



# CENTRAL SAN PEDRO NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

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August 11, 2015

Carl Cooper  
Principal Recreation Supervisor  
DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS  
221 N. Figueroa St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: Anderson Park - Park Advisory Board

Dear Supervisor Carl Cooper,

The Central San Pedro Neighborhood Council has expressed concerns in regards to the condition of Anderson Park, which is in the center core of our district. As the duly chartered council recognized by the City of Los Angeles to advise all departments of this city, we believe that our council should have a standing position on the local Park Advisory Board, and to this end ask you to direct the staff to adopt this position in their bylaws.

Even further though, it would seem like the most open policy to benefit all of Los Angeles city would be for the Department of Recreation and Parks to execute an MOU with the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment allowing for any of the 96 neighborhood councils to designate a NC board member to sit on the local PAB council within that NC's jurisdiction.

I thank you for your consideration and adoption of this policy and look forward to your written response.

Sincerely,

James P. Allen, President  
On behalf of the Central San Pedro  
Neighborhood Council and its stakeholders.

cc: DONE, BONC, Mayor Garcetti, Councilman Buscaino