

Background Information – Motion to Support CF 21-1469-S2 / Sidewalk Repairs

Recommended motion in WRAC:

“ _____ NC/CC supports CF 21-1469-S2 in addressing the need for more cost effective and efficient processes for repairing sidewalks, which are dangerously risky throughout the Westside.”

Background:

Motion in City Council by Blumenfield/Lee:

https://clkrep.lacity.org/onlinedocs/2021/21-1469-S2_misc_9-20-23.pdf

Council File:

<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=21-1469-S2>

As explained in the Council File, the motion seeks a report back from BOE and Street Services on alternative, more expeditious and cost-effective measures to repair sidewalks that are not currently scheduled for repair (not “in the queue”).

Both Westside NC and Mar Vista CC have passed motions supporting CF 21-1469-S2. Their neighborhoods have experienced dangerous conditions with broken, damaged sidewalks, posing hazards for all pedestrians. A question was asked by Palms NC at the Roundtable with Mayor Bass this past June about what can be done to address the hazardous state of our sidewalks. These conditions are clearly present in all WRAC member council neighborhoods.

Jane Wishon/WNC member and rep to WRAC

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Chris Spitz, WRAC Vice-Chair

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