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I submit this note as part of the record for the Los Altos City Council Legislative Subcommittee meeting calendared for Monday, September 5, 2022. Please include this note as part of the official record for the meeting and the meeting packet.

I object to the Los Altos City Council Legislative Subcommittee meeting on Monday, September 5, 2022 for the following reasons:

1. Notice for the meeting was posted on Friday, September 2, 2022. This is a Friday before a long, holiday weekend;
2. The meeting is set to take place on Labor Day which is a national holiday;
3. City staff is being forced to give up a holiday so that they can set up, support, record, and post the video of the meeting;
4. The extremely short notice for this meeting violates the City's policy of giving at least 8 days' notice prior to a meeting; and
5. The agenda does not include discussion of the two ballot measures that the Council directed the subcommittee to consider.

I ask that the September 5, 2022 Los Altos City Council Legislative Subcommittee meeting be taken off calendar and that the matter be referred for consideration by the Council's open government subcommittee.

Simply put, this meeting lacks transparency. I anticipate a statement by the subcommittee that notice was given in accordance with the requirements of the Brown Act. In response, I will end this note with the observation that just because something is legal, that does not mean it is ethical.

Sincerely:

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