

New eComment for City Council Meeting (Closed Session - 6:00 PM and Regular Meeting - 7:00 PM)

Hannah Nabbout submitted a new eComment.

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Item: 5b) REPORT 18-0419 NUISANCE ABATEMENT OF PROPERTY AT 725 CYPRESS
(Community Development Director Ken Robertson)

eComment: Dear council members, I am writing as a concerned Hermosa resident to express my full support of Crossfit Horsepower. My fiancé and I resided at 708 Loma Drive for a year and a half (2016-2018). Being located directly behind the gym, we have a good understanding of the noise situation (or lack thereof) and therefore we felt compelled to weigh in on the controversy over the disturbance complaints. We moved here in December of 2016, and since that time, we have not felt disturbed by noise from the gym, or any of the surrounding businesses for that matter. The only disturbances I might have a complaint about was the constant construction going on around us, but we were understanding about that, as the work was done during somewhat reasonable hours. What we noticed immediately and appreciated most was how peaceful and quiet the neighborhood was (not counting the times construction was going on, of course). We both became members of Crossfit Horsepower in February 2017, and have not looked back since. We didn't know anyone in the area, and the gym was able to provide an incredible sense of community that welcomed us with open arms. We have been consistent members since, and cannot imagine not having this haven to go to every day. In October 2017, my fiancé was hired as a coach and we become even more connected to the community. Because of this, I was able to see first-hand that the coaches and staff spend countless hours working together to come up with solutions to make the surrounding residents happy and at peace. There are several rules the gym has put in place—rules that do not exist at other Crossfit gyms—in order to eliminate anything that might be considered a disturbance. Their care and consideration for those in the community is very apparent, and I know that if the gym continues to remain open, they will always be willing to hear the concerns of the community, and work together to find a solution. I am so grateful for the council's efforts to hear the concerns of Hermosa residents, and work to make the community the best possible place to live. Because of your work, we as Hermosa residents have a wonderful place to live, and for that we thank you. As a Hermosa resident, one in such close proximity to the gym, I want to express to you my full support of Crossfit Horsepower, and urge you to consider what a blessing to the community it is. Thank you for your time and support. Please feel free to reach out with any questions.

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