



MAR VISTA COMMUNITY COUNCIL

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Community Impact Statement



TITLE: [Council File 21-0533 \(GAS, DIESEL, FOSSIL FUEL PUMPS / NEW BUILDING AND PERMIT PROHIBITION / ZERO EMISSIONS VEHICLE / NON-FUEL RELATED FACILITIES / LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE / AMENDMENT\)](#)

COMMITTEE: Transportation, Infrastructure, and Sustainability (TI&S) Committee

POSITION: SUPPORT

THE MOTION: The Mar Vista Community Council (MVCC) supports this motion and urges that no new gas, diesel, nor fossil fuel stations (and no new pumps at existing stations) be permitted in the City.

BACKGROUND:

- All NCs who have submitted CIS' are For (including Westside NC, Palms, North Westwood, Echo Park, Los Feliz, and Silver Lake)
- We encourage retooling already existing gas stations with EV chargers and continue to allow permits for non-fuel facilities like convenience stores and car washes, as stated in the motion
- Los Angeles already has between 550-600 gas stations estimated; we commonly drive past our most local ones to find the "deal"
- We encourage retooling already existing gas stations with EV chargers and continue to allow permits for non-fuel facilities like convenience stores and car washes
- They also contribute to both air and soil pollution - of the estimated 450,000 brownfield sites in the US, ~1/2 are thought to be impacted by petroleum (mostly from leaking underground storage tanks at old gas stations) (EPA). Clean up can take months to years, depending on the extent of the contamination.
- This file has been languishing since 2021, and NCs have slowly added their support

DIRECTED TO: City Council and Committees, including the Energy and Environment Committee and the Planning and Land Use Management Committee

Katy Yaroslavsky and CD5

Traci Park and CD11



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ACTION/VOTE COUNT:

MVCC T&I Committee meeting, November 6th, 2024

Motion of support moved by Figone, seconded by Meuser

Motion of support approved by MVCC TI&S Committee 6Y-2N-1A

MVCC Board Meeting, January 24th, 2024

Motion of support moved by Director XXX, seconded by Director XXX

Motion of support approved by the MVCC Board XX-XX-XX

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