



**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:				
45-A.		Favor	A Mckeon	Vote YES! People are fighting for their lives, this is the least we can do
			Adriana Bautista	LA is currently facing monumental crises. With our ever-predatory real estate market continuing to remain inflated due to PRICE GOUGING after the fires, we need protections for tenants that are meaningful and prevent homelessness. Keep LA safe as a roof over folks heads can really be the difference between life and death.
			Adriana Santos	I am fully in support of an eviction moratorium for all LA County Residents, including those who live in incorporated cities. People are struggling, and a housing crisis is unfolding. Many are on the brink of homelessness. Implementing an eviction moratorium will help people stay housed until things get better. Landlords will use loopholes such as renovictions to evict long-time residents, and other excuses during these hard times. It is important to keep those who are housed in their homes, and not on the streets. For those who cannot pay the rent, the rent relief program is a good start. However, others are paying the rent, are good tenants, but they are not protected if the landlord decides to use another tactic to evict them. We are in a housing crisis, and the fires and recent events have made things worse; therefore, I beg you to implement an eviction moratorium ASAP, and allow people to stay in their homes.
			Ana K Estrada	
			Anna Ferrarie	Please protect vulnerable LA County residents.
			Carlos Amador	
			ChiChi Navarro	
			Elizabeth Tunstall	My name is Elizabeth Tunstall. I am a constituent in the county of LA at the zip code 90015. I am requesting that you support emergency rental assistance AND an eviction moratorium in LA County while ICE is terrorizing our fire impacted county. Thank you Supervisors Horvath and Solis for the amendments to provide greater relief and community oversight to vulnerable communities due to the Fires and the ICE Raids.
			Isela Lopez	
			Itziry Flores	



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45-A.		Favor	Jason D Boxer	<p>Thank you to Supervisors Horvath and Solis for introducing this motion to report back on the feasibility of an eviction moratorium to support struggling tenants.</p> <p>Since June 6, ICE has detained over 4000 immigrants in the greater Los Angeles area. Immigrants are afraid to leave their homes for work, to run errands, or to shop at local businesses.</p> <p>People are struggling financially because they have lost their primary breadwinners. For families already living paycheck to paycheck, the loss of a single week of earnings could drive them to the brink of eviction.</p> <p>And we know that once the full impact of federal policy and tariffs are felt, more individuals may face difficult financial predicaments.</p> <p>As we continue to contend with our homelessness and housing affordability crises, we must work to keep people housed!</p> <p>I urge you to support Item 45a.</p>
			Jose Sanchez	
			Maddie Keyes-Levine	
			Marnie Olson	While people wait for solutions and relief, they are already in danger of being evicted. No one should have to choose between eviction and being kidnapped. At the very least, we must keep people housed. Removing the last sanctuary people have is cruel beyond measure.
			Marnie Olson	
			mingjia chen	
			Patrick Baker	
			Rose Lenehan	The Trump administration's plan to attack the immigrant communities that are the heart of Los Angeles has ICE as a first step and the economic crisis caused by ICE as a second step. We need to ensure that immigrant communities are safe in their homes and neighborhoods: safe from ICE and the federal government, and safe from their landlords and the LA County sheriffs who perform evictions. An eviction moratorium is something we can do to defend ourselves and our neighbors that is within the power of the Board of Supervisors and city councils. If you want to enable people to keep themselves safe, to keep families together, and to prevent the Trump administration from succeeding, support an eviction moratorium.



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			Sam Richardson	<p>My name is Sam Richardson, I live here in LA County. I lost my co-rented home and everything in the Eaton fire. I know the trauma of this loss, but I have not had to experience the harsh impact of ICE raids, which is affecting community members abilities to pay rent and live without fear.</p> <p>I support relief and a moratorium for ALL of Los Angeles, especially the immigrant community who is currently being terrorized by ICE. Families are being forced to choose between going to work and risking abduction—or staying home and facing eviction. Since the raids began, immigrant workers have lost an average of 60% of their income, and as of early August, 3 in 10 were more than a month behind on rent.</p> <p>Every day you stall, more families edge closer to losing their homes. Tenants are already on the verge of eviction.</p> <p>Vendors say they are living in fear, worried that if they go to work they will be kidnapped, but if they stay home they will be evicted.</p> <p>You have the power to keep people safe from Trump's terror. Please don't make people choose between kidnapping or eviction. Without rent relief immigrant families risk eviction or homelessness.</p> <p>We need urgent action. Rent relief is essential, but it is not enough on its own. An eviction moratorium is the only way to avoid the looming eviction crisis and keep Angelenos housed. The private housing market has shown it cannot absorb the shock of cascading crises like these, and without intervention, thousands more will face displacement.</p> <p>We need assistance for EVERYONE, we need to keep our communities and neighbors safe, and allow renters the ability to stay in their homes indefinitely. An eviction moratorium is essential.</p>
			Sam Richardson	
			Sandra Morales	This needs to happen ASAP.
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			Sergio Santos	An eviction moratorium is needed for the entire county, so people can stay in their homes, and it prevents homelessness.
			Vilma Santos	
			Vlad Carrasco	Communities across this county are facing compounding crisis, we need a solution that is intersectional and meets the scale of the moment.



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45-A.		Favor	Xochitl Cobarruvias	My name is Xochitl Cobarruvias and I'm with LCLAA Los Angeles. Thank you to Supervisors Horvath and Solis for introducing this motion to report back on the feasibility of an eviction moratorium to support struggling tenants. Since June 6, ICE has detained over 4000 immigrants in the greater Los Angeles area. Immigrants are afraid to leave their homes for work, to run errands, or to shop at local businesses. People are struggling financially because they have lost their primary breadwinners. For families already living paycheck to paycheck, the loss of a single week of earnings could drive them to the brink of eviction. I urge you to support Item 45a.
			Yanel Mengelle	
			Yaritza Gonzalez	
			Yessenia Cux	
		Oppose	Cindy H Berra	
			Hermina Astalis	<p>You will consider establishing an eviction moratorium for those that have been impacted by (ICE) activities. As a daughter of immigrants, I understand this impulse. But as the manager of over sixty apartments across LA County, there is no justification for this. There is no County data to justify such a widespread and far-reaching action covering all renters in LA County.</p> <p>The vast majority of renters are here legally and are not significantly impacted by ICE activities; imposing a moratorium for all renters in LA County is a gross government overreach. Furthermore, all of the cities impacted by ICE enforcement activities have elected City Councils responsible for creating local ordinances. The County should leave these cities to make their own decisions.</p> <p>The County is already considering an emergency rental assistance program (ERAP) on the same day as agenda item 12 to help those renters directly impacted by detainment and/or deportation. This is the right approach, rather than an unnecessary and excessive eviction moratorium.</p> <p>An eviction moratorium does not stop the costs of providing housing. An eviction moratorium will once again result in months of uncollected rent, and will drive more mom-and-pop owners who provide naturally occurring affordable housing out of business. During the Covid eviction moratorium we had to write off in excess of \$50,000 of uncollectable rents, which has affected our ability to invest in our tenants' homes.</p> <p>Housing providers are trying to adhere to the constantly changing regulations, but when we are told to subsidize government's failures yet again, it feels like an attack on our rights.</p>

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45-A.		Oppose	Juliana Astalis	As a small business owner with tenants , we can't afford to loose rents for any reasons. The expenses on keeping the apartments in good condition for the tenants are too much already, taxes , utilities and lately the insurances , are a big burden on us. Please reconsider and help us the house provides in this hard times for all of us. This measure if implemented will destroy us and the tenants will loose a big market of the small business that cater to them more efficiently that the big corporations with attorneys and answering machine.
			Juliana Astalis	I have worked to make safe and affordable housing available for over 40 years in LA. I am an immigrant, and many of my tenants are immigrants. We do not ask about their immigrations status - that is against the law. Providing an eviction moratorium to anyone who claims to be worried about ICE is too much. This was abused during the COVID moratorium which was extended again and again. Please do not risk my business yet again.
			Shawn D Mohler	Rental owners are still trying to recover from the COVID moratorium. Homeowners should not be forced to be the bank for their tenants. If the need is there then the City/County should provide direct rental assistance!
		Other	Byron Jose	
		Item Total	36	
Grand Total			36	



HUGO SOTO-MARTINEZ
Councilmember, Thirteenth District

September 15, 2025

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Honorable Supervisor,

Thank you for your leadership at the County and for all the work you do to improve the lives of Angelenos across the 88 Cities of Los Angeles. I look forward to our ongoing collaboration and partnership.

I'm writing to you in strong support of the motion exploring options for an eviction moratorium for tenants impacted by increased federal immigration enforcement actions in Los Angeles County, item 45-A on the September 16th Board Agenda.

This motion is both timely and necessary. As the motion details, since June 7, 2025, federal immigration enforcement actions have escalated in Los Angeles County, including raids that have uprooted families, disrupted workplaces, and spread fear in communities. These enforcement actions occur against the backdrop of an affordability and homelessness crisis, which was itself worsened by the January wildfires that destroyed over 12,000 homes.

I respectfully urge the Board to adopt the motion, and to ensure that any protections enacted are robust, enforceable, and safeguard any private information of impacted families.

Thank you again for your leadership, and for considering this important step toward protecting the stability and dignity of all residents of Los Angeles County. I look forward to continuing our shared service to Angelenos across the City and County.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hugo Soto-Martinez", with a decorative flourish at the end.

Hugo Soto-Martínez
Councilmember, 13th District
City of Los Angeles