Hello,

I'm reaching out this morning to request that <u>agenda item #4, Legistar</u> <u>#83626</u> on tomorrow's agenda be referred to the July 17, 2024 meeting.

The action item detail notes:

EQUITY GOAL IMPACTS The rate increase could have a negative impact on those experiencing financial hardship.

The reason for the request is so that the Transportation Commission can complete two requests:

- 1. If it hasn't been done, complete and share an equity analysis on the impact the increase may have on surrounding nonprofits that are serving low to moderate-income families and individuals through various programming offerings happening at the same time these special events are happening.
- 2. For the Transportation Commission to study and create potential solutions to offset the financial impacts on surrounding nonprofits, and low to moderate-income families/individuals visiting the area during special events.

After speaking with local nonprofit staff who will be affected by the increases I learned that they're also greatly impacted by the large buses that routinely park in the area during these special events, which take up lower cost-free or metered parking. So not only will lower income folks be negatively impacted by the larger fees, but large buses related to these events are granted special parking permits which take up more affordable options to park.

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