

Los Angeles City Council, **Journal/Council Proceedings**
Tuesday, **April 20, 2010**
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: Cárdenas, Hahn, Huizar, Koretz, Krekorian, LaBonge, Parks, Wesson, Zine and President Garcetti (10); Absent: Alarcón, Perry, Reyes, Rosendahl and Smith (5)

APPROVAL OF THE RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL MEETING OF
APRIL 14, 2010

COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS AND INTRODUCTIONS - SEE PAGE 4

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

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

Items for Which Public Hearings Have Been Held - Items 1-2

ITEM NO. (1) - NO ACTION TAKEN

[10-0247](#)

CONSIDERATION, DISCUSSION and POSSIBLE ACTIONS addressing the Fiscal Year 2009-10 and 2010-11 budget deficits, City staff and others to report on budget balancing matters and possible closed executive session as it may relate to bargaining instructions relative to negotiations with employees and employee organizations.

[Council may recess to Closed Session, pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.6, to meet with the City's labor negotiator(s) relative to the above matter.]

(Public Hearing closed on March 30, 2010)

ITEM NO. (2) - ADOPTED

Roll Call #1 - Motion (Koretz - Zine) Adopted, Ayes (11); Absent: Alarcon, Perry, Reyes and Smith (4)

[09-1405](#)

CD 2

ORDINANCE SECOND CONSIDERATION abandoning all proceedings relating to the Moorpark Street and Murietta Avenue 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 Closed on April 13, 2010)

Items for Which Public Hearings Have Not Been Held - Items 3-5

(10 Votes Required for Consideration)

ITEM NO. (3) - ADOPTED FORTHWITH TO THE MAYOR

Roll Call #2 - Motion (Rosendahl - Garcetti) Adopted, Ayes (14); Absent: Perry (1)

[10-0002-S19](#)

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION (ROSENDAHL - GARCETTI - HUIZAR - ET AL.) relative to the City's position concerning the 30/10 Initiative to accelerate 12 new Measure R transit projects through federal-local funding partnerships.

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

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2009-10 Federal Legislative Program SUPPORT for the 30/10 Initiative to accelerate 12 new Measure R transit projects over the next decade through innovative federal-local funding partnerships.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

(Information Technology and Government Affairs Committee waived consideration of the above matter)

ITEM NO. (4) - NOTED AND FILED

Roll Call #3 - Motion (Hahn - Reyes) Adopted To Note and File, Unanimous Vote (14); Absent: Perry (1)

[10-0602](#)

MOTION (HAHN - PARKS) relative to the City Administrative Officer (CAO) to report on the recent move by the credit rating agencies.

Recommendation for Council action:

DIRECT the CAO to report on the recent move by the credit rating agencies to evaluate municipal debt to make it more comparable to corporate debt, and how that impacts the City's fiscal situation.

ITEM NO. (5) - ADOPTED

Roll Call #4 - Motion (Alarcon - Wesson) Adopted, Ayes (13); Absent: Perry and Reyes (2)

[10-0609](#)

CD 7

MOTION (ALARCON - GARCETTI) relative to funding for overtime of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) in the Foothill and Mission Area Divisions until the end of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2009-10.

Recommendations for Council action:

1. RESOLVE to UTILIZE \$150,000 in the Lopez Canyon Landfill Community Amenities Trust Fund No. 531/14, Account No. 132, to fund the overtime of the LAPD in the Foothill and Mission Area Divisions until the end of the FY 2009-10 (June 30, 2010) as follows:
 - a. \$30,000 to be immediately made available for draw-down to Foothill Division.
 - b. \$30,000 to be immediately made available for draw-down to Mission Area Division.
 - c. \$90,000 be made available on an as-needed basis to Foothill and Mission Area Divisions upon concurrence between the LAPD and Council District Seven.
2. DIRECT the City Clerk to prepare the necessary document(s) and/or agreement(s) with the LAPD or any agency or organization, as appropriate, in the above amount, for the above purpose, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality, if needed, and, AUTHORIZE the Councilmember of the District or the City Clerk individually to execute such agreement(s) or other document(s) on behalf of the City, if needed.
3. AUTHORIZE the City Clerk to make any technical corrections or clarifications to the above instructions in order to effectuate the intent of this Motion.

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

[10-0576](#)

CD 11

MOTION (ROSENDAHL - PARKS) relative to amending prior Council action of April 16, 2010, regarding funding for numerous projects in the Venice Community.

[09-1806-S1](#)

MOTION (PARKS - ROSENDAHL) relative to authorizing the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) to accept deposits and reimbursements for traffic management services through the end of the Fiscal Year.

[10-0010-S17](#)

MOTION (PARKS - SMITH) relative to an offer of reward for information leading to the identification, apprehension, and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the death of Emanuel Dorsey on March 29, 2010.

[10-0010-S18](#)

MOTION (PARKS - SMITH) relative to an offer of reward for information leading to the identification, apprehension, and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the shooting of Katrina Green on March 30, 2010.

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

[09-0865-S1](#)

RESOLUTION (ZINE - LABONGE) relative to declaring May 1, 2010 as ARBOR DAY in the City of Los Angeles.

COUNCILMEMBERS' REQUESTS FOR EXCUSE FROM COUNCIL MEETINGS

Upon his request, and without objections, Councilmember Cárdenas was excused from Council session (s) of Wednesday, May 26, 2010, Tuesday, July 20-21, 2010 and Friday, July 23, 2010 due to City business.

Upon his request, and without objections, Councilmember LaBonge was excused from Council session(s) of Friday, April 30, 2010, arriving late due to City business.

COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED IN HONOR OF:

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| 10-0004-S1 - James Seeley, Chief Federal Representative | (Garcetti - All) |
| Michael Hagopian | (Garcetti - Krekorian) |
| Josie Alva Ramirez | (Wesson - All) |
| Maria Kostrencich | (Garcetti - All) |

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

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| 10-0003-S1 - Darlene Wilson | (Garcetti) |
| Victor M. Durazo | (Wesson - All) |
| Alfredo Edward Hindrew | (Wesson) |
| Nancy Grant | (Parks - All) |
| Lulsbia Alba Willis | (Parks) |

Birk Schmidt

(LaBonge - All)

Jack Stewart

(LaBonge - All)

Ayes, Alarcón, Cárdenas, Hahn, Huizar, Koretz, Krekorian, LaBonge, Parks, Rosendahl, Smith, Wesson, Zine and President Garcetti (13); Absent: Perry and Reyes (2)

Whereupon the Council did adjourn.

ATTEST: June Lagmay, CITY CLERK

By

Council Clerk

PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL