should not be allowed to conduct this crucial business at his home, in the thoughtful manner in which he always conducts himself. Thank you for your time.