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**Re: EXPO LINE ACCESS: BICYCLES**

Dear Councilmembers:

At the regularly scheduled meeting held November 12, 2013, The Mar Vista Community Council approved the following policy motion by unanimous vote:

*Whereas Mar Vista Community Council supports the use of alternative modes of transportation to access the two Mar Vista-adjacent Expo Line Phase Two stations at Westwood and Sepulveda (Casden) to reduce traffic congestion, including the use of bicycles. However, unless there are clearly marked bike lanes along Sepulveda/Sawtelle and Westwood Boulevards, potential users of the Expo Line will either be discouraged from using the Expo Line, or they will place themselves and drivers at risk by biking along unmarked congested thoroughfares. Therefore, the Mar Vista Community Council requests that the Transit Neighborhood Plan being developed by the City of Los Angeles provide for safe, reliable bike lanes to and from the Westwood and Sepulveda (Casden) stations.*

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of the matter,

Sharon Commins, Chair  
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