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Your Community Impact Statement Submittal - City Planning Number: 26-1398

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LA City SNow <cityoflaprod@service-now.com> Thu, Nov 19, 2026 at 7:39 PM
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To: Clerk.CIS@lacity.org, chase.puskar@losfeliznc.org

A Neighborhood Council Community Impact Statement (CIS) has been successfully submitted to your Commission or City Council. We provided information below about CISs and attached a copy of the CIS.

We encourage you to reach out to the Community Impact Statement Filer to acknowledge receipt and if this Community Impact Statement will be scheduled at a future meeting. Neighborhood Council board members are volunteers and it would be helpful if they received confirmation that you received their CIS.

The CIS process was enable by the to Los Angeles Administrative Code §Section 22.819. It provides that, "a Neighborhood Council may take a formal position on a matter by way of a Community Impact Statement (CIS) or written resolution." NCs representatives also testify before City Boards and Commissions on the item related to their CIS. If the Neighborhood Council chooses to do so, the Neighborhood Council representative must provide the Commission with a copy of the CIS or rResolution sufficiently in advance for review, possible inclusion on the agenda, and posting on the Commission's website.Any information you can provide related to your agenda setting schedule is helpful to share with the NC.

If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *listed on the Commission's agenda*, during the time the matter is heard, the designated Neighborhood Council representative should be given an opportunity to present the Neighborhood Council's formal position. We encourage becoming familiar with the City Councils rules on the subject. At the Chair's discretion, the Neighborhood Council representative may be asked to have a seat at the table (or equivalent for a virtual meeting) typically reserved for City staff and may provide the Neighborhood Council representative more time than allotted to members of the general public. They are also permitted up to five (5) minutes of time to address the legislative body. If the CIS or resolution pertains to a matter *not listed on the agenda*, the designated Neighborhood Council representative may speak during General Public Comments.

We share this information to assist you with the docketing neighborhood council items before your board/commission. If you have questions and/or concerns, please contact the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment at empowerla@lacity.org.

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The Board approved this CIS by a vote of: Yea(17) Nay(1) Abstain(0) Ineligible(0) Recusal(0)
Date of NC Board Action: 11/17/2026
Type of NC Board Action: For

Impact Information
Date: 11/20/2026
Update to a Previous Input: No
Directed To: City Council and Committees
Council File Number:
City Planning Number: 26-1398
Agenda Date:
Item Number:
Summary: LFNC supports CF 26-1398, which seeks to find funding and support for existing training, job placement and workforce funding to be expanded to neurodivergent people. When adults with ADHD face up to 33% unemployment or chronically underemployed rate; when up to 85% of autistic college graduates or adults are unemployed or underemployed despite wanting to be employed; when neurodivergent diagnoses in women tend to happen later in life due to outward “symptoms” that differ when compared to more-studied boys; when the unemployed or underemployed are more likely to face homelessness; when businesses de-prioritize custom training and full-benefit employment; when

each neurodivergent experience has its own needs; it is imperative that the city steps up their already existing training, placement and workforce funding to aid the neurodivergent population. In addition to training future employees, training managers and coworkers on how to accommodate their workplace to be more neurodivergent-friendly will assist in destigmatizing brains that work differently. Finally, we recommend that the city collaborates directly with not only major employers but small businesses to provide such workforce funding, and to ensure that regular check-ins with the employees and businesses continue to make sure the relationship remains conducive to all parties. If jobs end, these services should be available again easily for people for the next job as neurodivergent people may need more chances to find the right job fit.

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-COMMUNITY IMPACT STATEMENT-

Council File: 26-1398

Title: Develop and Fund Workforce Development Programs / Neurodivergent Residents

Position: Support

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