



City Manager's Office

MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 4, 2024

TO: Mayor and City Council

THROUGH: Doug Thornley, City Manager Approved Electronically

FROM: Cynthia Esparza, Chief Equity & Community Relations Officer

SUBJECT: February 28, 2024, City Council Public Comment

At the February 28, 2024, City Council meeting, Mr. John Kukulica, a community member, provided public comment regarding encampment activity adjacent to Union Pacific train tracks and on their property in the East 4th Street and Dickerson Road area. The following is an update on the public comment:

- The photos displayed were confirmed as Union Pacific property.
- The Karma Box Project will not be conducting a clean-up on the property.
- Code Enforcement will continue issuing citations until the issue is resolved.
- Mr. Kukulica was updated, understood the issue, and permitted his contact information to be shared with Union Pacific staff.

A comprehensive overview of this issue was addressed in a Council memo dated February 28, 2024. Furthermore, due to ongoing activity and adverse weather conditions, outreach teams have continued providing assistance and offering transportation to individuals in this area.