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Dear City of Los Angeles Officials:

It is my pleasure to provide this letter of support for Reese Davidson Community, Venice Community Housing and Hollywood Community Housing's proposal to build 140 apartments for low-income and formerly homeless households on the current City-owned parking lot at 116-302 E. North Venice Boulevard, 2102 - 2120 S. Pacific Avenue, 116 - 302 E. North Venice Boulevard, 2106 -2116 S. Canal Street, and 319 E. South Venice Boulevard in Venice, California. The City Planning Case Application number is CPC-2018-7344-GPAJ-VZCJ-HD-SP-SPP-CDP-MEL-WDI-SPR and has related environmental (ENV-2018-6667-EIR) and tract map (No. 82288) review.

With the new construction of 68 supportive housing apartments for those experiencing homelessness, 34 apartments for low-income artists, 34 apartments for other low-income households, and 4 apartments for staff living on site, Reese Davidson Community will help continue to address the overwhelming need for supportive housing for people who are homeless and chronically homeless, especially in Venice and throughout the Westside of Los Angeles, one of the regions most underserved by affordable and supportive housing development. With supportive services within the building, community rooms for tenants and the community, art spaces and public art, community-serving retail space, and the complete replacement of public parking, Reese Davidson will provide much-needed housing in a unique and inviting environment for residents and the public to enjoy.

I strongly support this project because it will house low-income and unhoused people in great need, including low-income artists, who play an integral role in the diverse culture of Venice. Los Angeles needs to focus more attention on this critical problem and developments like the Reese Davidson Community are part of the solution. By investing in supportive and affordable housing, we make our communities safer, healthier, and more inclusive.

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