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Letter for Council File #17-0447

1 message

Dennis Wilson <Dennis.Wilson.202156068@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 8:12 AM

Reply-To: dewilson747@hotmail.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Letter for Council File #17-0447

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1 message

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Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 7:43 AM

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1 message

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Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 7:42 AM

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ROBERT BALLESTEROS <ROBERT.BALLESTEROS.245410374@p2a.co>

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Letter for Council File #17-0447

1 message

Brandon Cavanaugh <Brandon.Cavanaugh.245395417@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 4:10 AM

Reply-To: darkholiday480@msn.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Letter for Council File #17-0447

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1 message

Eliana campbell <Eliana.campbell.207239070@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 3:47 AM

Reply-To: elianar@aol.com

To: City <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

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1 message

Evelyn Lobato <Evelyn.Lobato.245392041@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 1:33 AM

Reply-To: everly575@yahoo.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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1 message

Richard Inez <Richard.Inez.245391781@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 1:09 AM

Reply-To: rinez209@gmail.com

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1 message

Rosie Nemr <Rosie.Nemr.245390827@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 12:17 AM

Reply-To: rosienemr@gmail.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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1 message

Linda Voorhees <Linda.Voorhees.245421958@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 9:11 AM

Reply-To: notagain99@verizon.net

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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1 message

Jeffrey Hillinger <Jeffrey.Hillinger.245423325@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 9:24 AM

Reply-To: jeffrey@automatedhd.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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John Kracke <John.Kracke.245429644@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 10:26 AM

Reply-To: jandkracke@yahoo.cpm

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Christopher Mozdzen <Christopher.Mozdzen.245428582@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 10:14 AM

Reply-To: ctmozdzen@gmail.com

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Phillip Peck <Phillip.Peck.216850503@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 9:44 AM

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1 message

Darren Engel <Darren.Engel.244856362@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 10:52 AM

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Woo Tom <Woo.Tom.245437050@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 11:15 AM

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1 message

Robert Campanelli <Robert.Campanelli.245449354@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 11:51 AM

Reply-To: b-campanelli@hotmail.com

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Nile Eversole <Nile.Eversole.245443918@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 11:39 AM

Reply-To: joecool31903@hotmail.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

Letter for Council File #17-0447

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1 message

Daniel Villalta <Daniel.Villalta.245448300@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 11:49 AM

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1 message

Antony Rodriguez <Antony.Rodriguez.245451487@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 12:05 PM

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1 message

Lucille Terrazas <Lucille.Terrazas.245469532@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 2:23 PM

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To: City <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

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1 message

Maryanne Greenberg <Maryanne.Greenberg.245464320@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 1:43 PM

Reply-To: maryanne3935@yahoo.com

To: City <Clerk.cps@lacity.org>

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Jimmy Schloss <Jimmy.Schloss.245456716@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 12:54 PM

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To: City <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

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1 message

Theresa Dominguez <Theresa.Dominguez.245474617@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 3:11 PM

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Mary Engstrom <Mary.Engstrom.216553774@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 5:47 PM

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1 message

Ed Curlee <Ed.Curlee.245490600@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 5:26 PM

Reply-To: ecc7743@msn.com

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Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 5:03 PM

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Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 4:42 PM

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Von Nort <Von.Nort.245477074@p2a.co>

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Von Nort



October 11, 2019

Councilwoman Nury Martinez, President Pro-Tempore
Chairwoman, Los Angeles City Council Committee on Energy, Climate Change and
Environmental Justice
City of Los Angeles
200 North Spring Street, Suite 470
Los Angeles, CA 90012

**Re: Los Angeles Setback Report: A Report on Council File 17-0447 – Land Use Codes/Oil and
Gas Development/Impact on Residential Health and Safety/Code Change Proposals – by
Uduak-Joe Ntuk, Petroleum Administrator, July 25, 2019 - OPPOSE**

Dear Councilwoman Martinez:

The undersigned coalition respectfully writes in opposition to the recommendations made by the Petroleum Administrator to increase setback distances and restrictions on local oil and gas production. If implemented, the proposed recommendations would threaten the local economy, eliminate good-paying, middle-class jobs for thousands of Angelenos from diverse communities, impose unnecessary costs on Los Angeles residents and businesses and increase our dependence on unreliable foreign sources of oil.

- **Exorbitant Costs to the City** - According to the Petroleum Administrator's report, implementing the recommended increased setbacks of 600 feet from residences and

schools on existing oil and gas wells and 1,500 feet for future oil and gas development, could cost the City upward of \$90 billion because of permanent losses to mineral and surface owners in the City. This estimate does not take into account the loss of economic productivity in L.A.'s communities.

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Los Angeles oil production supports more than 4,000 jobs, \$226 million in tax revenues and \$325 million in total labor income. The Petroleum Administrator's recommendations, if enacted, would eliminate jobs and tax revenues which would mean less money to solve critical issues facing the City on homelessness and affordable housing.

For these reasons, **we strongly oppose the increased setback distance and additional restriction recommended in the report on Council File 17-0447 – Land Use Codes/Oil and Gas Development/Impact on Residential Health and Safety/Code Change Proposals by Uduak-Joe Ntuk, Petroleum Administrator.**

Sincerely,

American GI Forum of California (AGIF of California)
AMVETS Department of California

California Asphalt Pavement Association (CalAPA)
California Association of County Veterans Service Officers
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Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce
Los Angeles County Business Federation (BizFed)
Los Angeles Royalty Owner, Ethan Polk
Los Angeles Royalty Owner, Johanna Pipes
Los Angeles Royalty Owner, Philip C. Putnam
National Association of Royalty Owners – California (NARO-California)
Regional Hispanic Chamber of Commerce
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2 messages

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Regards,
Helen Newton



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Letter for Council File #17-0447

1 message

Mariana Lazar <Mariana.Lazar.245224029@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 8:37 PM

Reply-To: mlazar150@yahoo.com

To: City <Clerk.CPS@lacity.org>

Letter for Council File #17-0447

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1 message

Mark Kosher <Mark.Kosher.245510490@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 8:30 PM

Reply-To: mkvisual@yahoo.com

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1 message

Tana Stoiberg <Tana.Stoiberg.245517213@p2a.co>

Mon, Oct 14, 2019 at 10:28 PM

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