

# Memo

To: Mayor & City Council  
Marianna Marysheva, Interim City Manager

From: Larry Agran, Councilmember LA

Date: January 20, 2021

**Re: Request for a City Council Study Session regarding the continuing operations of the All American Asphalt plant**

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The continuing operations of the All American Asphalt plant in the northern part of Irvine – and the impacts on Irvine residents from associated airborne noxious emissions – have been a subject of City Council concern and attention for some time.

The plant's operations continue to generate hundreds of resident complaints, and countless expressions of concern, not just about noxious odors but also about adverse health effects.

Organized residents and resident representatives, including their UCI expert consultants, recently requested that the City Council schedule a Council study session to publicly explore the matter, with ample opportunity for residents, City staff and others to present information and ideas about problem-solving. While our City staff continues to communicate openly with the residents, it is my understanding that there has been no response to the specific request for a study session.

Accordingly, I take this opportunity to request that the Mayor arrange for a public study session either as a separate agenda item that is part of a regular Irvine City Council meeting, or as the exclusive agenda item at a special City Council meeting called by the Mayor. In either case, I believe a public study session should be scheduled at the earliest opportunity.

Thank you for your consideration.