Los Angeles City Council, Journal/Council Proceeding Tuesday, April 11, 2023

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, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Absent: Harris-Dawson, de León (2)

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 Noticed for Public Hearing - PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED

(1) **22-0900-S76 CD 4**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Rancho Street and Oak Park Avenue Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

(Pursuant to Council adoption of Ordinance of Intention on January 24, 2023. The tabulation of ballots shall take place in Space 300 of 555 Ramirez Street on April 12, 2023 at 10 a.m. and will be publicly live-streamed. To access the live stream, join Zoom Meeting ID: 953 8628 4393, Passcode: prop218. Public announcement of the results from the tabulation of ballots and consideration of the Final Ordinance will take place at Council on May 2, 2023)

(2) **22-0900-S77 CD 12**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Zelzah Avenue and Ridgeway Road Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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Adopted Item to Continue to April 18, 2023

Ayes: Blumenfield, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Harris-Dawson, Hutt (3)

(3) **22-0900-S78 CD 11**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Colby Avenue and Nebraska Avenue No. 1 Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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(4) **22-0900-S79** CD 7

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Terra Bella Street and Phillippi Avenue Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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(5) **22-0900-S80 CD 4**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Fredonia Drive and Cahuenga Boulevard Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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(6) **22-0900-S81 CD 11**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Glencoe Avenue and Maxella Avenue No. 1 Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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(7) **22-0900-S82 CD** 7

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Pinyon Avenue and Summitrose Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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(8) **22-0900-S83 CD 13**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Hoover Street and Council Street No. 1 Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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Ayes: Blumenfield, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Harris-Dawson, Hutt (3)

(9) **22-0900-S84 CD 9**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the South Park Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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Adopted Item to Continue to April 18, 2023

Ayes: Blumenfield, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman,

Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Harris-Dawson, Hutt (3)

(10) **22-0900-S85 CD 11**

HEAR PROTESTS against the proposed improvement and maintenance of the Butler and Iowa Avenues Street Lighting District, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Proposition 218.

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Ayes: Blumenfield, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Harris-Dawson, Hutt (3)

(11) **23-0241 CD 6**

HEARING COMMENTS relative to an Application for Determination of Public Convenience or Necessity for the sale of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption at 99 Cents Only Store No. 450, located at 16107 Victory Boulevard.

Recommendations for Council action:

- DETERMINE that the Public Convenience or Necessity will not be served by the sale of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption at 99 Cents Only Store No. 450, located at 16107 Victory Boulevard, inasmuch as the site is located in a high crime/concentration reporting district.
- DENY the Application for Determination of Public Convenience or Necessity for the sale of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption at 99 Cents Only Store No. 450, located at 16107

Victory Boulevard, based upon the above finding and the negative influence associated with the sale of alcohol in the concerned community.

3. INSTRUCT the City Clerk to transmit this determination to the State Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control as required findings under Business and Professions Code Section 23958.4.

Applicant: 99 Cents Only Stores LLC

Representative: Steve Rawlings - Rawlings Consulting

Adopted Motion (Krekorian – McOsker) to receive and file Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(12) **23-0259 CD 5**

HEARING COMMENTS relative to an Application for Determination of Public Convenience or Necessity for the sale of alcoholic beverages for both off-site and on-site consumption at Curated Services, LLC, located at 353 - 355 North La Brea Avenue.

Recommendations for Council action:

- DETERMINE that the issuance of a liquor license at Curated Services, LLC, located at 353 - 355 North La Brea Avenue, will serve the Public Convenience or Necessity and will not tend to create a law enforcement problem.
- GRANT the Application for Determination of Public Convenience or Necessity for the sale of alcoholic beverages for both off-site and on-site consumption at Curated Services, LLC, located at 353 - 355 North La Brea Avenue.
- 3. INSTRUCT the City Clerk to transmit this determination to the State Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control as required findings under Business and Professions Code Section 23958.4.

Applicant: Johnny Josselyn / Curated Services, LLC

Representative: Kristie Ralph

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

Items for which Public Hearings Have Been Held

(13) **22-0390**

ORDINANCE SECOND CONSIDERATION relative to adding Section 56.32 of Article 6 to Chapter V of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to prohibit unlawful possession of catalytic converters.

Community Impact Statement: Yes

For:

Studio City Neighborhood Council Sherman Oaks Neighborhood Council

(Public Safety Committee report adopted on March 21, 2023)

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Rodriguez, Yaroslavsky (8); Nays: Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Raman (4); Absent: de León, Soto-Mart ínez (2)

(14) **23-1200-S11**

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the appointment of Ms. Selika Talbott to the Board of Transportation Commissioners for the term ending June 30, 2024.

Recommendation for Council action:

RESOLVE that the Mayor's appointment of Ms. Selika Talbott to the Board

of Transportation Commissioners for the new term ending June 30, 2024, is APPROVED and CONFIRMED. Ms. Talbott resides in Council District Ten. (Current Board composition: F=2; M=4; Vacant=1)

Financial Disclosure Statement: Filed

Background Check: Complete

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(15) **17-0713**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY relative to a proposed legal services agreement with Munger, Tolles & Olson, LLP, to provide legal services related to the litigation <u>United States of America ex rel. Mei Ling and Fair Housing Council of San Fernando Valley v, City of Los Angeles, United States District Court Case No. CV-11-00974 PSG (JCx).</u>

(Budget, Finance and Innovation Committee report to be submitted in Council. If public hearing is not held in Committee, an opportunity for public comment will be provided.)

(Click on www.lacouncilfile.com for background documents.)

The City Council may recess to Closed Session, pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), to confer with its legal counsel relative to the case mentioned above.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted

Council discussed the matter in Closed Session and instructed legal counsel with respect to the subject litigation.

Adopted Budget, Finance and Innovation Committee Report in Open Session Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Yaroslavsky (12); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Soto-Mart ínez (2)

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

(16) **23-0327**

CD 2

MOTION (KREKORIAN - HERNANDEZ) relative to a street banner campaign celebrating Toluca Lake's 100th anniversary coordinated by the Greater Toluca Lake Neighborhood Council.

Recommendations for Council action:

- APPROVE, in accordance with Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 62.132, the Street Banner program identifying the Greater Toluca Lake Neighborhood Council, as a City of Los Angeles Non-Event Street Banner Program for the period of April 1, 2023 to April 1, 2024.
- 2. APPROVE the contents of the street banner, subject to inclusion of the City seal to each banner, attached to the Motion.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(17) **23-0328**

CD 2

MOTION (KREKORIAN - PRICE) relative to funding for police response to fireworks calls within Council District 2.

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

 TRANSFER and APPROPRIATE \$30,000 from the AB1290 Fund No. 53P, Account No. 281202 (CD 2 Redevelopment Projects -Services) to the Police Fund No. 100/70, Account No. 1092 (Overtime - Police Officers), for police response to fireworks calls within Council District 2, in coordination with the Council office, as follows: \$15,000 for North Hollywood Division, \$7,500 for Foothill Division, and \$7,500 for Van Nuys Division. 2. AUTHORIZE the Los Angeles Police Department 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.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: Hernandez (1); Absent: de León, Soto-Martínez (2)

(18) **23-0329 CD 15**

MOTION (MCOSKER - HARRIS-DAWSON) relative to the authorizing the Bureau of Engineering (BOE) to apply for grant funding for a Historic Structures Report of the Watts Happening Cultural Center from the National Trust for Historic Preservation's African American Cultural Heritage Action Fund.

Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. AUTHORIZE the BOE to apply for up to \$150,000 in grant funding for a Historic Structures Report of the Watts Happening Cultural Center from the National Trust for Historic Preservation's African American Cultural Heritage Action Fund and negotiate a grant agreement and any other necessary agreements to receive funding.
- INSTRUCT the BOE, should funding be awarded, to return to Council prior to receiving authority to accept/execute any necessary grant agreements.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(19) **23-0339**

CD 7

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY ENGINEER relative to the final map of Tract No. 68879 located at 9978-9986 North Laurel Canyon Boulevard, northerly of Glamis Street.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE the final map of Tract No. 68879, located at 9978-9986 North Laurel Canyon Boulevard, northerly of Glamis Street.

Subdivider: Silva & Silva Investments Inc; Surveyor: Raymundo A. Lombera

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement:</u> The City Engineer reports that the subdivider has paid a fee of \$8,720 for the processing of this final tract map pursuant to Section 19.02(A) (2) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code. No additional City funds are needed.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(20) **18-0659-S1 CD 13**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY ENGINEER relative to the final map of Tract No. 73056 located at 4321 West Burns Avenue, westerly of Virgil Avenue.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE the final map of Tract No. 73056, located at 4321 West Burns Avenue, westerly of Virgil Avenue and accompanying Subdivision Improvement Agreement and Contract with security documents.

(Bond No. C-142939)

Owner: 4321 Burns, LLC; Surveyor: Brandon Hahn

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement:</u> The City Engineer reports that the subdivider has paid a fee of \$9,064 for the processing of this final tract map pursuant to Section 19.02(B) (3) of the Los Angeles Municipal Code. No additional

City funds are needed.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(21) **19-0168-S1 CD** 7

MOTION (RODRIGUEZ - LEE) relative to installing street banners to be used as an outreach to encourage residents, businesses, employees and others stakeholders in the area to become involved in the community and with the civic activities of the Mission Hills Neighborhood Council.

Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. APPROVE, in accordance with Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 62.132, the Street Banner program identifying the Mission Hills Neighborhood Council activities, as a City of Los Angeles Non-Event Street Banner Program from April 2023 to April 2024.
- 2. APPROVE the content of the Street Banner as attached.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(22) **23-0337**

MOTION (MCOSKER - YAROSLAVSKY) relative to waiving review of the anticipated action of the Board of Harbor Commissioners regarding the personal services agreements with Burns & Mcdonnell Engineering Company, Inc.; Ensafe Inc.; ICF Incorporated, LLC, Ramboll US Consulting, Inc.; Starcrest Consulting Group, LLC; and Tetra Tech, Inc. for as-needed air quality services.

Recommendation for Council action:

RESOLVE, pursuant to Charter Section 245 (b), to waive the Council review of the anticipated action of the Board of Harbor Commissioners to approve personal services agreements with Burns & Mcdonnell Engineering Company, Inc.; Ensafe Inc.; ICF Incorporated, LLC, Ramboll US Consulting, Inc.; Starcrest Consulting Group, LLC; and Tetra Tech, Inc. for as-needed air quality services, as further detailed in the text of this Motion.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(23) **23-0099-S1**

CD 13

MOTION (SOTO-MARTÍNEZ - HARRIS-DAWSON) relative to adding the Hollywood Carnival Parade and Los Angeles Culture Village to the List of Citywide Special Events.

Recommendation for Council action:

INSTRUCT the Chief Legislative Analyst to include Pride Village in the list of Citywide Special Events.

Adopted to Refer Item to the Public Works Committee

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (12); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Hutt (2)

(24) **23-0342**

CD 5

MOTION (YAROSLAVSKY - PARK) relative to funding for the COVID-19 Memorial public art sculpture in Council District 5.

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

 TRANSFER \$1,000 from the General City Purpose Fund No. 100/56, Account No. 0705 (CD 5 Community Services), to the General Services Fund; transfer and appropriate to the Neighborhood Council Fund No. 59B, Account No.141261 (Palms Neighborhood Council), for the COVID-19 Memorial public art sculpture that will serve as a memorial for our neighbors that have passed away, and to acknowledge the immense historical and cultural impact of the pandemic.

2. AUTHORIZE the City Clerk 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, revisions may be made orally, electronically or by any other means.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(25) **23-0346 CD 10**

MOTION (HARRIS-DAWSON for HUTT - PRICE) relative to funding for the use of ten parking spots at City Parking Lot 691 for storage of equipment relating to a mural project at Vermont and 7th Street for the period April 1, 2023 to April 30, 2023.

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

- 1. TRANSFER and APPROPRIATE \$1,200 in the AB 1290 Fund No. 53P, Account No. 281210 (CD 10 Redevelopment Projects Services) to the Special Parking Revenue Fund No. 363/94, Account No. 449400, to compensate for the use of ten parking spots at City Parking Lot 691 for storage of equipment relating to a mural project at Vermont and 7th for the period April 1, 2023 to April 30, 2023, or any other date / period to which this activity may need to be rescheduled.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the Department of Transportation to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above funding instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(26) **23-0345 CD 8**

MOTION (HARRIS-DAWSON - PRICE) and RESOLUTION relative to authorizing the execution and delivery of a Third Amendment to Installment Sale Agreement and a Third Supplemental Trust Agreement in connection with the Certificates of Participation, Series 2013 (Department of Public Social Services Facility), relating to financing undertaken for the benefit of Exposition Park West Asset Leasing Corporation located at 3833 South Vermont Avenue and 1024 West 38th Street, Los Angeles, California 90037.

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

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION approving the execution and delivery of all documents necessary to effectuate the implementation of the Secured Overnight Finance Rate and other matters related thereto in connection with the Certificates of Participation, Series 2013 (Department of Public Social Services Facility), at the City Council Meeting to be held on March 28, 2023 at 10:00 a.m., located at 200 North Spring Street, Room 340, Los Angeles, California 90012.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(27) **22-0010-S3**

MOTION (HARRIS-DAWSON - LEE) relative to reinstating the reward offer in the death of Mikeona Johnson for an additional six months.

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

1. REAFFIRM the Council's findings and REINSTATE the reward offer

relative to the death of Mikeona Johnson (Council action of February 16, 2022, Council file No. 22-0010-S3) for an additional period of six months from the publication of the renewed offer of reward by the City Clerk; and, further, that the sum of \$50,000 shall be the aggregate maximum sum of any payment or payments of a City reward in this instance.

2. DIRECT the City Clerk to publish the reward notice in the Our Weekly, Los Angeles Sentinel, and LA Watts Times, in addition to the regular publications used by the City Clerk for reward notices, to ensure adequate community notice.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(28) **23-0355**

MOTION (RODRIGUEZ – YAROSLAVSKY – PARK – RAMAN – HERNANDEZ) relative to funding for services in connection with the Council District 7 special observation of Denim Day on April 25, 2023, at City Hall, including the illumination of City Hall.

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

TRANSFER and APPROPRIATE \$400 from the City Council's portion of the Heritage Month Celebrations & Special Events line item in the General City Purposes Fund No. 100/56 to the General Services Fund No. 100/40, Account No. 1070 (Salaries-As Needed), for services in connection with the Council District 7 special observation of Denim Day on April 25, 2023, at City Hall, including the illumination of City Hall.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(29) **23-0356**

CD 15 MOTION (KREKORIAN for MCOSKER - PRICE) relative to a personal services contract with Indigov Corporation to provide services to the Fifteenth District.

Recommendations for Council action:

- APPROVE the personal services contract, attached to the Motion, with Indigov Corporation to provide services to the Fifteenth Council District as set for therein.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the Councilmember of the Fifteenth District to execute this contract on behalf of the City.
- 3. INSTRUCT the City Clerk to encumber the necessary funds against the Contractual Services Account of the Council Fund for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 and to reflect it as a charge against the budget of the involved Council Office.

Adopted Item

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (13); Nays: (0); Absent: de León (1)

(30) **22-0981-S1 CD 10**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT relative to the consideration of the appointment of Heather Hutt to hold the office of Councilmember for the 10th District for the remainder of the unexpired term, pursuant to Section 409(a) of the City Charter.

<u>Community Impact Statement:</u> None submitted.

(MOTION REQUIRED)

Adopted Motion (Krekorian – Price – Harris-Dawson – McOsker) Forthwith Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: Rodriguez (1); Absent: de León (1)

Adopted Item Urgent Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: Rodriguez (1); Absent: de León (1)

(31) **23-0386**

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY CLERK and RESOLUTION relative to the signature examination and verification of an initiative petition submitted to the City regarding Limits on Healthcare Executive Compensation.

Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION requesting that the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk conduct the signature examination and verification of an initiative petition submitted to the City of Los Angeles regarding Limits on Healthcare Executive Compensation.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the City Clerk to transmit the approved RESOLUTION to the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors for consideration and approval.
- 3. AUTHORIZE the City Clerk to submit the petition to the Los Angeles County Registrar- Recorder/ County Clerk.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement:</u> The City Clerk reports that the City will reimburse the County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk for the examination and verification of the Limits on Healthcare Executive Compensation Initiative Petition signatures. The costs are being determined and the City Clerk will report back on the cost.

<u>Community Impact Statement:</u> None submitted.

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

Adopted Item Forthwith

Ayes: Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Hutt, Krekorian, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Yaroslavsky (11); Nays: (0); Absent: de León, Lee, Soto-Mart ínez (3)

Items Called Special

Motions for Posting and Referral

Council Members' Requests for Excuse from Attendance at Council Meetings

Closed Session

(32) **23-0038-S1**

The City Council may recess to Closed Session, pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(d)(1), to confer with its legal counsel relative to the following cases: Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association and Apartment Association of Greater Los Angeles v. City of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court, Case No. 22STCV39662; Newcastle Courtyards, LLC, etc., et al. v. City of Los Angeles, U.S. District Court for the Central District of California, Case No 2:23-cv-00104 JAK (ASx); Newcastle Courtyards, LLC, etc., et al. v. City of Los Angeles, Los Angeles Superior Court, Case No. 23STCV00352. (These cases challenge Measure ULA, commonly known as the "mansion tax," which imposes a new "Homelessness and Housing Solutions Tax" on certain transfers of residential and commercial real property in the City of Los Angeles.)

Council discussed the matter in Closed Session and instructed legal counsel with respect to the subject litigation.

Adjourning Motions

Council Adjournment

ENDING ROLL CALL

Blumenfield, Harris-Dawson, Hernandez, Krekorian, Lee, McOsker, Park, Price Jr., Raman, Rodriguez, Soto-Martínez, Yaroslavsky (12); Absent: de León (1)

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Whereupon the Council did adjourn.

ATTEST: Holly L. Wolcott, CITY CLERK

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Council Clerk

PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL

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COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS

MOVED BY	SECONDED BY	NAME	
Park	Krekorian	Emma Grigoryan	
Raman	Krekorian – Yaroslavsky	Warner Bros. 100 th	
		Anniversary	
Hutt	Price – Harris-Dawson –	Los Angeles Sentinel 90th	
	Krekorian	Anniversary	
Hutt	Harris-Dawson	Simon of Cyrene – The	
		Musical	

ADJOURNING MOTIONS

MOVED BY	SECONDED BY	NAME
Rodriguez	All Councilmembers	Joseph Flores
Lee	All Councilmembers	Judy Washburn

I MOVE, subject to approval of the Mayor, that \$400 be appropriated from the Council's portion of the Heritage Month Celebration & Special events - Council line item in the General City Purposes Fund No. 100-56 to the General Services Fund 100-40 Account No. 1070 (salaries - as needed) for services in connection with the City of Los Angeles' special recognition for Autism Awareness Month on April 14, 2023 at City Hall, including the illumination of City Hall.

PRESENTED BY

JOHN S. LEE

Councilmember, 12th District

SECONDED BY

I MOVE that \$30,000 from the AB1290 Fund No. 53P, Account No. 281212 (CD 12 Redevelopment Projects - Services) be transferred / appropriated to the General City Purposes Fund No. 100-56, Account No. 000712 (CD-12 Community Services) for supplemental community services in Council District 12.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Clerk be authorized to make any corrections, clarifications or needed new instructions, to the above fund transfer instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion.

PRESENTED BY:

IOHN LEE

Councilman, 12th District

SECONDED BY:

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I MOVE that \$400 be transferred / appropriated from the Council's portion of the Heritage Month Celebrations & Special Events line item in the General City Purposes Fund No. 100-56 to the General Services Fund No.100-40, Account No. 1070 (Salaries-As Needed), for services in connection with the Council District 15 special observation of Croatian Independence Day on May 19, 2023, at City Hall, including the illumination of City Hall.

PRESENTED BY:

TIM McOSKER

Councilman, 15 District

SECONDED BY:

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I MOVE that the Council action of September 25, 2019, relative to utilizing CRA/LA Excess Non-Housing Bond Proceeds (EBP) for the Graffiti Abatement Project (Project) within the Reseda/Canoga Park Redevelopment Project Area in Council District Three (C.F. 14-1174-S26) for the purpose of providing graffiti abatement, weed and litter abatement, and tree planting in the public right-of-ways BE AMENDED to AUTHORIZE the Board of Public Works, Office of Community Beautification (BPW-OCB) to approve, negotiate and execute, or amend contracting documents as required with the Los Angeles Conservation Corps (Contractor), Contract No. C-124637 (Contract), to effectuate the Project no later than September 30, 2024.

PRESENTED BY:

BOB BLUMENFIELD

Councilmember, 3rd District

SECONDED BY

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I MOVE that the City Council hereby express its intent to hold a public hearing on the Mayor's Proposed 2023-24 Budget for the City on Wednesday, May 17, 2023 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., in the John Ferraro Council Chamber.

I FURTHER MOVE that in order to provide adequate time for the City Council to consider the Budget, Finance and Innovation Committee report on the Mayor's Proposed 2023-24 Budget, the City Council hereby schedules a special meeting beginning at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, May 18, 2023, which shall be devoted entirely to consideration of the Budget, Finance and Innovation Committee report and City Council motions to amend the Mayor's Proposed 2023-24 Budget, and continuing each regular and special Council meeting day until such time as the City Council concludes its consideration of the Proposed Budget.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Clerk, with the assistance of the City Administrative Officer and the Chief Legislative Analyst, be instructed to provide information to the public on the Mayor's Proposed 2023-24 Budget and publish the required public notices.

PRESENTED BY

BOB BLUMENFIELD

Councilmember, 3rd Distric

SECONDED BY



WHEREAS, §41.18 of the Municipal 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 finds 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 12 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. Gothic Avenue / 118 Freeway Underpass
- 2. Etiwanda Avenue / Parthenia Street Railroad Overpass

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.

PRESENTED BY:

JOHN LEE

Councilmember, 12th District

SECONDED BY: Frai Par

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I MOVE that, subject to the approval of the Mayor, \$400 be appropriated from the Unappropriated Balance Fund No. 100-58 to the General Services Fund No. 100-40, Account No. 1070 (Salaries - As Needed) for services in connection with the Council District 4 special observance of Eid al-Fitr at City Hall on April 21, 22, and 23, 2023, including the illumination of City Hall --- said funds to be reimbursed to the General Fund by the Muslim Public Affairs Council.

PRESENTED BY:

NITHYA RAMAN

Councilmember, 4th District

SECONDED BY:

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As part of the State of California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) 2020 Notice of Funding Availability Homekey1 Program, the City of Los Angeles, through the City Administrative Officer (CAO), acquired 10 motels/hotels and the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles, (HACLA), acquired five (5) motels/hotels.

In April 2021, the State HCD made \$50 million in Community Development Block Grant Program-Coronavirus (CDBG-CV) funding available to Homekey1 awardees for rehabilitation and off-site infrastructure improvements. The CAO applied for funding for one (1) City site and three (3) HACLA sites and was awarded \$9,450,000 in CDBG-CV funding for the four (4) sites (C.F. 20-0941). These sites include:

- 1. Best Western NOHO, 11135 Burbank Boulevard (HACLA);
- 2. Canoga Park Place-Super 8, 7631 Topanga Canyon (HACLA)
- 3. Panorama Inn, 8209 Sepulveda Boulevard (City); and,
- 4. Orchid Hotel, 1753 Orchid Avenue (HACLA).

The City, as the lead applicant for CDBG-CV, administers this funding and all payments from the State HCD are directed to the CAO. The CAO, as the fund administrator, requires additional authority to transfer State CDBG-CV funding to HACLA for the three (3) HACLA-acquired sites that were awarded State CDBG-CV.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

- 1. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
 - a. Establish a new Special Fund entitled, "Homekey 1 CDBG-CV Grant Fund," within Department No. 10, to receive and disburse the Community Development Block Grant-Coronavirus (CDBG-CV) payments from the California Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD);
 - b. Create appropriation accounts, account numbers to be determined, for the Best Western NOHO, 11135 Burbank Boulevard, Canoga Park Place-Super 8, 7631 Topanga Canyon; the Orchid Hotel, 1753 Orchid Avenue; and Panorama Inn. 8209 Sepulveda Boulevard; and
 - Upon receipt of CDBG-CV funds, increase the appropriation within the newly created Special Fund.
- AUTHORIZE payments of up to \$6,950,000 to the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles (HACLA) in CDBG-CV for the rehabilitation and off-site infrastructure improvements of the three (3) Homekey1 sites acquired by HACLA; and,



 AUTHORIZE the City Administrative Officer to prepare any additional Controller instructions or make any necessary technical adjustments, including the names of the Special Fund accounts, consistent with the Mayor and Council intent on this matter, and authorize the Controller to implement these instructions.

PRESENTED BY:

VITHYA RAMAN

Councilmember, 4th District



The Los Angeles Fire Department (LAFD) is experiencing operating budget shortfalls in various accounts for reasons as indicated below. Council approval is urgently needed to expedite the necessary transfer of funds to balance salary and expense accounts for a total of \$4.2M. These transactions cannot be deferred to the upcoming Year End Financial Status Report (FSR) as there is no funding to meet payroll obligations and fiscal year end purchasing deadlines. There is no additional General Fund impact as these transactions involve internal transfers.

- Unused Sick Time (\$3.6M) . MOU provisions that took effect in January 2021 increased the unused sick time compensation pay rate from 50% to 100%. This unfunded increase has dramatically accelerated expenditures in the account beyond Midyear projections, resulting in the depletion of the account. There is no funding to meet payroll obligations for pay period ending April 8, 2023.
- Fleet Parts Account (\$600k) Expenditures have increased significantly in recent months due to surging prices and field demands. This funding cannot be deferred to the Year End FSR as approval of that report typically does not occur until after fiscal year end deadlines for purchase transactions. This account will be depleted as of the pay period ending May 6, 2023.

I THEREFORE MOVE that City Council, subject to approval of the Mayor, authorize the Controller to transfer \$4,200,000 within and between Fund 100 sources, as follows:

	Fund	Account		Amount	
From:	100/38	001012, Sworn Salaries	\$3,600,000		
To:	100/38	001050, Unused Sick Time	\$3	3,600,000	
From:	100/38	001098, Overtime Variable Staffing	\$	600,000	
To:	100/38	003090, Field Equipment Expense	\$	600,000	



I FURTHER MOVE that the Fire Department be authorized to prepare Controller instructions for any technical adjustments, subject to approval of the City Administrative Officer, and that the Controller be authorized to implement the instructions.

PRESENTED BY:

OB BLUMENFIELD

Councilmember, 3rd District

SECONDED BY

BUDGET & FINANCE

MOTION

The City and County of Los Angeles are currently engaged in a lawsuit, <u>Urquidi v. City of Los Angeles et al.</u>, in which plaintiffs allege that the ongoing practice of jailing Angelenos too poor to afford the bail amount listed in the LA County uniform bail schedule is unconstitutional.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council request the City Attorney to report, in closed session if necessary, on the status of <u>Urquidi v. City of Los Angeles et al.</u>

PRESENTED BY:

HUGO SOTO-MARTÍNEZ

Councilmember, 13th District

SECONDED BY:



In 2016, Governor Brown signed Senate Bill 1383 to address climate change via greenhouse gas emissions produced by trapped food waste in landfills. Organics such as food waste, paper, yard clippings, and cardboard make up about half the contents of California landfills. Reducing the amount of organic waste diverted to landfills is one of the fastest methods of reducing greenhouse gas emissions in our atmosphere. SB 1383 aims to reduce organic waste disposal by 75% in 2025. While this is a crucial step in combating climate change, it is important to recognize the role Angelenos have in making this bill successful.

In Los Angeles, residential accounts serviced directly by LA Sanitation & Environment (LASAN) – typically single-family homes and multifamily buildings four units or smaller – already have green bins. While they were originally used only for yard trimmings, on January 16, 2023, organics recycling was officially introduced for all 710,000 LA Sanitation-serviced residents who were not part of one of the City's small organics recycling pilot programs. Commercial accounts that are serviced by contracted recycLA Service Providers (RSPs), including a majority of the City's larger multifamily buildings and businesses, mostly do not currently have green bins. While green bin service has been mandated for commercial accounts since 2018, there has been no enforcement mechanism. That will change on January 1, 2024, when as per City ordinance, commercial accounts without green bin service can be fined repeatedly until they add the service.

Many larger commercial account holders are reluctant to participate in the organics program due to the excess effort believed to be required, and due to fees for additional bins and service that when added up, may end up being more expensive than the fines they would have to pay if they didn't have a green bin. For struggling small businesses and smaller apartments, the additional burden of cost, whether it be fines or green bin fees, could take a significant toll on their ability to operate. Additionally, multifamily buildings that do sign up to participate may want to pass on these additional costs to their tenants, many of whom are already struggling to pay their rent. The City should take steps now to mitigate the financial burden RSP customers will face when enforcement of organics recycling participation begins.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council instruct LASAN to report back within 60 days with options for commercial accounts to mitigate cost increases associated with adding commercial green bin service. Analysis should include:

- Waiving of expensive waste fees, such as distance fees and gate fees, for commercial accounts who are in compliance with the bill;
- Helping commercial account holders recalibrate their waste removal by reducing black bin service to make up for the new green bin service; and
- Developing a recycLA "base rate" structure that includes organics collection (green bin service), in addition to solid waste (black bin service) and recycling (blue bin service).

I FURTHER MOVE that City Council instruct LASAN to report back within 60 days regarding the creation and implementation of a window stickering program to reward businesses who add green bin service, and recognize them for their efforts in being compliant with SB 1383.

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I FURTHER MOVE that City Council instruct LASAN to report to the Council on a quarterly basis on City-wide compliance of SB 1383 so that Council may know the success of the program and if any additional help or incentives are needed to ensure its success.

PRESENTED BY:

NITHYA RAMAN

Councilmember, 4th District

SECONDED BY:

I MOVE that the Council Action of May 26, 2021 (c.f. 21-0446) relative to the naming of the intersection at E Street and Bay View Avenue as "Connie Calderon Square" BE AMENDED to instruct the Department of Transportation to erect permanent ceremonial sign(s) at 612 E Street, adjacent to the Wilmington Teen Center.

PRESENTED BY:

TIM McOSKER Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY:



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Historic-Cultural Monuments are designated by the City ofLos Angeles' Cultural Heritage Commission and confirmed by the City Council. The City currently has over 1,000 HistoricCultural Monuments, providing official recognition and protection for the City's most significant historic resources. Historic-Cultural Monument designation acknowledges noteworthy architecture or structures and sites associated with historic events or personages, recognizes buildings, structures, sites, or plant life as important to the history of the City, State, or Nation, and fosters civic pride. Council District 12 is home to numerous Historical-Cultural Monuments highlighting the rich history of the District.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council direct the Department of Transportation to erect permanent ceremonial sign(s) at the following Historic-Cultural Monument located in Council District 12:

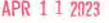
 March Avenue Palm Trees: Historical-Cultural Monument No. 1235 located in the Public Right-of-way in the median and along the east side of N. March Avenue between W. Ingomar Street and W. Justice Street.

PRESENTED BY

JOHN S. LEE

Councilmember, 12th District

SECONDED BY



Assemblymember Mike Gipson, who represents the harbor area, needs office space in the district to serve his constituents. Room 530B in the City-owned San Pedro Municipal Building, located at 638 S. Beacon Street, San Pedro, CA 90731 has been identified as a prime location for these services, and City staff should be directed to negotiate a lease for this space with the Assemblymember's Office.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Department of General Services, with the assistance of the City Attorney, be directed to negotiate a no-cost lease with the Office of Assemblymember Mike Gipson for Room 530B in the City-owned San Pedro Municipal Building, located at 638 S. Beacon Street, San Pedro, CA 90731.

PRESENTED BY:

IM McOSKER

Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY:

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People experiencing homelessness often have intensive physical and behavioral health needs. Recent surveys and studies indicate that 40% to 67% of homeless Angelenos have either a mental illness or a substance abuse disorder, while over 20% have a physical disability. In recent years, the City of Los Angeles has made sizable investments in interim housing programs where unsheltered individuals are able to come indoors and stabilize. However, these sites are not equipped with on-site medical, mental, and behavioral health support for program participants. In order to comprehensively serve the individuals moving into shelter and to ensure that staff at these sites are supported, holistic health care services should be provided on-site.

The City has recently made a sizable investment in Street Medicine, expanding in February from one team to three, which serve Council Districts 1, 4, 8, 9, 13, and 14. These mobile teams provide critical care to support unsheltered individuals, and they continue to provide services as these individuals transition to living indoors. Street Medicine teams provide the following services to individuals living unsheltered and transitioning into interim housing sites:

- General medical services, including chronic disease care, preventive care, urgent care, and wound care;
- Behavioral health services, including counseling, therapy, and medication treatment for severe mental illness with guidance from a psychiatrist;
- Addiction recovery services, including counseling and medication-assisted treatment with guidance from an addiction medicine specialist; and
- Medical care management, including coordination of specialist visits, medication delivery, health insurance enrollment, and the provision of durable medical equipment.

In November 2022, the California Department of Health Services released guidance to Medi-Cal managed care health plans that effectively encourages Medi-Cal insurers to fund and partner with organizations that bring primary care into encampments, including the Street Medicine teams doing life-saving work here in the City of Los Angeles. Thanks to this new guidance, Street Medicine teams are able to cover a large portion of the costs of these services by billing Medi-Cal for both medical services and CalAIM services. However, these reimbursements do not entirely cover the costs of the program, particularly for service recipients who, for various reasons, are uninsured. The City must subsidize these services in order to ensure that Street Medicine teams are able to provide continuous care to residents as they transition indoors from encampments, and so that these teams can expand their care to all residents of all City-funded interim housing sites.

Healthcare in Action, a Street Medicine provider, estimates that adequate service at interim housing sites would require half-day clinics once per week at interim housing sites with approximately 50 individuals and half-day clinics twice per week at interim housing sites with

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approximately 100 individuals. For each weekly half-day clinic, the annual subsidy the City would need to provide would be \$24,000. Just over \$4 Million remains unspent and unallocated in the General City Purposes - Additional Homeless Services (GCP-AHD) fund. We should take action now to ensure that these funds are spent on the badly needed, life-saving services provided by Street Medicine teams, and that these teams are able to continue seeing clients that they serve on the street after they transition indoors.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council direct the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report back within 30 days with recommendations that will enable Street Medicine teams to provide medical, mental and behavioral health services at all City-funded interim housing sites. These recommendations should include appropriate funding, staffing, and other resources to initiate this expansion of Street Medicine services as soon as possible.

I FURTHER MOVE that the City Council direct the CAO, with the assistance of the Chief Legislative Analyst, to explore additional funding sources for these much-needed services, including State and Federal grants and potential agreements with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health and the Department of Health Services.

PRESENTED BY:

NITHYA RAMAN

Councilmember, 4th Distric

SECONDED BY:

On December 15, 2006, 14-year-old Cheryl Green was standing with friends in her Harbor Gateway neighborhood when members of the 204th Street gang walked up and shot into the crowd. Her murder sparked outrage and highlighted long-standing tensions in the neighborhood. Cries to combat gang activity and increase community public safety led to the establishment of a Boys & Girls Club Center for the surrounding area in 2009.

The Harbor Gateway area has historically lacked safe spaces for youth to receive educational and recreational opportunities. Named the "Cheryl Green Community Youth Center", the Boys & Girls Club at Del Amo Boulevard and Denker Avenue is located a few blocks from where Cheryl was shot. The site seeks to provide a place to go after school, where children can play and receive mentoring and tutoring. The Club is an important community asset and will continue to honor the life and legacy of Cheryl Green.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the intersection of Del Amo Boulevard and Denker Avenue in Harbor Gateway be designated "Cheryl Green Memorial Square", and that the Department of Transportation be directed to erect permanent ceremonial sign(s) to this effect at this location.

PRESENTED BY:

TIM McOSKER

Councilmember, 15th District

SECONDED BY:



Per- and Polyfluorinated Substances (PFAS) are man-made chemicals that have been used in products worldwide since the 1940s. They have been used to make nonstick cookware, water-repellent clothing, stain resistant fabrics and carpets, cosmetics, firefighting foams, and products that resist grease, water, and oil. Scientific studies have shown that exposure to some PFAS in the environment may be linked to harmful health effects in both humans and animals.

PFAS are found in firefighter protective gear and have been linked to cancer, the leading cause of firefighter death. Cancer accounted for more than 74% of line-of-duty deaths in 2022. Recent studies have shown that all three layers of firefighter turnout gear contain PFAS. These studies also highlight the risks associated with the materials and finishes used in turnout gear even before the gear is exposed to its first fire.

Resolution 28 of the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF) 55th Convention calls on the IAFF to stop accepting sponsorships or advertising from the chemical industry, textile manufacturers or personal protective equipment (PPE) manufacturers that use toxic chemicals, recommends an end of repurposing used or expired PPE and calls on the IAFF to publish information on PFAS based on research by independent scientists with no connections to the PPE industry.

Protecting the health and safety of our city's fire fighters is unwavering and the work to remove these toxic chemicals from the protective gear must be done.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Fire Department report back on current testing being done, if any, to report the levels of PFAS in firefighter protective gear. This report should include possible outside sources to perform this testing.

I FURTHER MOVE that the Fire Department report back with current plans to remove the hazardous firefighter gear from all inventory and fire stations across the city. This report should include funding needed for new and safe firefighter protective gear.

PRESENTED

MONICA RODRIGUEZ

Councilwoman, 7th District

SECONDED BY:

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A lease and sublease extension, for agreements set to expire on June 30, 2023, are necessary for the A Bridge Home located at 100 Sunset Avenue in Council District 11.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council authorize the Department of General Services to negotiate and execute agreements for a lease extension with Metro and a sublease extension with the current service provider for the continued operation of A Bridge Home located at 100 Sunset Avenue in Council District 11 for a term of 6-months and an optional subsequent two terms of 6-months each.

PRESENTED BY:

FRACI PARK

Councilmember, 11th District

SECONDED BY:



I HEREBY MOVE that Council RECEIVE and FILE the application for Determination of Public Convenience or Necessity for the sale of alcoholic beverages for off-site consumption at 99 Cents Only Store No. 450 located at 16107 Victory Boulevard, (Item No. 11, Council file No. 23-0241):

PRESENTED BY

PAUL KREKORIAN
Councilmember, 2nd District

SECONDED BY

TIM McOSKER
Councilmember, 15th District

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ITEM NO. 30-A

MOTION

I MOVE that, pursuant to Charter Section 409(a), Heather Hutt be appointed to hold the office of Councilmember, 10th District, for the remainder of the unexpired term, inasmuch as that office has been rendered vacant by the felony conviction of the person most recently elected to that office.

PRESENTED BY:

PAUL KREKORIAN

Councilman, 2nd District

CURREN D. PRICE, Jr.

Councilman, 9th District

MARQUEECE HARRIS-DAWSON

Councilman, 8th District

SECONDED BY:

