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## Harbor City Neighborhood Council Report August 19th, 2020

### Council

- [20-0553](#) (ITEM 6): Ordinance - add neglected vacant lots to the list of offenses citable by the ACE program, as an additional tool to discourage people from sitting on vacant lots that attract blight and in general waste valuable land.
- [20-0147-S53](#): FYI - transfer \$75 mil from the Public Works Trust Fund Loan for COVID-19 Emergency Response, to be reimbursed by FEMA.
- [20-0668](#) (ITEM 14): 2020 redistricting process - charter requires redistricting every ten years, following the Census. There is a strict timeline - districts must be redrawn and approved by Oct 2021 in order to meet the deadline for the 2022 primary election (unless primary moves from March to June, or Census Bureau needs more time). Redistricting commissions need to be formed by September 2020.
- [20-0941](#) (ITEM 29): Supplemental - The City is applying to the State's Homekey Program - up to \$250 million for interim housing for homeless individuals. CAO identified ~30 properties (Do not have info on where), the priority is units that can be occupied within 90 days.
- [20-0972](#): Motion - appropriate \$20 mil for the Targeted Local Hire Program. The funds come from previously-allocated \$133 million in LAPD budget cuts - this just sets the money aside for TLH.
- [20-0147-S7](#): Motion - continue to suspend parking restrictions for street sweeping, gridlock zone parking until Safer at Home order is lifted - this will be contentious because members want to resume enforcement on abandoned vehicles. Mayor's office also issued exec order on Friday covering this.
  - Relaxed enforcement is extended for the following categories:
    - Residential street sweeping
    - Expired registration
    - Overnight/Oversize parking districts
    - Peak/rush hour and gridlock zone parking restrictions
    - Ticket/tow for oversized/overnight parking
  - Enforcement continues for:
    - Metered parking

- Time limits within preferential parking districts for vehicles without a valid or recently-expired permit
  - Posted time limit zones in residential and commercial areas
  - All posted Temporary No-Parking signs
  - Blocking emergency access areas
  - Colored curb zones
  - Parking restrictions for City-owned lots
- [17-1125](#) (ITEM 16): LADOT report - dockless bikes and scooters. LADOT worked with a consultant to analyze the pilot program and present the guidelines for a permanent program, which includes major changes such as:
    - Cap of 3,500 devices (instead of 10k) with ability to increase if active in an equity zone
    - Operators will pay per *ride* (between .06 - .40 cents per ride) instead of per *device*
    - A new definition of “*disadvantaged community*,” which somehow barely includes CD15
    - New requirements to work with community based organizations and hire locally
    - Oversight will move to LADOT’s regulatory group (which monitors taxis and emergency vehicles)

### COVID-19

- <http://coronavirus.lacity.org/>
- [www.lacovidfund.org](http://www.lacovidfund.org)
- For Mayor Representative, Johanna Rodriguez briefings
  - [johanna.rodriquez@lacity.org](mailto:johanna.rodriquez@lacity.org)
  - Mayor Help Desk #: 213-978-1028

### Traffic Update

- Speed Hump Application - Sept. 16, 2020 8 am
  - <https://ladot.lacity.org/projects/safety-programs/speed-humps>

### Reporting

- Report street issues, homeless encampments, bulky items, etc.
  - Use MyLA311 app
  - MyLA311.lacity.org
  - Call 3-1-1
- Abandoned Vehicles
  - Due to COVID-19 - relaxed parking enforcement until October
  - Do not use 3-1-1 - the two are not correlated!

- 1-800-ABANDON for all abandoned vehicles
- Abandoned vehicles (800) 222-6366
- Blocked driveways (818) 374-4823
- Homeless encampments
  - Due to COVID-19 - Cannot do comprehensive cleanups
  - <https://www.lahsa.org/portal/apps/la-hop/> for outreach
    - Have a description of the person(s)
    - Size of the encampment
  - <https://myla311.lacity.org> for the clean up itself
    - Must have pictures and location.