

Los Angeles City Council, Journal/Council Proceeding

Friday, September 30, 2022

JOHN FERRARO COUNCIL CHAMBER ROOM 340. CITY HALL 200 NORTH SPRING STREET. LOS ANGELES. CA 90012 - 10:00 AM

(For further details see Official Council Files)

(For communications referred by the President see Referral Memorandum)

Roll Call

Members Present: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (10); Absent: Bonin, Cedillo, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (5)

Approval of the Minutes

Commendatory Resolutions, Introductions and Presentations - SEE ATTACHED

Multiple Agenda Item Comment

Public Testimony of Non-agenda Items Within Jurisdiction of Council

Items for which Public Hearings Have Been Held

(1) 21-1419
CDS

CATEGORICAL EXEMPTION, PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to a Third Amendment to a Development Agreement for the property located in the Wilshire Community Plan at 8700 Beverly Boulevard (8575 West 3rd Street; 8723 West Alden Drive; 8660 - 8730 West Beverly Boulevard; 110 North George Burns Road; 103 - 139 South George Burns Road; 8705 - 8750 West Gracie Allen Drive; 111 North San Vicente Boulevard).

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. FIND that based on the whole of the administrative record, the project is exempt from California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15302, Class 2, and there is

no substantial evidence demonstrating that an exception to a categorical exemption pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Section 15300.2 applies.

2. ADOPT the FINDINGS of the Los Angeles City Planning Commission (LACPC) as the Findings of Council.

3. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE, dated April 20, 2022, authorizing the execution of a Third Amendment to Development Agreement by and between the City of Los Angeles and Cedars-Sinai Medical Center relating to real property in the Wilshire Community Plan area, to incorporate the addition of a new 405,000 square-foot hospital wing with 203 inpatient beds pursuant to California's Alfred E. Alquist Hospital Facilities Seismic Safety Act, which requires that, by 2030, all acute care hospitals in California be able to withstand a major earthquake and remain functioning, the term of the development agreement will also be extended to August 11, 2038, to allow for this expansion, for the property located in the Wilshire Community Plan at 8700 Beverly Boulevard (8575 West 3rd Street; 8723 West Alden Drive; 8660 – 8730 West Beverly Boulevard; 110 North George Burns Road; 103 – 139 South George Burns Road; 8705 – 8750 West Gracie Allen Drive; 111 North San Vicente Boulevard).

Applicant: Richard B. Jacobs, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

Representative: Jeffrey Haber and Michael Nytzen, Paul Hastings **LLP**

Case No. CPC-2008-619-ZC-DA-M1

Environmental No. ENV-2021-3513-CE

Related Case: CPC-2021-3512-VZC-VCU

Fiscal Impact Statement: The LACPC reports that there is no General Fund impact as administrative costs are recovered through fees.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Planning and Land Use Management Committee Report; Ordinance held over to Friday, October 7, 2022 for a second reading

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

(2) 21-0890

ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to various presentations from appropriate City departments regarding the Electric Vehicle (EV) Master Plan.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. NOTE and FILE the September 13, 2022 Bureau of Street Services (BSS) and Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) reports; and, the September 8, 2022 Department of General Services (GSD) and September 9, 2022 Department of Recreation and Parks (RAP) reports, relative to the EV Master Plan.
2. INSTRUCT the Los Angeles Fire Department, Los Angeles Police Department, GSD, and the City Administrative Officer (CAO), with the assistance of the RAP, Bureau of Sanitation, BSS, and Department of Transportation, to review proposed Municipal Improvement Corporation of Los Angeles vehicle purchases scheduled within the Fiscal Year 2022-23 budget, and identify fossil fuel vehicles that should instead be electric and or carbon free.
3. INSTRUCT the Information Technology Agency to report in the next EV Master Plan update, in coordination with the GSD, on the communication technology needs for EV adoption.
4. INSTRUCT the GSD, with the assistance of the CAO and Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA), to include in the next EV Master Plan update background on all other client departments, including updates from the four largest fleets, and that the report should include details on vehicle leasing as well as purchases.
5. INSTRUCT the GSD, Bureau of Engineering, and LADWP to include in the next update, details on electrical load and infrastructure needs related to EV infrastructure adoption.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the CAO nor the CLA has completed a financial analysis of this report

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(3) **21-0352**

ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Strategic Long Term Resource Plan that achieves 100 percent carbon-free energy by 2035; and related matters.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. NOTE and FILE the August 25, 2022 Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) report relative to the Strategic Long Term Resource Plan that achieves 100 percent carbon-free energy by 2035.
2. REQUEST the LADWP to:
 - a. Report in six months from September 1, 2022, to the Energy Climate Change, Environmental Justice, and River Committee with an updated report card, including the following components: a visualization of a 365 days a year, each day of the calendar year, Renewable Portfolio Standard data, in order to clearly communicate to the public the City's renewable energy mix in an online interactive manner, easily accessible via personal computer or cellular phone.
 - b. Discuss and collaborate with environmental advocacy and environmental justice partners, such as but not limited to the Sierra Club, Physicians for Social Responsibility Los Angeles, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Locals 18 and

11; and, to include comment and suggestions on the next report card.

- c. Report and present their findings and recommendations at the conclusion of the LADWP's Strategic Long Term Resource Plan.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Not applicable.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(4) **19-0775**

CDs 1, 2, 5, 13, 14 ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the feasibility of reinstating the Illegal Dumping Reward Program and its inclusion in the Livability Services efforts to mitigate illegal dumping.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare an ordinance to amend Section 1, Article 2.1 of Chapter 12 of Division 19 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code, titled Illegal Dumping Reward Program, to implement the following changes to the program:
 - a. Establish a tiered reward system based upon the following categories:
 - i. If there is not enough evidence to proceed with an enforcement action or the enforcement action is unsuccessful, a person/witness is not eligible to receive a reward.

- ii. If the enforcement action is an uncontested conviction, but the City receives no monies before forwarding the matter to Collections, the person/witness may receive a nominal reward payment of \$25.
 - iii. If the infraction citation results in a conviction and the City collects any monies, the person/witness may receive a nominal reward payment of \$50 or half of all monies collected capped at a maximum total amount of \$500, whichever is greater.
 - iv. If the misdemeanor or felony enforcement action results in a conviction and the City collects any monies, the person/witness may receive a nominal reward amount of \$100 or half of all monies collected capped at a maximum total amount of \$1,000, whichever is greater.
 - v. Authorize the Board of Public Works to be designated to administer the nominal amounts for the illegal dumping reward program. All other reward amounts must continue to be authorized and approved by the City Council.
- b. Allow the collected funds to be utilized for community beautification, public improvements, reward payments, public outreach, and to support enforcement efforts, with 10 percent of the collected funds to be apportioned by Council District.
 - c. Allow the applicant to provide contact information on the reward application form that does not include a home address.
2. REQUEST the Controller, and INSTRUCT the City Clerk and applicable City departments to allow the Illegal Dumping Enforcement Program fund to accept funds from the Los Angeles Superior Court from adjudicated cases to support the reward program.
 3. DIRECT the Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) to evaluate and implement

a public outreach campaign and include information about the Illegal Dumping Reward Program in all appropriate community outreach, social media, and other notices to the community to provide awareness of the program and encourage participation, subject to available funding.

4. PROVIDE \$20,000 in funding to the Illegal Dumping Reward Program and Trust Fund to provide initial funding for payment of rewards and public outreach.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the BOS. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(5) **22-0650**

ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to instructing City departments who engage with trees to report on the best practices for long-term tree maintenance and cost impact analysis due to water scarcity.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Blumenfield - Koretz - Krekorian - O'Farrell):

1. INSTRUCT the City's Chief Forest Officer to partner with Bureau of Street Services, Urban Forestry Division, the Department of Recreation and Parks, Bureau of Sanitation and its Biodiversity Expert panel, the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP), and other City departments who engage with trees, to report on:
 - a. Best practices for the long-term maintenance of the City's street trees and trees in City parks in light of persistent and

worsening water scarcity conditions.

- b. A cost impact analysis of City trees that are lost due to water scarcity conditions.
 - c. A proactive strategy to mitigate heat impacts on the City's trees, including but not limited to an updated planting schedule, prioritizing the receipt of tree planting in-lieu fees during sub-optimal planting seasons, mulching, holistic organics-first integrated pest management and disease prevention strategies, and prohibiting the trimming of live growth, except to address public safety issues.
 - d. A concerted plan to address tree maintenance at public facilities (i.e. public housing facilities and parks) that are relied upon for cooling, recreation and enjoyment, and where trees in our region have the opportunity to grow the largest and provide the most benefits.
 - e. On the feasibility of developing a robust outreach and education campaign to encourage City residents to responsibly and appropriately maintain trees on private property.
2. REQUEST the LADWP to report on a public messaging strategy emphasizing that the City is in a new era of long-term "water scarcity" and should plan accordingly for future scarcity exacerbated by an unpredictable heating climate.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For:
Chatsworth Neighborhood Council
Westside Neighborhood Council
Reseda Neighborhood Council

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (O); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(6) **22-0947**

ENERGY, CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE, AND RIVER COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Inflation Reduction Act and funding opportunities for Climate Policy goals, and analysis of impacts to current policies and initiatives towards LA 100 and all related carbon free initiatives.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (O'Farrell - Martinez - Krekorian - Price):

1. INSTRUCT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) to report on the Inflation Reduction Act, with recommendations for City departments to maximize funding opportunities that further Climate Policy goals aimed at eliminating greenhouse gasses, adopting renewable technology, and creating a carbon free city.
2. REQUEST the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power to report with an analysis on the impacts to current policies and initiatives towards LA100 and all related carbon free initiatives, including incentives, including recommendations to greatly enhance residential and commercial incentives.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the CAO nor the CLA has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For: Westside Neighborhood Council

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (O); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee,

Price Jr. (4)

(7) **22-0574**
CD 11

SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (SCEA), MITIGATION MEASURES, MITIGATION MONITORING PROGRAM (MMP), RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL FINDINGS, and PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a SCEA request for the future development of the proposed 6521 South Sepulveda Boulevard Project (Project), for the properties located at 6501-6521 South Sepulveda Boulevard and 6502-6520 South Arizona Avenue.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. FIND, pursuant to Public Resources Code (PRC), Section 21155.2, after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, including the SB 375 SCEA, ENV-2021-4938-SCEA, and all comments received, after imposition of all mitigation measures, that:
 - a. There is no substantial evidence that the Project will have a significant effect on the environment.
 - b. The City Council held a hearing on September 20, 2022 for adoption of the SCEA pursuant to PRC Section 21155.2(b)(6).
 - c. The Project is a transit priority project pursuant to PRC Section 21155, and the Project has incorporated all feasible mitigation measures, performance standards, or criteria set forth in prior Environmental Impact Report(s) (EIR), including the 2020-2045 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP)/Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS) Program EIR, SCH No. 2019011061.
 - d. All potentially significant effects required to be identified in the initial study have been identified and analyzed in the SCEA.
 - e. With respect to each significant effect on the environment required to be identified in the initial study for the SCEA, changes or alterations have been required in or incorporated

into the Project that avoid or mitigate the significant effects to a level of insignificance or those changes or alterations are within the responsibility and jurisdiction of another public agency and have been, or can and should be, adopted by that other agency.

f. The SCEA reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City.

g. The mitigation measures have been made enforceable conditions on the Project.

2. FIND that the Project complies with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act for using the SCEA as authorized pursuant to PRC Section 21155.2(b).

3. ADOPT, pursuant to PRC Section 21155.2, the SCEA and the MMP prepared for the SCEA, for the proposed demolition and removal of all existing structures from the project site, with the exception of the existing Dinah's Family Restaurant building on the project site (that would be preserved and renovated in place) and some existing signage, and development of the site with an eight-story, 362-unit multi-family residential building, with approximately 3,700 square feet of ground-floor restaurant space fronting Sepulveda Boulevard, of the 362 proposed units, 41 would be restricted to Very Low Income households, the proposed new building would total approximately 365,623 square feet, which along with the existing Dinah's Family Restaurant, would result in a floor area ratio of 3.85:1, would reach 96 feet and 4 inches in height as measured to the top of the elevator structure, and, would require the export of approximately 30,000 cubic yards of soil; for the properties located at 6501-6521 South Sepulveda Boulevard and 6502 - 6520 South Arizona Avenue.

Applicant: Ed McCoy, FRH Realty, LLC

Representative: Jonathan Lonner, Burns & Bouchard, Inc.

Case No. CPC-2021-4937-CU-DB-SPR-WDI -HCA

Environmental No. ENV-2021-4938-SCEA

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the DCP. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For if Amended: Neighborhood Council of Westchester Playa

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(8) **18-1101
CD S**

NEGATIVE DECLARATION, PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE REPORT, and ORDINANCE FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to amendments to the Westwood Village Specific Plan and the Westwood Design Review Board Specific Plan.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. FIND, pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines Section 15074(b), after consideration of the whole of the administrative record, including the Negative Declaration, No. ENV-2021-815-ND and all comments received, that there is no substantial evidence that the project will have a significant effect on the environment; FIND that the Negative Declaration reflects the independent judgment and analysis of the City; and, ADOPT the Negative Declaration.
2. ADOPT the FINDINGS of the Los Angeles City Planning Commission (LACPC), as set forth in the LACPC report dated March 1, 2022 in the Council file, as the Findings of Council.
3. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE, dated September 14, 2022, amending the Westwood Village Specific

Plan, established by Ordinance No. 164,305 and amended by Ordinance Nos. 167,407 and 176,177, and amending the Westwood Design Review Board Specific Plan established by Ordinance No. 163,204.

Applicant: City of Los Angeles

Case No. CPC-2021-795-SP

Environmental No. ENV-2021-815-ND

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the City Attorney nor the LACPC. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

Against unless Amended: Westwood Neighborhood Council

For: North Westwood Neighborhood Council

Adopted as amended by Motion (Koretz – O'Farrell); Ordinance held over to Friday, October 7, 2022 for a second reading

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

Items for which Public Hearings Have Not Been Held - (10 Votes Required for Consideration)

(9) **22-1030**
CD 13

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR, ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REPORT relative to setting the operating hours for Silver Lake Meadows Park, located at 2543 Armstrong Avenue, to open at Sunrise and close at Sunset.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (O'Farrell - Lee):

1. ESTABLISH the hours of operation at Silver Lake Meadows Park,

located at 2543 Armstrong Avenue, Los Angeles, California 90039 in Council District 13, as opening at Sunrise and closing at Sunset.

2. INSTRUCT the Department of Recreation and Parks to prominently post the aforementioned hours at Silver Lake Meadows Park.
3. REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare and present an Ordinance to add Silver Lake Meadows to the list of parks closed at various times, as specified in the Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 63.44.
4. REQUEST the Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners to concur with the above recommendations.
5. INSTRUCT the Los Angeles Park Rangers to enforce the new park hours at Silver Lake Meadows park.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(10) **22-0497**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR, ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE relative to the Older Adults Recovery and Resilience (OARR) grant funds from the California Department of Aging (CDA), and Standard Agreement IF-2223-25.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the General Manager, Los Angeles Department of Aging (Aging), or designee, to:
 - a. Accept the CDA OARR funds; to execute Standard

Agreement IF-2223-25 and any unilateral amendments to the subgrant agreement, subject to review and approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality, and in compliance with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 14.8 et seq. (City grant regulations); and, to authorize the proposed OARR IF-2223-25 Budget upon approval by the CDA.

- b. Negotiate and execute agreements and amendments to agreements with public, private, non profit, and/or governmental entities with funds awarded as identified in Attachment I of the Service Provider Funding Allocation detailed in the September 6, 2022 Report from Aging, attached to the Council file.
- c. Prepare Controller's instructions and any necessary technical adjustments that are consistent with the Mayor and Council actions on this matter, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer, and, authorize the Controller to implement those instructions.

2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:

- a. Establish new accounts and appropriate funds for the OARR Plan within the Area Plan for the Aging Title III Fund Number 395 as follows:

<u>Account</u>		<u>Amount</u>
02W102	Aging	\$401,354
02WAF1	Sr. Legal Services-OARR	\$1,571,591
02WAF2	C1-OARR	\$310,683
02WAF4	C2-OARR	\$1,040,112
02WAF12	Home Fall Prevention	\$531,900
02WAF9	Family Caregiver-OARR	<u>\$1,122,100</u>
	Total:	\$4,013,580

- b. Increase appropriation within Fund No. 100/02, and transfer funds on an as-needed basis as follows:

	Fund	Account	TiUe	Amount
From:	395	02W102	Aging	\$401,354
To:	100/02	001010	Salaries General	\$401,354

- c. Expend funds upon proper demand of the General Manager, Aging, or designee.

Fiscal Impact Statement" Aging reports that the proposed action involves the allocation of OARR Grant funding from the CDA. There is no additional impact to the City General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

(11) 22-1025

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR, ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE relative to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Education (SNAP-Ed) Grant funds from the California Department of Aging (CDA) for Fiscal Year 2022-23.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the General Manager, Los Angeles Department of Aging (Aging), or designee, to:
 - a. Accept the CDA SNAP-Ed funds; to execute Standard Agreement SP-2223-25 and any unilateral amendments to the subgrant agreement, subject to review and approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality, and in compliance with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 14.8 et seq. (City grant regulations); and, to authorize the proposed SNAP-Ed SP-

2223-25 Budget upon approval by the CDA.

- b. Negotiate and execute agreements and amendments to agreements with public, private, nonp rofit, a nd/o r governmental entities with funds awarded to Consulting Nutritional Services (CNS) for Fiscal Year 2022-23.
- c. Prepare Controller's instructions for any technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer; and, authorize the Controller to implement the instructions.

2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:

- a. Establish new account and appropriate \$239,614 within the Fund 57E, Titled Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Prog- Education as follows:

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57E	02W99M	SNAP-Ed	\$239,614

- b. Expend funds upon proper demand of the General Manager, Aging, or designee.

Fiscal Imoact Statement: Aging reports that the proposed action involves the allocation of the SNAP-Ed Grant Program funded by the CDA. There is no additional impact to the City General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(12) **22-1040
CD 12**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR, ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE relative to the Home

and Community Based Services (HCBS) Senior Infrastructure Grant from the California Department of Aging (CDA).

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. AUTHORIZE the General Manager, Los Angeles Department of Aging (Aging), or designee, to:
 - a. Accept the CDA HCBS funds; to execute Standard Agreement NI-2223-25 and any unilateral amendments to the subgrant agreement, subject to review and approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality, and in compliance with Los Angeles Administrative Code Section 14.8 et seq. (City grant regulations); and, to authorize the proposed HCBS NI-2223-25 Budget upon approval by the CDA.
 - b. Negotiate and execute agreements and amendments to agreements with public, private, nonprofit, and/or governmental entities with funds awarded as identified in Table I of the Service Provider Funding Allocation detailed in the September 12, 2022 Report from Aging, attached to the Council file.
 - c. Prepare Controller's instructions for any necessary technical adjustments that are consistent with the Mayor and Council actions on this matter, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO), and authorize the City Controller to implement those instructions.
2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
 - a. Establish new accounts and appropriate funds for the OARR Plan within the Area Plan for the Aging Title III Fund Number 395 as follows:

<u>Accoynt</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>AmQynt</u>
02W102	Aging	\$58,300
02WA19	C1 Nutrition Infrastructure- HCBS	\$746,504
02WA20	C2 Nutrition Infrastructure- HCBS	\$1,881,601

- b. Increase appropriation within Fund No. 100/02, and transfer funds on an as-needed basis as follows:

	Fund	<u>Account</u>	Title	Amount
From:	395/02	02W102	Aging	\$58,300
To:	100/02	007300	Furn., Office and Tech Equip.	\$58,300

- c. Expend funds upon proper demand by the General Manager, Aging, or designee.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Aging reports that the proposed action involves the allocation of HCBS Nutrition Infrastructure Grant Program under the Mello-Granlund Older California Act. There is no additional impact to the City General Fund.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Adopted Item Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

(13) 22-1100-54

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CITY CLERK and CITY ATTORNEY, CERTIFICATION OF SUFFICIENCY OF REFERENDUM PETITION, and RESOLUTION relative to holding a Referendary Vote on Ordinance No. 187566 regarding a Minimum Wage for Employees Working at Certain Healthcare Facilities.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The City Clerk reports that if the City Council chooses to place this measure before the voters at a Special Election, the cost of that Election is estimated to be approximately \$19 million (includes both City and County election costs). Placing the referendum on the March 5, 2024 ballot will have zero to minimal costs as there will be funding for measures included in the Fiscal Year 2023-24 Budget. Please note that the County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk will not have cost estimates or calculators available until approximately three months before an

election. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

TIME LIMIT FILE - OCTOBER 6, 2022

(LAST DAY FOR COUNCIL ACTION - OCTOBER 4, 2022)

MOTION REQUIRED

(Rules, Elections, and Intergovernmental Relations Committee waived consideration of the above matter)

Adopted Motion (Buscaino - Blumenfield)

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(14) **22-0002-5120**

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION (KREKORIAN - O'FARRELL - MARTINEZ – LEE – DE LEON) relative to calling on President Biden and all members of Congress to take meaningful punitive action against the Azeri regime to reign in its violent expansionism, and on the United States and all other democracies to stand with Armenia and suspend all military and economic aid to Azerbaijan.

Recommendation for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

RESOLVE to:

- a. Call on President Biden and all members of Congress to take meaningful punitive action against the Azeri regime to reign in its violent expansionism once and for all, including but not limited to discontinuing all sale of arms and other financial and economic assistance to Azerbaijan under Section 907 of the Freedom Support Act.

- b. Call on the United States and all other democracies to stand with Armenia in its present danger and immediately suspend all military and economic aid to Azerbaijan.
- c. Call for the United States and all nations who respect democracy and self-determination to extend, at long last, full diplomatic recognition to the Republic of Artsakh as a free, independent and sovereign state, and to demand unequivocally that Azerbaijan must respect the sovereignty of Armenia and discontinue its pattern of aggression, violence and war crimes in the region.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

(Rules, Elections and Intergovernmental Relations Committee waived consideration of the above matter)

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(15) **21-0252-51**

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MOTION (O'FARRELL for MARTINEZ - LEE) and RESOLUTION relative to issuing Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$32,997,000 to finance the acquisition, rehabilitation, and development of a 73-unit multifamily housing project known as Luna Vista located at 8767 North Parthenia Place.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. CONSIDER the results of the Tax Equity Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982 (TEFRA) public hearing held on April 21, 2022 for Luna Vista, attached to the Motion.
2. ADOPT the accompanying TEFRA RESOLUTION approving the issuance of bonds in an amount not to exceed \$32,997,000 for the

acquisition, rehabilitation, and development of a 73-unit multifamily housing project located 8767 North Parthenia Place in Council District 6.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

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MOTION (O'FARRELL for MARTINEZ - LEE) and RESOLUTION relative to issuing Multifamily Housing Revenue Bonds, in an amount not to exceed \$48,000,000 to finance the acquisition and rehabilitation of the 102-unit multifamily housing project known as Vista Terrace located at 8134 and 8146 Van Nuys Boulevard.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. CONSIDER the results of the Tax Equity Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982 (TEFRA) public hearing held on April 21, 2022, for Vista Terrace, attached to the Motion.
2. ADOPT the accompanying TEFRA RESOLUTION approving the issuance of bonds in an amount not to exceed \$48,000,000 for the acquisition and rehabilitation of a 102-unit multifamily housing project located at *38134 and 8146 Van Nuys Blvd in Council District 6.

*Technical Correction

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

(17) 22-1115
CD 12

MOTION (LEE - O'FARRELL) relative to funding for new workstation furniture needed at Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Devonshire

Division.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. RESOLVE to allocate and appropriate \$15,856 in the Sunshine Canyon Community Amenities Trust Fund No. 699/14 to the Supporters Law Enforcement in Devonshire (SOLID) organization in order to help to improve the working conditions of our LAPD officers and to fund new workstation furniture.
2. AUTHORIZE the City Clerk to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above fund transfer instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (4)

(18) **22-0011-59**
CD 3

MOTION (BLUMENFIELD - HARRIS-DAWSON) relative to funding for center median island landscape improvements on Greenbriar Drive in Council District 3.

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. TRANSFER and APPROPRIATE \$15,000 in the Council District 3 portion of the Street Furniture Revenue Fund No. 43D/50 to the following accounts, and in the amounts specified, in the Street Services Fund No. 100/86: \$10,000 to Account No. 001090 (Salaries, Overtime) and \$5,000 to Account No. 006020 (Operating Supplies) for center median island landscape improvements on Greenbriar Drive in Council District 3.
2. AUTHORIZE the Bureau of Street Services to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above fund transfer instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Buscaino, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (11); Nays: (0); Absent: Bonin, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr.(4)

Items Called Special

Motions for Posting and Referral

Council Members' Requests for Excuse from Attendance at Council Meetings

Adjourning Motions

Council Adjournment

ENDING ROLL CALL

Blumenfield, Cedillo, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Koretz, Krekorian, Martinez, O'Farrell, Raman, Rodriguez (10); Absent: Bonin, Buscaino, de Leon, Lee, Price Jr. (5)

Whereupon the Council did adjourn.

ATTEST: Holly L. Wolcott, CITY CLERK

By

Council Clerk

PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Regular meeting recessed: 11:44am
Special meeting convened: 11:45am
Special meeting adjourned: 11:45am
Regular meeting reconvened: 11:45am
Regular meeting adjourned: 11:49am

COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS

MOVED BY	SECONDED BY	NAME
O'Farrell	Cedillo	Filipino American History Month
O'Farrell	Cedillo	Jo Koy Day
O'Farrell	Koretz	"Bros" Day

ADJOURNING MOTIONS

MOVED BY	SECONDED BY	NAME
Cedillo	All Councilmembers	Luz Ramona Lozano Agredano

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The Street Furniture Revenue Fund provides funds for the following but not limited to sidewalk improvement projects and beautification projects needed to improve the quality of life for public transit patrons, residents and businesses and all expenses relating or incidental thereto for each Council District.

The Bureau of Sanitation is coordinating additional services in Council District One.

This effort is of special benefit for public transit patrons, residents and businesses of the City and for CDI and deserves financial support from the City.

Sufficient funds are available in the CDI portion of the Council District 1 Street Furniture Fund for this purpose.

I THEREFORE MOVE that \$93,027 in the Street Furniture Revenue Fund No. 43D Dept. 50 (CD 1 Account) be transferred / appropriated to the below listed Accounts, and in the amounts specified, in the Sanitation Fund No. 100-82 for additional services in Council District One:

Account No.	Name	Amount
001090	Salaries, Overtime	\$47,465
003040	Contractual Services	\$35,915
003090	Field Equipment	\$ 3,289
006020	Operating Supplies & Expense	\$ 6.358
	Total	\$ 93,027

I FURTHER MOVE that the Bureau of Sanitation be authorized to make any corrections, clarifications or revisions to the above fund transfer instructions, including any new instructions, in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion, and including any corrections and changes to fund or account numbers; said corrections /clarifications /changes may be made orally, electronically or by any other means.

PRESENTED BY:



GILBERT A. CEDILLO
Councilmember, 1st District

SECONDED BY:



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The Granada Hills Chamber of Commerce will be hosting the 17th annual Granada Hills Street Faire on Chatsworth St. It will be held on Saturday, October 22nd, 2022. The event will begin at 10:00 A.M. and conclude at 5:00 P.M.

The Granada Hills Street Faire invites all Angelenos to attend the amazing faire filled with great food, entertainment, vendors, a custom car show, and Oktoberfest.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council, in accordance with the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) Section 63.132, approve a street banner program to recognize and celebrate the 17th Annual Granada Hills Street Faire, to be held October 22nd, 2022, on Chatsworth St, as a City of Los Angeles Event Street Banner Program for the period October 1st through October 23rd, 2022.

IFURTHER MOVE that the City Council approve the content of the attached banner design.

PRESENTED BY

John S. Lee
JOHN S. LEE
Councilmember, 12th District

SECONDED BY

Monica Rodriguez
Monica Rodriguez

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Granada Hills STREET FAIRE

OCTOBER 22, 2022

10-5PM

On Chatsworth St



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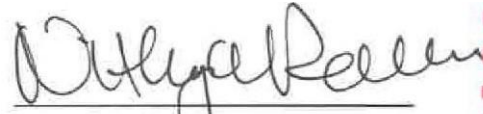
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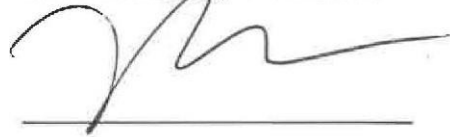
I MOVE that \$400 be appropriated from the Unappropriated Balance Fund No. ~~10058~~ to the General Services Fund No.100-40, Account No. 1070 (Salaries-As Needed), for services in connection with the Council District 4 special observation on September 30th to October 2nd, 2022, of solidarity with protests in Iran, at City Hall, including the illumination of City Hall - said funds to be reimbursed to the General Fund by the PARS Equality Center.

PRESENTED BY:



NITHYA RAMAN
Councilwoman, 4th District

SECONDED BY:



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WHEREAS, §41.18 of the Muriciipal Code provides that the Council by Resolution may designate specified areas for enforcement against sitting, lying, sleeping, or storing, using, maintaining, or placing personal property, or otherwise obstructing the public right-of-way, in order for a person to be found in violation of any of these prohibited behaviors; and

WHEREAS , the below listed locations are experiencing a need for enforcement against the above listed prohibitions; and

WHEREAS, the Council hereby finds that the public health, safety, or welfare is served by the prohibition, and further fmds that sleeping or lodging within the stated proximity to the designated area(s) is unhealthy, unsafe, or incompatible with safe passage; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Council District 10 has submitted / posted to the File relevant documentation, as further detailed in the Code, that the circumstances at these locations pose a particular and ongoing threat to public health or safety:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, pursuant to §41.18.(c) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code that the Council hereby designates the following locations for enforcement against sitting, lying, sleeping, or storing, using, maintaining, or placing personal property, or otherwise obstructing the public right-of-way, up to the maximum distance and effective for the maximum period of time prescribed, and as further detailed in the Code:

1. Beverlywood and 10Freeway between Garth and Corning - Underpass
2. Venice and 10Freeway between David and La Cienega - Underpass
3. Washington and 10Freeway between Electric and Fairfax - Underpass
4. Harcourt and 10Freeway between Adams and 23rd - Underpass

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Department(s) with jurisdiction over the identified locations are hereby directed and authorized to post appropriate notices of the above prohibitions at these locations, and to begin enforcement upon the expiration of any required posting period.

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1. Leirnert Park at Vernon and Crenshaw - Park
2. Rancho Cienega Park, 5001 Obama Blvd - Park
3. Westside Neighborhood Park, 3085 Clyde Ave - Park
4. Reynier Park, 2803 Reynier Ave - Park
5. Seoul International Park, 3250 San Marino St - Park
6. LaFayette Park, 2800 Wilshire Blvd - Park
7. Leslie N Shaw Park, 2223 W Jefferson Blvd - Park
8. Genesee Avenue Park, 2330 S Fairfax Ave - Park
9. Jim Gilliam Park, 4000 S La Brea Ave - Park
10. Vineyard Recreation Center, 2942 Vineyard Ave - Park
11. Baldwin Hills Recreation Center, 5401 Highlight Pl - Park

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The 2022-23 Adopted City Budget includes a hiring plan of 780 Police recruits, with 13 classes of 60 recruits each. Funding to hire 625 recruits is in the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Budget. To date, three classes totaling 99 recruits have been hired.

Several factors have been cited for contributing to a decline in applicants to become Los Angeles Police Officers, namely delays in the hiring process and competitive compensation incentives. The LAPD experienced a significant increase in sworn attrition, due to retirements and resignations to other agencies and fields of work. Currently, LAPD staffing levels have dipped to 9,226 sworn personnel, down from the peak sworn deployment of 10,072 in January 2019.

These circumstances are not unique to the LAPD, with many law enforcement agencies experiencing the same challenges. Industries across the country, including law enforcement, are offering bonuses to attract more diverse candidates. To stay competitive in the labor market, many agencies have found that offering a hiring bonus provided them a competitive advantage and subsequently have adjusted their recruitment initiatives and budgets to earmark funding for hiring bonuses. Law enforcement agencies throughout California, including Anaheim, Antioch, Bakersfield, Bay Area Rapid Transit, Beverly Hills, Chico, Colton, Dixon, Kern County Sheriff, Redding, San Diego Police, San Diego Sheriff, and San Gabriel Police Department all have hiring bonuses.

Attrition among civilian personnel, which provide critical support roles, has also borne an impact on deployment with sworn personnel serving in roles which would otherwise be filled by civilian staffing. A bonus hiring plan would allow the Department to immediately move hundreds of sworn officers out of civilian desk jobs and return to patrol. To gain eligibility for such a bonus, the plan would need to contain criteria that distinguishes between bonuses for new hires and lateral hires. Spreading a bonus out over time better incentivizes a longer term commitment and would mitigate the immediate budgetary impact.

Moreover, the hiring process managed by personnel has remained stagnant and requires reform to ensure qualified candidates are considered and reviewed in an expedited manner to prevent the limited candidate pool from pursuing other opportunities due to the slow pace of hire. Facing the continued attrition related to retirements and current staffing needs, a bonus hiring plan should be explored for both civilian and sworn positions, with an emphasis on filling the immediate needs of civilian staffing to return sworn personnel to the fulfill the roles they were prepared and trained to serve.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council instruct the Personnel Department, with the assistance of the LAPD, to report back within 30 days with a plan to accelerate the hiring process for civilian and sworn personnel and to include a proposed plan for a hiring incentive that is designed to mitigate attrition and promote local hire.

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I FURTHER MOVE that the City Council instruct the Personnel Department, with the assistance of the LAPD, to report back with a proposal to attract applicants for civilian and non-specialized administrative positions, as well as for positions classified under "Police Service Representative 2207".

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Council instruct the City Administrative Officer to identify and report back with funding to implement the aforementioned hiring bonus plans in the Fiscal Year 2022-23 as well as for the next three years.

PRESENTED BY Monica Rodriguez
MONICA RODRIGUEZ
Councilwoman 7th District

SECONDED BY: Bob Blumenthal

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MOTION

Los Angeles has many pedestrian walkways and jogging paths that are beloved by their local neighbors and important community recreational assets. These facilities-which range from informal dirt use trails to fully developed rubberized tracks-are commonly in the public right of way and at properties owned or operated by the City. Some pedestrian facilities, like the track around Evergreen Cemetery in Boyle Heights and the walking trail around Silver Lake Reservoir, are well-known destinations that draw users from miles away, while others are primarily known only to neighbors.


As part of promoting community health and environmental sustainability, the City should encourage walking for recreation and transportation through the construction and maintenance of pedestrian pathways, including supporting historical use of informal facilities. Maintaining and upgrading informal facilities, which may be unimproved dirt trails today, may require especially careful design to maintain the historic and/or natural character of the pathway while ensuring equal access to all pedestrians.

For example, the City's Los Angeles River Revitalization Master Plan envisions a paved bike path along the south and west sides of the River, and multi-use paths on the north and east sides of the River constructed using permeable natural surfaces, such as decomposed granite.

The City lacks clear guidance for the design, construction, and maintenance of alternative surface walkways within the public right of way, including determining which surfaces are appropriate for which contexts and how to ensure accessibility standards are achieved in the public right of way. Communities and City staff alike should have the information needed to be able to know when a pedestrian walkway can be constructed with alternative materials, the specific technical requirements applicable to the walkway, and its required maintenance.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council direct the Bureau of Engineering (BOE), StreetsLA, and Department of Recreation and Parks to report in 90 days with a process and timeline for the development and adoption of policies and/or standards for the construction and maintenance of alternative surfaces for pedestrian walkways in the public right of way and at City owned or operated facilities, as well as criteria for when the use of these alternative surfaces is appropriate.

PRESENTED BY:


BOB BLUMENFELD
Councilmember, 3rd District

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Community Impact Statements (CIS) have long been a powerful tool for our for Neighborhood Councils to play an integral advisory role in City government. Community Impact Statements are designed to publicly express a Neighborhood Council's support, opposition, and suggestions about any item pending before the City Council, its committees, or City Commissions.

Boardmembers of Neighborhood Councils throughout the City have discovered that many of the Community Impact Statements filed via the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment's CIS Portal had not been transmitted to the correct destination or at times had not been not transmitted at all. While the CIS filings for City Council and Committees have been working as normal, a number of City Commissions did not have functional or updated email addresses on the CIS Portal, leading to a disconnection in the portal service.


Neighborhood Councils spend hours coming together to discuss their neighborhoods' best interests and vote on taking official positions on how items before City governmental bodies will impact their respective communities. As such, we must ensure that any errors or disruptions in getting Community Impact Statements to the appropriate channels be addressed.

I THEREFORE MOVE, that the City Council instruct the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment to report back in 45 days on the status of the Community Impact Statement Portal, including the issues that led to numerous Community Impact Statements not being transmitted, the length of time the errors were present in the system, the list of the City Commissions that were impacted by not having the correct email configurations on the portal, the number of Community Impact Statements that were not transmitted as intended by the Neighborhood Councils, and the steps that have been taken to remedy the issue and prevent this from happening again in the future.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Council instruct the Department of Neighborhood Empowerment, with the assistance of the Information Technology Agency, to report back in 45 days on the necessary technological upgrades needed to the Community Impact Statement Portal to ensure that the submission of Community Impact Statements are as seamless and streamlined as possible and that technical issues of this sort will not arise in the future.

PRESENTED BY: 
NITHYA AN
Councilmember, 4th District

SECONDED BY:  
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The City of Los Angeles sits on native land. The first peoples of the region are the Tongva, the Tataviam and the Chumash. In 2021, the City of Los Angeles adopted a formal apology in the form of a Resolution (CF: 21-0002-S178) to all Native Tribal Nations which have been injured by historic City actions, including the City's pursuit of water in the Owens Valley. On August 30th, 2017, the City removed Columbus Day and replaced it with Indigenous Peoples Day, celebrating the inaugural event on August 9th, 2018 with the removal of the Columbus Statue formerly located in front of City Hall in the civic center area, at Grand Park.

The City should further increase visibility with native and indigenous communities by starting every first meeting of any official body with a land acknowledgement that recognizes the first people of this region. Land Acknowledgments have historically been conducted by Native Tribal Nations, or hemispheric indigenous communities, such as those indigenous to Los Angeles-the Tongva, the Chumash, or the Tataviam, and other national and international tribal communities. Los Angeles is a world city, and boasts residents the world over, including tribal indigenous leaders. It is therefore appropriate for the first council and commission meetings of the month to begin with an acknowledgment of Indigenous and Native Tribal Nations, in order to demonstrate respect and support for Indigenous Tribal Nations everywhere.

Any City native land acknowledgment should be informed by local and international tribal nations and indigenous communities, starting first with the tribal nations of the region. The Department of Civil and Human Rights, with the assistance of the Chief Legislative Analyst, should report on the cultural and historic regional components necessary for Council's consideration. Since 2021, Los Angeles County facilitated conversations with tribal nations from the region, focusing on the factual elements needed for a land acknowledgement policy; the County process included 7 tribal nations, out of 22 that were invited. The City Department of Civil and Human Rights should work with the County, and the Native American / Indian Commission, and local tribal nations to ensure an accurate policy.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Civil and Human Rights Department, in collaboration with the Los Angeles City / County Native American Indian Commission, and representatives from the Tongva, Tataviam and Chumash tribes, with the assistance of the Chief Legislative Analyst, be DIRECTED to report within 30 days on the creation of a Los Angeles City land acknowledgement policy.

PRESENTED BY:

Mitch O'Farrell
Councilmember, 13th District
Member, Wyandotte Nation

SECONDED BY:

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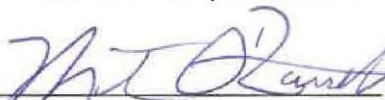

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I MOVE that the matter of Negative Declaration, Planning and Land Use Management Committee report, and Ordinance First Consideration relative to amendments to the *Westwood Village Specific Plan* and the *Westwood Design Review Board Specific Plan*, Item No. 8 (CF 18-1101) on today's Council Agenda, BE AMENDED to include the following ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDATION, as requested by the Planning Department:

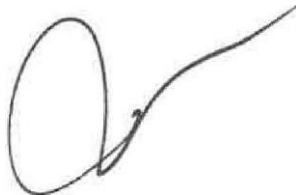
4. ADOPT the updated high-resolution maps attached to Council File No. 18-1101 in lieu of the existing maps attached to the draft ordinance, and attach the new maps to the draft ordinance. The Planning Department advises that the updated high-resolution maps do not contain any changes to the text of the Specific Plans draft ordinance; or boundaty/geographical changes.

PRESENTED BY: 

PAUL KORETZ
Councilmember, 5th District

SECONDED BY:  

September 30, 2022



Item No. 13

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE, regarding Item 13 (Council file No. 22-1100-S) relative to COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE CITY CLERK and CITY ATTORNEY, CERTIFICATION OF SUFFICIENCY OF REFERENDUM PETITION, and RESOLUTION relative to holding a Referendary Vote on Ordinance No.187566 regarding a Minimum Wage for Employees Working at Certain Healthcare Facilities, that Council ADOPT the following:

The ballot resolution to order a referendary vote on Ordinance Number One - Eight - Seven - Five - Six - Six regarding a Minimum Wage for Employees Working at Certain Healthcare Facilities, and place the ballot measure on the March Fifth, Twenty Twenty-Four Primary Election ballot.

PRESENTED BY _____
JOE BUSCAINO
Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY _____
BOB BLUMENFIELD
Councilmember, 3rd District

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