

Los Angeles City Council, **Journal/Council Proceedings**  
Friday, September 28, 2007  
John Ferraro Council Chamber, Room 340, City Hall - 10 am

(For further details see Official Council Files)

**(For communications referred by the President see Referral Memorandum)**

**ROLL CALL - Members present: Alarcon, Cardenas, Greuel, Hahn, LaBonge, Parks, Rosendahl, Weiss, Wesson, Zine and President Garcetti (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4).**

APPROVAL OF THE RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL MEETING OF  
September 25, 2005

COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS AND INTRODUCTIONS - SEE PAGE 24

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PUBLIC TESTIMONY ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS AT THE CALL OF THE CHAIR -  
An opportunity for public testimony was provided.

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ROLL CALL NUMBER (#) - INDICATES THE ORDER IN WHICH THE ITEMS WERE ACTED  
UPON DURING THE COUNCIL MEETING

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## **Item Noticed for Public Hearing - Item 1**

**ITEM NO. (1) - PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

**Roll Call #4 - Motion (Rosendahl - Cardenas) Adopted to Close Public Hearing, Ayes (11);  
Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)**

[07-1712](#)

CD 1 CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HEARING PROTESTS and ORDINANCE FIRST  
CONSIDERATION relative to the improvement and maintenance of ALVARADO STREET BETWEEN  
HOOVER AND THIRD STREETS LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. DENY the protests and confirm the assessments.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE levying the assessments and ordering the maintenance of the above lighting district, in accordance with Sections 6.95-6.127 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code and Government Code Section 53753 (Proposition 218).

(Public Hearing held September 14, 2007)

## Items for Which Public Hearings Have Been Held - Items 2-7

### ITEM NO. (2) - CONTINUED TO NOVEMBER 20, 2007

**Roll Call #5 - Motion (Zine - Wesson) Adopted to Continue, Unanimous Vote (11);  
Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)**

06-2789

CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCE SECOND CONSIDERATION amending Chapters 11 and 11.5 of Division 4 of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to codify the Medicare Part B Basic Premium reimbursement subsidy for the Fire and Police Pension Plan, to clarify the Medicare Part B Basic Premium reimbursement for the Los Angeles City Employees' Retirement System, and to make other technical changes.

(Continued from Council meeting of August 14, 2007)

[Pursuant to Charter Section 1618(b) final adoption cannot occur until at least 30 days after its first presentation to the Council]

10 VOTES REQUIRED

**Roll Call #6 - Motion (LaBonge - Weiss) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)  
(Item Nos. 3-6)**

### ITEM NO. (3) - ADOPTED

07-2264

CD 4 ORDINANCE SECOND CONSIDERATION relative to authorizing the quitclaim of Storm Sewer Easement for Glendower Avenue easterly of Bonvue Avenue (Right of Way No. 36000-1580).

(Communication from the City Engineer adopted on September 21, 2007)

### ITEM NO. (4) - ADOPTED

07-1223

CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF HOUSING, COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the loss of approximately \$13 million in Shelter Plus Care rental subsidies from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for new homeless housing projects and related actions.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Motion (Alarcon - Smith):

REQUEST the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles (HACLA) to prepare a report on the impact of the loss of approximately \$13 million in Shelter Plus Care rental subsidies from HUD for new homeless housing projects and its plan to rectify the loss of funds, including the status of all HACLA rental assistance programs funded by HUD.

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

(Continued from Council meeting of August 15, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (5) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT RECOMMENDATION -  
SEE FOLLOWING**

07-2911

CD 5 COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT and CITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER and RESOLUTION relative to the issuance of Tax-exempt Certificates of Participation in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$12 million for the benefit of the Stephen Wise Community High School, a California Non-profit Corporation, or a related entity.

(Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee report to be submitted in Council. If public hearing is not held in Committee, an opportunity for public comments will be provided.)

(For background reports and materials related to this matter, contact the Legislative Assistant for the Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee at 213-978-1080)

**ADOPTED**

**HOUSING, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to the issuance of Tax-exempt Certificates of Participation in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$12 million for the benefit of the Stephen Wise Community High School, a California Non-profit Corporation, or a related entity.**

**Recommendations for Council action:**

1. **FIND that the proposed tax-exempt financing of middle school facilities under the Stephen Wise Community High School Project (Project) is necessary and appropriate to accomplish City community and economic development objectives.**
2. **ADOPT the accompanying Resolution (attached to the Community Development Department (CDD) report dated August 8, 2007) relating to the authorization, execution and delivery of Certificates of Participation for the Project and approving the execution and delivery of an Installment Purchase Agreement in accordance with Section 147(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (both documents included as attachments to the CDD report dated August 8, 2007.)**
3. **AUTHORIZE the General Manager, CDD, or designee, subject to the review of the City Attorney as to form and legality, to:**
  - a. **Prepare, or cause to be prepared, the following documents: Installment Purchase Agreement, Installment Sale Agreement, Trust Agreement, Certificate Purchase Agreement, and any other documents necessary for the execution and delivery of the Certificates, including a Tax Certificate and Agreement.**

- b. Negotiate and execute all other documents and agreements required for the execution and delivery of the Certificates.

**Fiscal Impact Statement:** The City Administrative Officer reports that there is no General Fund impact. Approval of the recommendations authorizes the City to issue up to \$12 million in tax-exempt Certificates of Participation on behalf of the Project in West Los Angeles. This action complies with City financial and debt management policies in that Certificate proceeds are generated from investor capital and require no pledge of public funds for their backing, security, or repayment. Debt incurred from the Certificates will be repaid from operating revenues of the Borrower. The City is not providing any financial assistance to this Project.

**ITEM NO. (6) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMITTEE REPORT RECOMMENDATION -  
SEE FOLLOWING**

07-2944

COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT relative to accepting disaster preparedness funding from the State of California, Department of Community Services and Development, and various actions related thereto, including the execution of a State Agreement.

(Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee report to be submitted in Council. If public hearing is not held in Committee, an opportunity for public comments will be provided.)

(For background reports and materials related to this matter, contact the Legislative Assistant for the Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee at 213-978-1080)

**ADOPTED**

**HOUSING, COMMUNITY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT** relative to a Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Agreement with the State of California for Disaster Preparedness Training.

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

1. **AUTHORIZE** the General Manager, Community Development Department (CDD), or designee, to:
  - a. **Execute Grant Agreement 07F-4868 (Attachment 1 of the City Administrative Officer (CAO) report dated September 24, 2007), any amendments thereto, and any other supporting documents with the State of California, Department of Community Services and Development (State) for the disbursement of the CSBG in the amount of \$24,500, for the period September 15, 2007 through September 14, 2008, subject to the review of the City Attorney as to form and legality.**
  - b. **Prepare Controller instructions for any necessary technical adjustments that may be required and are consistent with the Mayor and Council action on this matter, subject to the approval of the CAO, and request the Controller to implement the instructions.**

2. **REQUEST the Controller to:**

a. **Increase appropriations within the CSBG Fund No. 428, Account No. C122 by \$24,500.**

b. **Appropriate \$24,500 within Fund No. 100/22, as follows:**

<b>Account No.</b>	<b>Account Title</b>	<b>Amount</b>
2120	Travel	\$ 4,500
6010	Office and Administration	\$20,000
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$24,500</b>

c. **Approve the use of \$24,500 to fund CDD's Disaster Preparedness Program to facilitate Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training to staff of more than 60 community-based organizations and community members.**

**Fiscal Impact Statement:** The CAO reports that there is no impact on the General Fund. The recommendations are in compliance with the City's Financial Policies in that the \$24,500 will fully fund the disaster preparedness training to the low income or vulnerable population within the City of Los Angeles. There is no matching requirement of City funds.

**ITEM NO. (7) - CONTINUED TO OCTOBER 2, 2007 - SEE FOLLOWING**

**Roll Call #1 - Motion (Garcetti - Cardenas) Adopted to Continue, Unanimous Vote (11);  
Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)**

[07-2823](#)

CD 13

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER relative to proposed Operating Agreement with New South Parking- California for the operation and management of the Hollywood and Highland Parking Facility (Lot 745) located at 6801 Hollywood Boulevard and associated fund transfers.

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

(For background reports and materials related to this matter, contact the Legislative Assistant for the Transportation Committee at 213-978-1076.)

**CONTINUED**

**TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE REPORT** relative to proposed operating agreement with New South Parking- California (New South) for the operation and management of the Hollywood and Highland Parking Facility (Lot 745) located at 6801 Hollywood Boulevard.

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

1. **AUTHORIZE** the General Manager of the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) to negotiate and execute an operating agreement with New South to provide commercial parking operation and management services for the City's Hollywood and Highland Parking Facility (Lot 745), located at 6801 Hollywood Boulevard, for a term of three years with two options to continue said agreement for one year on a month-to-month basis, for compensation of an estimated \$6,659,082.
2. **TRANSFER** \$750,000 from the Special Parking Revenue Fund, Fund No. 363/94, Account No. 0040, Capital Equipment Purchases, to the Special Parking Revenue Fund, Fund No. 363/94, Account No. 0050, Contractual Services, to reimburse the proposed contractor (New South) for the purchase of revenue control equipment for the City's Hollywood and Highland Parking Facility.

**Fiscal Impact Statement:** The City Administrative Officer (CAO) reports that there is no impact to the General Fund as funding for the proposed agreement, as detailed above in Recommendation No. 1, as Special Parking Revenue Fund are budgeted as follows:

- a. Funding in the amount of \$750,000 was provided in the 2006-07 Special Parking Revenue Fund Adopted Budget for the replacement of the revenue control equipment.
- b. Funding in the amounts of \$2.67 million and \$2.75 million was provided in the 2006-07 and 2007-08 Special Parking Revenue Fund Adopted Budgets. Future funding will be requested during the budget process from the Special Parking Revenue Fund and is subject to the approval of the annual budget by the Mayor and Council. The recommendations contained in the September 7, 2007 CAO report are consistent with the City's Financial Policies in that ongoing special fund revenues are available and eligible to support this purpose and the continuation of the agreements will be subject to funding on an annual basis as part of the regular budget process.

**Items for Which Public Hearings Have Not Been Held - Items 8-27**

(10 Votes Required for Consideration)

**Roll Call #7 - Motion (Garcetti - LaBonge) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)  
(Item Nos. 8-12)**

**ITEM NO. (8) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

07-2771

CD 2

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of MOORPARK STREET AND CAMELLIA AVENUE LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 30, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Moorpark Street and Camellia Avenue Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$284.56 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (9) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

07-2772

CD 11

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of GLENDON AND MCCUNE AVENUES LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 28, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Glendon and McCune Avenues Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$153.14 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (10) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

07-2773

CD 6

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of LAUREL CANYON BOULEVARD AND STAGG STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 28, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Stagg Street Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$497.98 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (11) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

07-2775

CD 13

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of ALVARADO AND COURT STREETS LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 28, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Alvarado and Court Streets Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$533.55 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (12) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

06-0074

CD 2

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND RADFORD AVENUE (REBALLOT) LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 30, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Riverside Drive and Radford Avenue (Reballot) Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$391.27 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (13) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

**Roll Call #8 - Motion (Greuel - Alarcon) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-2768

CD 2

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of LEMP AVENUE AND MOORPARK STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 30, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Lemp Avenue and Moorpark Street Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$315.06 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (14) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

**Roll Call #7 - Motion (Garcetti - LaBonge) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-2769

CD 6 COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of TYRONE AVENUE AND VALERIO STREET LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 30, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Tyrone Avenue and Valerio Street Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$143.57 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (15) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

**Roll Call #8 - Motion (Greuel - Alarcon) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-2747

CD 9 COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of CROCKER AND 12TH STREETS LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 29, 2007.

2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Crocker and 12th Streets Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$239.28 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**Roll Call #7 - Motion (Garcetti - LaBonge) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)  
(Item Nos. 16-17)**

**ITEM NO. (16) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

04-1973

CD 4

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of FAIR AVENUE AND CHANDLER STREET (REBALLOT NO. 2) LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 28, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Fair Avenue and Chandler Street (Reballot No. 2) Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$6,402.59 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

**ITEM NO. (17) - MOTION ADOPTED TO APPROVE COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS -  
ORDINANCE OVER TO OCTOBER 5, 2007**

05-0657-S2

CD 11

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING and ORDINANCE OF INTENTION FIRST CONSIDERATION relative to establishing a hearing date for the maintenance of BARRINGTON AND NEBRASKA AVENUES NO. 2 LIGHTING DISTRICT.

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

1. ADOPT the report of the Director, Bureau of Street Lighting, dated August 27, 2007.
2. PRESENT and ADOPT the accompanying ORDINANCE OF INTENTION setting the date of **NOVEMBER 30, 2007** as the hearing date for the maintenance of Barrington and Nebraska Avenues No. 2 Lighting District, in accordance with Proposition 218, Articles XIIC and XIID of the California Constitution and Government Code Section 53753.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The Bureau of Street Lighting reports that if adopted, \$561.08 will be collected annually starting with tax year 2008-09 that will go into a dedicated street lighting maintenance assessment account for the use in the operation and maintenance of this street lighting system.

(Board of Public Works Hearing Date: November 21, 2007)

## ITEM NO. (18) - ADOPTED

### Roll Call #10 - Motion (Garcetti - Alarcon) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith(4)

07-0005-S644

et al. RESOLUTIONS relative to removing various properties from the Rent Escrow Account Program.

Recommendation for Council action:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTIONS removing the following properties from the Rent Escrow Account Program (REAP), inasmuch as the owner(s) have corrected the cited REAP violations and provided proof of compliance with the Los Angeles Housing Department, Code Enforcement Unit, habitability citations, pursuant to Ordinance 173810, and ADOPT the Findings contained in the Los Angeles Housing Department's report of September 20, 2007:

07-0005-S644

CD 14 a. Property at 3061 East Ganahl Street (Case No. 24467).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5229-005-006

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on August 17, 2006)

07-0005-S645

CD 13 b. Property at 4608 West La Mirada Avenue (Case No. 50108).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5542-019-033

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on November 8, 2006)

07-0005-S646

CD 14 c. Property at 2118 East Fourth Street (Case No. 24562).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5183-018-033

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on August 17, 2006)

07-0005-S647

CD 9 d. Property at 1524 East 52nd Street (Case No. 82001).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5105-002-006

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on February 20, 2007)

07-0005-S648

CD 9 e. Property at 5003 Hooper Avenue (Case No. 92372).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5107-028-015

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on August 23, 2007)

07-0005-S649

CD 13 f. Property at 2704 Council Street (Case No. 101043).  
Assessor I.D. No. 5156-021-002

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on June 8, 2007)

07-0005-S650

CD 2 g. Property at 13606 Wyandotte Street (Case No. 70684).  
Assessor I.D. No. 2328-006-028

(Notice of Acceptance into the REAP/Rent Reduction Program was sent on March 29, 2007)

#### **ITEM NO. (19) - ADOPTED**

#### **Roll Call #9 - Motion (Parks - Alarcon) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-3032

et al. MOTIONS relative to "Special Events" to be held in the various Council Districts.

Recommendations for Council action:

DECLARE the following community events as "Special Events"; APPROVE any temporary street closures as requested; and, INSTRUCT the involved City departments to perform such services as detailed the Council motions attached to the various listed Council files, including the waiver of fees, costs and requirements and other related issues as specified:

07-3032

CD 15 a. MOTION (HAHN - PARKS) relative to declaring the Watson Street Block Party on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,226).

07-3033

CD 15 b. MOTION (HAHN - PARKS) relative to declaring the Rainbow Services Domestic Violence Awareness Month Performance on October 28, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$750).

- 07-3034  
CD 15 c. MOTION (HAHN - PARKS) relative to declaring the Island Avenue Block Party on September 28, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,226).
- 07-3035  
CD 9 d. MOTION (PERRY - REYES) relative to declaring the Healing Relationships on September 22, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$500).
- 07-3036  
CD 9 e. MOTION (PERRY - REYES) relative to declaring the Homeless Feeding Summit on September 27, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,000).
- 07-3037  
CD 8 f. MOTION (PARKS - HUIZAR) relative to declaring the Celebrating 25 Years of Pastoral Leadership in the Community on September 23, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$5,379).
- 07-3038  
CD 6 g. MOTION (CARDENAS - PARKS) relative to declaring the Saint Genevieve High School 45th Annual Homecoming celebration and parade on October 13, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,800).
- 07-3039  
CD 6 h. MOTION (CARDENAS - PARKS) relative to declaring the Liberty Temple Fourth Annual Thunder in Arleta on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,950).
- 06-2096  
CD 6 i. MOTION (CARDENAS - HUIZAR) relative to declaring the Victory Outreach Seventh Annual Valley Unity Car Show and Concert on October 6, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,950).
- 07-1958  
CD 6 j. MOTION (CARDENAS - HUIZAR) relative to declaring the Neighborhood Clean-up on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,500).
- 07-3040  
CD 13 k. MOTION (GARCETTI - ROSENDAHL) relative to declaring the Leather Meets Lace at the Playboy Mansion on October 6, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$3,440).
- 07-3041  
CD 13 l. MOTION (GARCETTI - LABONGE) relative to declaring the Lift Up America Meet Me in Miami Premiere on September 25, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$2,017).
- 07-3042  
CD 14 m. MOTION (HUIZAR - PARKS) relative to declaring the Neighborhood Music Festival on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-3043

CD 7 n. MOTION (ALARCON - CARDENAS) relative to declaring the Football Games at Alemany High School on October 5, October 19, October 26, November 9, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = none submitted).

06-0667

CD 13 o. MOTION (GARCETTI - PERRY) relative to declaring the 15th Annual Thai Cultural Day on September 23, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$3,380).

07-3044

CD 13 p. MOTION (GARCETTI - PERRY) relative to declaring the St. Anne's Parish Annual International Fiesta on October 6-7, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$2,692).

07-3045

CD 7 q. MOTION (ALARCON - CARDENAS) relative to declaring the MEND Fiesta Mexicana on September 28, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$877).

07-3048

CD 5 r. MOTION (WEISS - ROSENDAHL) relative to declaring the Achievable Foundation Sixth Annual Walk, Run and Wheel on 3,517 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$3,517).

05-2070

CD 5 s. MOTION (WEISS - ROSENDAHL) relative to declaring the Cedars-Sinai Medical Center Run for Her event on November 11, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,188).

07-3037-S1

CD 8 t. MOTION (PARKS - LABONGE) relative to declaring the Celebrating 25 Years of Pastoral Leadership in the community on September 23, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$312).

## ITEM NO. (20) - ADOPTED

### Roll Call #11 - Motion (Rosendahl - Greuel) Adopted, Ayes (11);

**Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-0010-S59

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - REYES) relative to an offer of reward for information leading to the identification, apprehension, and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the death of Jesse Zimmerman on September 2, 2006.

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

1. PROVIDE an offer of reward in the amount of \$50,000 for information leading to the identification, apprehension, and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the death of Jesse Zimmerman on September 2, 2006.
2. FIND that the subject reward complies with the provisions of Chapter 12, Article 1, Division 19, of the Los Angeles Administrative Code.

3. DIRECT the City Clerk to publish the required notices and/or advertisements to effectuate this reward.

**Roll Call #7 - Motion (Garcetti - LaBonge) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes, Smith (4)  
(Item Nos. 21-22)**

**ITEM NO. (21) - ADOPTED**

07-3049

CD 3 MOTION (ROSENDAHL - REYES) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings for the excess right-of-way on the northerly side of Oxnard Avenue easterly of Reseda Boulevard.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. INITIATE street vacation proceedings, pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law to vacate the excess right-of-way on the northerly side of Oxnard Avenue easterly of Reseda Boulevard.
2. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
3. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested areas to the Public Works Committee.
4. DIRECT the City Clerk to schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time under the City's Street Vacation procedures.

**ITEM NO. (22) - ADOPTED**

07-3050

CD 4 MOTION (ROSENDAHL - REYES) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings to vacate a portion of the alley easterly of Vermont Avenue approximately 80 feet southerly of Prospect Avenue.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. INITIATE street vacation proceedings, pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law to vacate a portion of the alley easterly of Vermont Avenue approximately 80 feet southerly of Prospect Avenue.
2. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
3. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested areas to the Public Works Committee.
4. DIRECT the City Clerk to schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time under the City's Street Vacation procedures.

**ITEM NO. (23) - CONTINUED TO OCTOBER 30, 2007**

**Roll Call #2 - Motion (Greuel - Cardenas) Adopted to Continue, Unanimous Vote (11);  
Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-2578

CD 2 CONTINUED CONSIDERATION OF MOTION (ROSENDAHL - GREUEL) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings for the excess right-of-way along a portion of the southerly side of Wentworth Street from Mary Bell Avenue to approximately 120 feet westerly thereof.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. INITIATE street vacation proceedings, pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law for the excess right-of-way along a portion of the southerly side of Wentworth Street from Mary Bell Avenue to approximately 120 feet westerly thereof.
2. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
3. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested areas to the Public Works Committee.
4. DIRECT the City Clerk to schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time under the City's Street Vacation procedures.

(Continued from Council meeting of August 17, 2007)

**Roll Call #7 - Motion (Garcetti - LaBonge) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)  
(Item Nos. 24-26)**

**ITEM NO. (24) - ADOPTED**

07-3051

CD 3 MOTION (ROSENDAHL - REYES) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings to vacate the alley turnaround approximately 190 feet westerly of Etiwanda Avenue and southerly of Sherman Way.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. INITIATE street vacation proceedings, pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law to vacate the alley turnaround approximately 190 feet westerly of Etiwanda Avenue and southerly of Sherman Way.
2. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
3. DIRECT the Bureau of Engineering to present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested areas to the Public Works Committee.

4. DIRECT the City Clerk to schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time under the City's Street Vacation procedures.

**ITEM NO. (25) - ADOPTED**

07-3046

MOTION (GARCETTI - PERRY) relative to authorizing the Community Development Department (CDD) to use the City Hall Spring Street Forecourt.

Recommendation for Council action:

AUTHORIZE the CDD to use the City Hall Spring Street Forecourt on Friday, October 19, 2007, during normal business hours, for a special reception for the Domestic Violence Task Force.

**ITEM NO. (26) - ADOPTED**

07-3047

MOTION (REYES - PERRY) relative to authorizing the Planning Department to use the City Hall Rotunda on September 27, 2007, and funding for services connected with the event.

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

1. AUTHORIZE the Planning Department to use the City Hall Rotunda on September 27, 2007, from 5 pm to 7:30 pm, for a special reception relative to "The Sustainable City."
2. TRANSFER \$500 from the Planning Fund No. 100-68, Account No. 6020 (Operating Supplies and Expense) to the General Services Fund No. 100-40, Account No. 1090 (Salaries - Overtime) for services in connection with the above described event.

**ITEM NO. (27) - ADOPTED**

**Roll Call #9 - Motion (Parks - Alarcon) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Hahn, Huizar, Reyes and Smith (4)**

07-3059

et al. FINAL MAPS in the various Council Districts.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE the Final Maps and ADOPT the City Engineer Reports as detailed in the various listed Council files, including bonds, agreements, contracts and other related issues as specified.

07-3059

- CD 9 a. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 62057 for property lying northerly of Second Street and westerly of Hewitt Street.  
(Bond No. C-112216)  
(Quimby Fee: \$568,814)  
Applicants: Second Street LA Limited Partnership  
James H. Kawamura

07-3060

- CD 15 b. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 61830 for property lying easterly of Western Avenue and northerly of Westmont Drive.  
(Bond No. C-112388)  
(Quimby Fee: \$676,328)  
Applicants: Lawrence Saks  
Lanco Engineering

07-3061

- CD 5 c. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 53837 for property lying along the northerly side of Alcott Street and westerly of Glenville Drive.  
(Bond No. C-112389)  
(Quimby Fee: \$28,210)  
Applicants: 9315 Alcott, LLC  
Harvey Goodman

07-3062

- CD 14 d. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 66674 for property lying northerly of Seventh Place and easterly of Santa Fe Avenue.  
(Bond No. C-112390)  
(Quimby Fee: \$27,977)  
Applicants: 2121 Lofts Operating Company, LLC  
Hans C. Thomsen

07-3063

- CD 4 e. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 61173 for property lying westerly of Harvard Boulevard and northerly of Fourth Street.  
(Bond No. C-112391)  
(Quimby Fee: \$49,082)  
Applicants: Harvard 345, LLC  
Tala Associates

07-3064

- CD 11 f. FINAL MAP OF TRACT NO. 63287 for property lying southerly of National Boulevard and easterly of Federal Avenue.  
(Bond No. C-112215)  
(Quimby Fee: \$21,906)  
Applicants: DHA Construction, Inc.  
Harvey A. Goodman

## Item for Which Public Hearing Has Been Held - Item 28

ITEM NO. (28) - CONTINUED TO OCTOBER 2, 2007

Roll Call #3 - Motion (Cardenas - Wesson) Adopted to Continue, Unanimous Vote (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)

06-2443

AD HOC COMMITTEE ON GANG VIOLENCE AND YOUTH DEVELOPMENT REPORT relative to creating a first source hiring program that requires contractors who hire new employees for work on City service contracts to seek employee references through referrals from the City.

Recommendation for Council action:

1. REQUEST the City Attorney to prepare and present an ordinance amending the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) to create a First Source Hiring Program that requires contractors who hire new employees for work on City service contracts to seek employee references through referrals from the City and other agencies that train and find employment for the traditionally unemployed or under-employed, substantially as shown in the draft ordinance from the City Attorney dated September 19, 2007 (attached to the Council file), and as amended to reflect the following:
  - a. Require the Designated Administrative Agency (DAA) to provide quarterly reports to the Ad Hoc Committee on Gang Violence and Youth Development regarding the status of ordinance implementation and enforcement.
  - b. Grant the DAA the authority to withhold payment under the contract if the Contractor fails to comply with the ordinance.
  - c. Grant the DAA the authority to recommend that awarding authorities cancel a contract in the event the Contractor fails to comply with the ordinance.
  - d. Add a mechanism that assures that the DAA will be notified before every personal service contract subject to the ordinance is executed.
  - e. Provide that the DAA have some ability to either monitor or approve exemptions from the ordinance.
2. DIRECT the Bureau of Contract Administration to report to Council relative to:
  - a. Time required to implement the First Source Hiring Program requirement for City contractors.
  - b. Implementation cost.
  - c. Time required to develop program guidelines and regulations.

- d. Along with the Community Development Department, identify additional staff requirements needed to fully implement, administer, and enforce the proposed First Source Hiring requirement for City contractors.
3. REQUEST the Mayor, the Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA) Department, and the Chair of the Council's Trade, Commerce, and Tourism Committee to convene a meeting with the contractors doing business with the LAWA to discuss the First Source Hiring Program and the proposed requirement for contractors to seek employee references through referrals from the City and other agencies that train and find employment for the traditionally unemployed or under-employed.

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

(Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee waived consideration of the above matter)

## **MOTIONS PRESENTED PURSUANT TO RULE NO. 16 - TO BE PLACED ON THE NEXT AVAILABLE AGENDA**

ITEM NO. ()

07-3132

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Why Did I Get Married Movie Premiere on October 4, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-3124

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Jericho DVD Launch Party on October 2, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-3125

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the MGM Screening Lars and the Real Girl on October 2, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-0522

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Vanity Fair Event on October 2, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-3126

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Harley Davidson Fashion Show on October 17, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-3127

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Fox Reality Awards on October 2, 2007 a Special Event (the event sponsor shall reimburse the City for all fees and costs associated with this event).

07-0164

MOTION (CARDENAS - GREUEL) relative to declaring the Van Nuys Health Fair and Family Festival on October 20, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$3,800).

07-3129

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - WEISS) relative to declaring the Chabad Succot Fall Celebration from September 25, to October 7, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$4,112).

07-3130

MOTION (CARDENAS - GREUEL) relative to declaring the San Fernando Valley Health and Safety Fair on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$3,800).

07-3131

MOTION (ALARCON - LABONGE) relative to declaring the Mary Immaculate Rosary Procession on October 8, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$2,000).

07-3132

MOTION (LABONGE - GARCETTI) relative to declaring the City of Angels Half Marathon & 5K Walk on December 2, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$79,504).

07-3134

MOTION (PARKS - HAHN) relative to declaring the Health Awareness Fair on September 30, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,642).

07-3135

MOTION (ALARCON - LABONGE) relative to declaring the Community Clean-Up on September 29, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = none submitted).

07-2922-S1

MOTION (WEISS - WESSON) relative to declaring the AIDS Walk Los Angeles on October 21, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$22,652).

06-1358

MOTION (ALARCON - ROSENDAHL) relative to declaring the Second Annual Pacoima Fiesta at the Ritchie Valens Recreation Center on October 13, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,477).

07-3142

MOTION (LABONGE - PARKS) relative to declaring the Spaulding Square Annual Harvest Festival on October 27, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,188).

06-2403

MOTION (LABONGE - PARKS) relative to declaring the Lucerne Boulevard Block Party on October 21, 2007 a Special Event (fees and costs absorbed by the City = \$1,188).

07-3133

MOTION (PARKS for PERRY - GARCETTI) relative to authorizing the Environmental Affairs Department (EAD) to submit a grant application to assist in the cleanup and reuse of Brownfields.

07-3137

MOTION (GREUEL - CARDENAS) relative to approval of a lease for office space at 9000 Sunland Boulevard, Suite A, Sun Valley, CA 91352 for the Sun Valley Area Neighborhood Council.

07-0011-S32

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - WEISS) relative to funding from the Council District 11 portion of the Street Furniture Revenue Fund for enhanced graffiti abatement efforts in Council District 11.

07-2450

MOTION (ALARCON - ROSENDAHL) relative to amending Council action in connection with Special Event declaration for Operation Crime Sweep.

07-3138

MOTION (GARCETTI - GREUEL) relative to conducting single topic sessions on Environmental Issues during the regular Council meetings on Tuesday, October 9 and Wednesday, October 10, 2007.

07-3143

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - PARKS) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings for the North-South alley easterly of Vermont Avenue between Florence Avenue and 73rd Street.

07-3144

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - PERRY) relative to initiating street vacation proceedings for the alley known as Werdin Place between Los Angeles and Main Streets from approximately 173 feet northeasterly of Third Street to its terminus.

## **RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED PURSUANT TO RULE NO. 16 - TO BE PLACED ON THE NEXT AVAILABLE AGENDA**

07-3128

RESOLUTION (HAHN - ALARCON - GARCETTI) relative to endorsing the efforts of both the Judicial Council and the California Federation of Interpreters.

07-3136

RESOLUTION (HAHN - ROSENDAHL) relative to authorizing the Bureau of Sanitation to file a Project Grant application under the State Recreational Trails Program.

## **COUNCILMEMBERS' REQUESTS FOR EXCUSE FROM COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Motion (Garcetti - Perry) unanimously adopted to excuse Councilmember Perry from Council sessions of October 26, 2007 to leave at 12:00 p.m. and October 30, 2007 to leave at 11:30 a.m. due to City business.

Upon her request, and without objections, Councilmember Perry was excused to arrive at 11:00 a.m. to the Council session of October 23, 2007 due to personal business.

Upon her request, and without objections, Councilmember Perry was excused from Council sessions of October 16, 2007 to leave at 11:30 a.m. and December 11, 2007 to leave at 12:00 p.m. due to City business.

Upon his request, and without objections, Councilmember Parks was excused to arrive at 11:00 a.m. to the Council session of October 19, 2007 due to City business.

Upon her request, and without objections, Councilmember Hahn was excused from Council session of October 31, 2007 due to City business.

Upon his request, and without objections, Councilmember Weiss was excused from Council sessions of October 26, 2007, October 30, 2007, October 31, 2007 and November 2, 2007 due to personal business.

## **COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED IN HONOR OF:**

07-2166 - Margaret Guzzo

(Rosendahl - Hahn)

### **At the conclusion of this day's Council Session ADJOURNING MOTIONS WERE ADOPTED in tribute to the memory of:**

07-3187 - Larry Pickens

(Garcetti - All Councilmembers)

Kenji Nagai

(Garcetti - Alarcon)

Erwin Escobar

(Garcetti)

George Flores

(Greuel - All Councilmembers)

Valerie Getz

(Zine)

**Ayes, Alarcon, Cardenas, Greuel, Hahn, LaBonge, Parks, Smith, Weiss, Wesson, Zine and President Garcetti (11); Absent: Huizar, Perry, Reyes and Rosendahl (4).**

**Whereupon the Council did adjourn.**

ATTEST: Frank T. Martinez, CITY CLERK

By

Council Clerk

PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL