From: Executive Admin < admin@metrodeep.com >

Sent: Wednesday, August 7, 2024 4:04 PM

To: dencc - City Council < dencc@denvergov.org > Subject: [EXTERNAL] AFFORDABLE DENVER PROPOSAL

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Dear Members of Denver City Council,

We, at Metro DEEP, are writing to you today to share both our appreciation for the work you are doing and to encourage you to support the Affordable Denver proposal.

We have all seen this city we know and love grow tremendously over the last few years. We have also seen and felt firsthand how hard it can be to keep pace – 90% of Denverites say the cost of housing is a top concern. These are college grads and people working second jobs. These are nurses, first responders, teachers, artists, restaurant servers and construction workers. These are people who have lived here for two years, and these are people who have lived here for 20 years.

These are the people we trust to teach our children, who we rely on in a crisis, and who take care of us when we're sick. These are not people who should be worrying about making the rent.

We believe the Affordable Denver fund is a major step toward addressing this issue and investing in Denverites.

We cannot afford to lose future generations to a lack of affordable housing, which means we cannot afford to wait any longer to take action. We urge you to join your colleagues and others across the city in supporting this proposal.

Sincerely, Metro DEEP From: President@lodona.org < President@lodona.org>

Sent: Wednesday, August 7, 2024 3:32 PM

To: dencc - City Council <dencc@denvergov.org>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Vote for the referral of the affordable housing sales tax to the voters

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Hello council members-

Thank you so much for your public service and tireless efforts on behalf of the city, it's resident and visitors!!

Your public service is duly noted and much appreciated!!!

I write to ask for your vote to refer the affordable housing sales tax to the voters.

The attention that the city is now getting in many efforts seeking to resolve affordable housing is exciting!

Hopefully, we can make progress to make the city where all can live affordably.

Sincerely,

Jerry Orten
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Lower Downtown Neighborhood Association - for a thriving LoDo!

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