

October 22, 2024

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Countywide Signature Dialogue Series Parking Fee Waiver

The County of Los Angeles (County) Department of Human Resources (DHR) and the Anti-Racism, Diversity, and Inclusion Initiative (ARDI) are co-hosting an event as part of the *Countywide Signature Dialogue Series*. This event is part of DHR’s ongoing forum related to Diversity, Inclusion, and Aceptance. The Signature Dialogue Series uses various methods, including media, speakers, storytellers, and panelists, to engage County employees in discussing societal topics that impact the workplace and the public we serve.

The County has articulated an anti-racist agenda that will guide, govern, and increase the County’s ongoing commitment to fighting racism in all its dimensions. While the County has made great strides in pushing forward its anti-racist agenda, more work is needed. As part of these efforts, ARDI and DHR will sponsor a facilitated conversation that will focus on the concepts of *othering* and *belonging* and guide the audience toward actionable strategies to better cultivate inclusivity and connectedness, reducing divisions based on differences. This event, entitled “Bridging Amidst Conflict: The Power of Belonging” features a keynote speech introducing the concept of *othering* and how it is a human reaction to fear designed to separate us, and then discuss the value of *belonging* and how as a public entity we are in a unique position to practice and model *belonging*.

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The County will hold this exciting in-person event on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, at the Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration, Board Hearing Room, 381-B.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors waive fees in the amount of \$20.00 per vehicle for up to 300 vehicles, excluding the cost of liability insurance, on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, at Lot #14 at the Music Center Garage, for attendees of this event.

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