



**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:				
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26.		Favor	Carmen Ibarra	Achievable Health, strongly supports agenda item 26: "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval" by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to direct the County to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act should voters approve the June 2026 sales tax measure. I want to thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents of LAC.
			Claudia Powell	On behalf of Planned Parenthood Advocacy Project Los Angeles County, we strongly support agenda item 26: "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval" by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to direct the County to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act should voters approve the June 2026 sales tax measure. We applaud the motion's emphasis on proactive program design in partnership with the Community Clinic Association of Los Angeles County (CCALAC). We thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents by building on the proven success of programs like My Health LA."
			Darryn Harris	<p>On behalf of St. John's Community Health, I strongly support Agenda Item 26, "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval," authored by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis. This motion reflects the kind of forward-thinking leadership Los Angeles County needs to ensure that, if voters approve Measure ER in June, the County is prepared to move quickly and effectively to deliver on its promise.</p> <p>Far too many low-income and uninsured residents across Los Angeles County already face significant barriers to timely, affordable care. Preparing now for implementation is both practical and necessary. We appreciate that this motion directs the Department of Health Services, in collaboration with the Department of Public Social Services and CCALAC, to develop the program design, including provider network, eligibility, payment structure, benefits, and oversight. That level of planning is essential to ensuring accountability, efficiency, and rapid rollout.</p> <p>Community health centers have long served as a trusted backbone of care for underserved communities. Building on proven models like My Health LA and partnering with nonprofit community providers will help the County expand access in a way that is community-based, cost-effective, and responsive to need. We thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership and urge the Board to support Agenda Item 26.</p>



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			Genevieve Filmardirossian	On behalf of South Central Family Health Center, we strongly support agenda item 26: "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval" by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to direct the County to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act should voters approve the June 2026 sales tax measure. We applaud the motion's emphasis on proactive program design in partnership with the Community Clinic Association of Los Angeles County (CCALAC). We thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents by building on the proven success of programs like My Health LA.
			Jennifer Chou	
			Katja Nelson	On behalf of APLA Health, we strongly support agenda item 26: "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval" by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to direct the County to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act should voters approve the June 2026 sales tax measure. We applaud the motion's emphasis on proactive program design in partnership with the Community Clinic Association of Los Angeles County (CCALAC). We thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents by building on the proven success of programs like My Health LA.
			Kazue Shibata	This is a very important financing strategy for the safety net, community clinics and the County. We must support this or we will have public health emergency, sick persons not in care, and poorly managed health conditions seeking care in County ER rooms just like 15+ years ago.

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26.		Favor	Tamra King	On behalf of Harbor Community Health Centers in San Pedro and Long Beach, we strongly support agenda item 26: "Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval" by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to direct the County to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act should voters approve the June 2026 sales tax measure. We applaud the motion's emphasis on proactive program design in partnership with the Community Clinic Association of Los Angeles County (CCALAC). We thank Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents by building on the proven success of programs like My Health LA.
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Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: SUPPORT – Item 26: Preparing to Immediately Implement the Essential Services Restoration Act Upon Voter Approval

Dear Chair and Members of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors:

On behalf of the Los Angeles LGBT Center, I write to express our strong support for the motion by Supervisors Holly J. Mitchell and Hilda L. Solis to prepare for immediate implementation of the Essential Services Restoration Act, should voters vote to approve the measure in June 2026.

Since 1969, the Center has cared for, championed, and celebrated LGBT individuals and families in Los Angeles and beyond. Today the Center's over 800 employees provide services for more LGBT people than any other organization in the world. The Center is one of the few Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) in the nation with providers who specialize in primary care, HIV/AIDS specialty care, women's care through the Audre Lorde Health Program, and trans specific care through the Trans Wellness Center. In addition, the Center covers a broad range of other services including, but not limited to, mental health, substance abuse, and housing navigation. Across all our programs, we see over 50,000 clients per month; or, over half a million visits each year. In this moment, the need for our services has never been greater.

The impacts of H.R. 1's cuts for critical safety net programs will be devastating to the Center's ability to serve our patients and our community. As Angelenos begin to fall through the cracks created by funding losses and H.R.1's new, burdensome Medicaid eligibility requirements, rates of uncompensated care will rise dramatically. Passage of the Essential Services Restoration Act is a critical first step to ensuring that safety net providers can keep their doors open. However, equally as important, is proactive program design to ensure that new tax revenue under the measure can be deployed immediately to reduce interruption to care. For providers, like the Center, that serve patients with complex health care needs, continuity of care is an urgent priority.

We thank the Board, and especially Supervisors Mitchell and Solis for their leadership in prioritizing access to essential health services for low-income, uninsured residents. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Jennifer Chou at jennifer.chou@lalgbtcenter.org.

Sincerely,

Joey Hernández
Director of Policy and Community Building
Los Angeles LGBT Center