



Letter of Support for Council File: 25-1457

Open and Slow Streets Program / Cycle 6 / Cycle 7 / Grant Application / Los Angeles County Metropolitan Authority

December 9, 2025

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Bicycle Advisory
Committee

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Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council,

On December 2, 2025, The City of LA's Bicycle Advisory Committee voted unanimously to support continued funding of Open and Slow street events like CicLAvia and seek sources of revenue to make these allocations a permanent budget allocation

On December 4, 2025, Laura Rubio-Cornejo, General Manager of the City of Los Angeles, Department of Transportation sent an inter-departmental memorandum also seeking support for Open and Slow Street events utilizing Cycle 6 & 7 grant program funds that are open to the City of LA.

Therefore, in consideration of this information, the LABAC supports the City Council and the Transportation Committee's efforts to continue the proud tradition of funding important Open and Slow Street events by seeking to provide interim and permanent funding for these critically important transportation alternatives

Sincerely,

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