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I am writing you because 18 people were murdered by LAPD in 2021.

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**Did you know Garcetti has increased the LAPD budget by over \$520 million since he took office? Yes you read that correctly: \$520 million! Meanwhile, the number of people who become unhoused, the number of deaths related to being unhoused, and LAPD violence against unhoused people HAS ALL INCREASED AND CONTINUES TO INCREASE.** LAPD murders also increased in 2021, and numerous killings by police of folks who were in crisis. Please tell me how you all believe it’s acceptable to increase funding to an entity that is literally killing people in increasing numbers year after year.

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Disgustedly,

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Thank you from a concerned citizen

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**General Public Comment: LAPD Killings**

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