



**PUBLIC REQUEST TO ADDRESS
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA**

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The following individuals submitted comments on agenda item:				
Agenda #	Relate To	Position	Name	Comments
21-B.		Favor	colin M campbell	<p>Jan 21, 2025 - Dear LA Board of Supervisors - Kathryn Bargers office, Gov Gavin Newsom, President Trump, Vice President Vance, Former (President Biden/VP Harris), Samantha Jessner, Mayor Bass: 21-B. Seeking State and Federal Assistance for the Los Angeles County Wildfires</p> <p>Could we use the 238.5 billion federal budget to bring forth our most powerful Artificial intelligence to assist with the fires as President Donald Trump has ordered us to create the Dept of Gov Efficiency- DOGE. We can use some of these funds to also help rebuild the buildings as well as coach citizens that need government assistance and also wish to use out AGI to help with healthcare and Justice. President Trump also requests to ensure that the dream of Dr Martin Luther King Jr be realized in our Judicial system as well.</p> <p>My team will customize the version of the 57 Information Aggressor squadron - US Cybercommand and limit visibility to the individuals jurisdiction. A key requirement is no one is allowed to use this tool to harm but to heal as in the hypocratic oath that medical doctors take when they become doctors at the graduation ceremony. I sent in screenshots of the Oracle Cloud Infrastructure that I have setup for this purpose as I did in Summer 2019 for project JEDI at LADWP.</p> <p>Respectfully submitted, Colin m campbell 420 el Coronado st South pasadena, ca 91030 Cell (530) 407-2715 Jan 21, 2025 10:00 am PST</p>
			Doktor N Musk	<p>\$MRTown collaboration between T\$L@ and LA County. Funding matching for local aid programs matched by Musk Foundation</p>



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21-B.		Favor	Eddie N Barber	<p>Dear LA County Board Of Supervisors,</p> <p>Thank you all for your service!</p> <p>However, on a more urgent matter, in light of the current fires situation (thousands of homes destroyed and thousands of Angelinos displaced), I'd like for you to please inform Mayor Bass (as well as all of the LA City Council Members and LA County Board of Supervisors) of the massive benefits to Angelinos if they would implement an Emergency Decree allowing LA City and County residents to live at their place of business.</p> <p>In the 1990's I was blessed to be instrumental in helping get zoning laws changed/modified to make it legal for folks to "Work from home" (please see story with CNN News report in forwarded message). The result was helping save countless lives, countless man-hours, Americans about \$10T (and counting) as well as remove about 5 billion tons of carbon emissions from our atmosphere and reduce crime and traffic. Changing laws to make it legal for folks to live where they work will have similar positive effects with ZERO DOWN SIDE!</p> <p>Thank you for your time and consideration, and awaiting your reply or call,</p> <p>Eddie Barber 818-640-7775 Creator/Teacher/Activist/Humanitarian</p>
			Roslin T Castell	I'm on the phone, Grant floor plz
			Zella Knight	As my family's generational home was destroyed in Altadena during the Eaton Fire, resulting from my adult special needs brother being displaced, my concerns lies in equitable distribution of the resources, geographically and demographically. NorthEast Altadena, Olive Harriet, Ventura, often times have not received fair and equitable resources. During this time where they will be challenges in the federal assistance under the new administration, whom has indicated desires to be counterproductive with diversity equity and inclusion, the focus must be to ensure that our vulnerable populations such as minority disabled are given priority, access opportunity and belonging. Ensuring equitable resources and supports is critical to building back better.
		Oppose	Monisha Parker	<p>Subject: Request for Conditions on Federal Assistance for Los Angeles County Wildfires</p> <p>Dear Board of Supervisors,</p> <p>We, the residents of Los Angeles County, are writing to express our deep concern regarding the handling of federal assistance designated for wildfire relief and recovery within our county. We believe, based on past experiences,</p>

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that the potential for mismanagement or misappropriation of these critical funds is a legitimate concern. Therefore, we respectfully request that the Board of Supervisors acknowledge and implement stringent conditions on the acceptance and allocation of all federal assistance related to the Los Angeles County wildfires.

We understand that federal aid often comes with its own set of stipulations aimed at ensuring responsible and effective use of funds, particularly in matters related to wildlife conservation and management. These conditions typically require adherence to specific conservation standards, promotion of sustainable practices, and the establishment of robust monitoring and reporting systems. Moreover, these funds often include stipulations about maintaining public access to natural areas and compliance with environmental laws such as the Endangered Species Act, and the Clean Water Act. We feel this same level of oversight and accountability is needed regarding the use of aid for wildfire recovery.

Specifically, we request that any federal assistance allocated for wildfire victims in Los Angeles County is subject to the following conditions, mirroring the common requirements for both environmental aid and aid for wildfire victims:

General Conditions:

1. **Transparency and Accountability:**All federal aid must be subject to public scrutiny with detailed reporting requirements made available to the public. Complete transparency in all expenditures and decision-making processes is vital.
2. **Dedicated Oversight Committee:**Establish an independent oversight committee comprised of residents, financial experts, and community leaders to monitor and audit how the federal aid is spent. This will promote accountability and prevent misuse of funds.
3. **Regular Audits:** Mandate regular and comprehensive audits of all funds received and allocated. These audits should be conducted by an independent, non-partisan third-party.
4. **Public Engagement:** Commit to regular public forums and updates where residents can voice concerns, ask questions, and receive transparent explanations about the usage of federal funds.

Specific Conditions for Housing and Financial Relief:

1. **Eligibility Criteria:** Ensure clear and well-publicized eligibility criteria with all allocations prioritizing those who have been directly impacted by the wildfires and that it prioritizes low-to-moderate-income households. Provide full documentation of all decisions.

			<p>2. Emergency Housing Assistance: Guarantee prompt and adequate temporary housing for displaced residents, coupled with detailed records of housing expenses incurred due to displacement.</p> <p>3. Mortgage Assistance: Facilitate and promote forbearance options and low-interest loan options for those affected, contingent on demonstrating the disaster's effect on victims' income and capacity to pay.</p> <p>4. Rebuilding Efforts: Require that financial assistance for rebuilding adhere to local building codes, with detailed plans for reconstruction, and that funding is allocated towards mitigation measures to prevent future disasters.</p> <p>5. Documentation & Verification: Insist on detailed documentation, including damage assessments, ownership proof, and income statements, with regular reviews of financial conditions for continued assistance.</p> <p>6. Use of Funds: Establish stringent requirements on how assistance funds will be used, such as housing repair, rebuilding, or paying down mortgage debt. Documentation of expenditures should be mandatory.</p> <p>7. Timelines and Deadlines: Implement a clear timeline for applications, and enforce deadlines for utilizing financial assistance, making sure this information is clearly available to the public.</p> <p>8. Local & State Coordination: Work closely with state and local programs to avoid duplication of effort. Make it mandatory to apply for these state and local programs first.</p> <p>9. Community Support & Counseling: Make it mandatory for recipients to participate in financial counseling and recovery assistance programs to make sure they understand their obligations.</p> <p>10. Regulatory Compliance: Make sure all recipients agree to comply with all federal, state, and local laws, with clear repercussions for non-compliance.</p> <p>We believe that by implementing these conditions, the Board of Supervisors can restore public trust in the handling of crucial federal funds and ensure a fair and equitable recovery for all residents impacted by the wildfires.</p> <p>Sincerely, The Concerned Residents of Los Angeles County</p>
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