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### Grievance Determination

**Grievant's Name:** Ruben Chavez

**Neighborhood Council:** LA32 Neighborhood Council

**Grievance Number:** 79

**Violation Alleged:** Neighborhood Council Bylaw Article V Governing Board, Section 6 Filling Vacancies

**Date of Viewing:** May 24, 2017

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The Department shall review a Grievance within seven calendar days of submission to determine whether the Grievance conforms to the Grievance Policy. Upon a determination that a Grievance conforms to the Policy, the Department shall certify the Grievance for disposition and notify the affected Neighborhood Council that the Grievance may proceed through the Grievance process established herein. The certification of a Grievance by the Department shall not be construed as a statement regarding the validity or invalidity of the Grievance.

This Grievance was reviewed by:

- 1). Jasmine Duckworth
- 2). Lorenzo Briceño

After reviewing Grievance #79, the Department will not forward the Grievance to the LA32 Neighborhood Council. Per the Department's Grievance Policy, "the Grievance process set forth in this section shall not be applicable to an allegation of wrongdoing by an individual member of a Neighborhood Council board or committee."

Please keep in mind, the Department will not process more than three Grievance Forms filed by the same person in any calendar year and **no more than five Grievance Forms filed by the same individual in any three year period.** Any Grievance you submit through the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment's Grievance Portal after the date of May 24, 2017 will not be processed by the Department until July 1, 2019.