

eComments Report for City Council Meeting Agenda of January 24, 2017

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PUBLIC COMMENT:	Jason Kantor	jckantor@aol.com			Long Beach	California	90803	I believe it is time for the city council to construct valid, legally sound and defensible ordinances to ban the so-called short term rentals (e.g. Airbnb) in our local residential neighborhoods. The City of Anaheim did just that. At present, violators in Anaheim are finding their electricity and water shut off if not in compliance. I see no reason why we can't do the same with gas and water in our city.	1/23/2017
3. (17-0037) Recommendation to approve the destruction of records for Long Beach Police Department; and adopt resolution.	Mary Monroy	mpress222@gmail.com			Long Beach	California	90815	I'm sure the records can be stored in the cloud. It is vital that public records are kept unless something is being hidden. This is not a good or transparent idea.	1/23/2017
7. (17-0041) Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to negotiate with interested Long Beach carriers or operators a financial agreement for the development of a Customs and Border Protection facility at the Long Beach Airport, subject to further City Council action approving the final terms and conditions of the agreement; and...	Eric Camarillo	le.trizak@gmail.com						As a resident of Long Beach and frequent business traveler (25 - 35 times a year through LGB). I strongly urge the City Council to oppose any efforts to install a FIS or change status to International. LGB offers the convenience, charm and efficiency that every traveler desires. LGB offers the best service of all surrounding airports which would be squandered if made international. More traffic, longer lines and wait times, increased pollution and loss of appeal can be expected. Please vote no.	1/24/2017
7. (17-0041) Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to negotiate with interested Long Beach carriers or operators a financial agreement for the development of a Customs and Border Protection facility at the Long Beach Airport, subject to further City Council action approving the final terms and conditions of the agreement; and...	George Rojas	georgerojas76@hotmail.com			Long Beach	California	90815	Please do not expand international flights to the local airport. My family and I recently moved from downtown to College Estates and the airplane noise is so intense it makes city noise sound relaxing.	1/24/2017

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7. (17-0041) Recommendation to authorize City Manager, or designee, to negotiate with interested Long Beach carriers or operators a financial agreement for the development of a Customs and Border Protection facility at the Long Beach Airport, subject to further City Council action approving the final terms and conditions of the agreement; and...	Donna Kietzer	dlkietzer@aol.com			Long Beach	California	90803	We would like to register our support for adding a Customs Facility at the Long Beach Airport and maintaining the current noise ordinance.	1/23/2017
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