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## COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Upon submission, the Council Agenda Item Request form will be routed to the City Manager, City Attorney, and City Clerk for review and will be added to the next Rules Subcommittee meeting agenda.

September 16, 2019

Mayor Tran

Councilmember Montano

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**Requested Date**

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**City Council Members Submitting Request**

☒ **Urgent Item** Reason for Urgency Public Nuisance/Noise Pollution

**Time frame for the item to be heard** ASAP  
(e.g., within 60 days or within 2 Council meetings)

**Alignment with Council Priority Area(s):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development and Job Growth          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environment                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Neighborhoods and Housing         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transportation and Transit | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Community Wellness and Open Space |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Governance and Administration         |   |

**Name of Item:**

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Union Pacific Railroad Quiet Zone

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**Item Description:**

Enter item description and why the item is being requested for Council consideration. To ensure compliance with the Brown Act, no position on the item should be included in the item description.

Pursuant to regulations adopted by the Federal Railroad Authority ("FRA"), a public authority, such as the City, may establish a quiet zone if it equips the proposed grade crossing with adequate safety measures to overcome the decrease in safety created by silencing the train horns. The additional safety measures must be constructed at the City's own expense and must meet Federal specifications.