



LOS ANGELES EQUINE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Stefanie Smith, Chair, Department of Recreation and Parks

Committee member
Scott Perez

Representing:
Mayor Karen Bass

	<u>District</u>	<u>Council member</u>	<u>Committee member</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Council member</u>
T. Hagans	1 ST	Eunisses Hernandez	VACANT	09 th	Curren D. Price Jr.
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David Ramey, DVM	5 th	Katy Yaroslavsky	Gene Gilbert	13 th	Hugo Soto-Martinez
Mary Benson	6 th	Imelda Padilla	VACANT	14 th	Kevin de León
Stephanie Saporito	7 th	Monica Rodriguez	Sabrina Silver	15 th	Tim McOsker
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Vince Bertoni;
LA City Planning Director
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LA City Planning Commission

The Equine Advisory Committee (EAC) was approved unanimously by the City Council on February 6, 2009 (CFI 07-4097). Members of the Committee are appointed by their respective Council members and Mayor. The EAC was envisioned by Mayor Villaragosa similar to the Bicycle Advisory Committee on equestrian issues. One of the most important issues to both the EAC and members of the public is that of preserving the use of recreational trails that can be safely used for horseback riding.

As you are aware SB 423 has gone into effect January 1, 2024. It over rides SB 35 in horse keeping areas. The LA Equine Advisory Committee has a committee that is working on these horse keeping areas to preserve their horse keeping rights with SB 423. In this process the LAEAC has been working on closing the gap of horse keeping areas that will be affected.

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The LAEAC would like to set up a meeting with the head of planning, Vince Bertoni or his staff and the LA City Planning Commission to go over these areas and clarify the mapping of these horse keeping areas.

*We would like to clarify Community Plans, General Plans and Zoning Plans in the City of LA that are eligible for horse keeping and that are affected for SB 423.

*Request an updated map of Equestrian properties and Zones.

*ZI 2438 also needs to be added to the Specific Plan and modified for expressing individual properties for horse keeping.

Please Contact us to schedule a meeting.

Sincerely,

Dave Ramey
President LAEAC

CC:
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