



Grievance Determination

Grievant's Name: Ruben Chavez

Neighborhood Council: LA32 Neighborhood Council

Grievance Number: 41

Violation Alleged: Neighborhood Council Bylaw Article XIV Compliance Section 1, Board of Neighborhood Commissioners Policy (Code of Civility) and Department Policy.

Date of Viewing: May 16, 2017

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 #41, 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 alleged violation of state or federal law nor shall it be applicable to an allegation involving an action or inaction by a Neighborhood Council committee." Concerns regarding the Brown Act will not be processed via the Department's Grievance portal. Although the Grievance will not be processed through the Department's Grievance portal, your issues and concerns will be forwarded to the Project Coordinator of your Region. Assistance and training are readily accessible for individuals and Neighborhood Council boards.