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July, 10, 2013 Via email

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RE: ROOFTOP GARDEN INITIATIVE, Council File 13-0546

## Dear Councilmembers:

At the regularly scheduled meeting held June 11, 2013, The Mar Vista Community Council unanimously approved the following policy motion:

Mar Vista Community Council supports Council File 13-0546, an effort to implement a Rooftop Garden Program to increase green space in downtown Los Angeles and requests that the Planning Department, with the assistance of the Department of Building and Safety, Fire Department and Bureau of Engineering, and in consultation with the City Attorney, prepare a report with recommendations on how to implement a Rooftop Garden Program that includes land use incentives to project in the city if they include roof top green spaces, and that discusses the feasibility of preparing and presenting an ordinance.

Sincerely,

Sharon Commins, Chair Mar Vista Community Council