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Good evening,
My name is Delia Morales, I live at 12721 Carinthia Dr, in the Starlight Estates neighborhood.

I am referencing #9.A.

According to the recent LA County Fire Maps, our community is in the **FIRE RED ZONE**.

We have a STR on our street and maybe more that I am not aware of.

I have personally seen visitors at our local STR climbing the fence to enter the back yard. My regret is not taking pictures.

The visitors are loud, drink and smoke outside the front yard with no regard for the safety of our neighborhood-we tax payers and voters deserve better representation from our elected officials.

I have been dealing with the STRs issue since our first meeting with Brian Saeki and Octavio Martinez in 2025.

It is unbelievable this issue HAS NOT BEEN SETTLED.

I am expecting our elected officials to protect Whittier and specifically the Starlight Estates neighborhood and other **FIRE RED ZONE** neighborhoods not allow to have STRs.

If I wanted to live with short terms rentals I would have purchased my home near a hotel/motel.

This is a residential neighborhood and I personally don't want my home or neighborhood to burn due to negligent STR renters.

We need our City Council members and Mayor to do the right thing and protect us. Not give in to the STR investors.

As a Whittier tax payer and voting constituent for close to 40 years, this is very personal.

Please protect us!



Delia O. Morales