

Bill 19 (2018)
Early Testimony

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 Meeting Date 04-11-2018
 Council/PH Committee Budget
 Agenda Item bill 19
 Your position on the matter Oppose
 Representing Self
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 Do you wish to speak at the hearing? No

Written Testimony Please defer Bill 19 that would begin a scheme of charging for trash pickup, something we all ready pay for. Also it would implement a bulky item pickup that will result in neighborhood dumps and impossible enforcement. The Mayor wanted \$5 per month under Bill 29 (2017) but now says he only needs \$5 and will use this to free up "cash" in the budget. The city of Los Angeles also started a charge for trash pickup of \$5 but has now grown to \$40 a month (\$480 a year). Property taxes grow every year so why use this stealthy means of raising our property taxes by creating a new fee? Please stop Bill 19 now.

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Written
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Please defer Bill 19. This attempt to charge fees for items that should be, as they always have been, covered by property taxes is just another way to pay for a bloated city budget. This is a really bad idea and will have unintended, but foreseeable, consequences. There are people that will not pay the fee. What will the penalty be? No garbage pickup? Imagine the stench coming from the back yards of those who have been cut off. What about bulky pickup? We have folks that break the rules now, it is inconceivable that there will not be a new trash dump on our streets every week if you start requiring payment for pick up. Stop this lunacy now. Defer this bill.

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Written Testimony I am opposed to Bill 19 as it relates to charging for trash pick up. First proposal was \$10. Now Bill 19 proposes \$5 fee to open the proverbial door to future increases which will never end. With residential property values always increasing the city automatically gets more money. The Mayor is banking on the average idiot taxpayer saying, "eh only fi dalla...can handle." Please vote NO! on Bill 19. After all we're not all idiots.

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