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Los Angeles City Hall
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To: Mayor Eric Garcetti, Councilmember Nury Martinez, Councilmember Joe Buscaino, Captain Greg McManus, Captain Jay Mastick

Subject: LAPD Presence at Bridge Home

The Public Safety and Transportation Committee appreciates the commitment of two LAPD officers which are to be present 24/7 around the area of the Bridge Home located at 407 N. Beacon St. as discussed numerous times with the community. We understand the LAPD is expecting budget changes and we want you to consider the following issues:

Whereas, the San Pedro Bridge Home is a "low-barrier" homeless shelter (whereby no initial background check is required),

Whereas, some residents are struggling with addiction, mental and/or physical illnesses

Whereas, local gang-activity is well-documented in the neighborhood,

Whereas, the Bridge Home is located in a well-established residential community,

It is resolved that the committee supports the funding of two officers from LAPD who patrol 24/7 surrounding the Bridge Home area for at least three years, as promised by the Mayor and Council Members.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carrie Scoville".

Carrie Scoville
President