Los Angeles City Council, Journal/Council Proceedings
Wednesday, October 17, 2012
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: Alarcón, Buscaino, Cárdenas, Englander, Garcetti, Krekorian, LaBonge, Reyes, Zine and President Wesson (10); Absent: Huizar, Koretz, Parks, Perry, Rosendahl (5)


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.

Items Noticed for Public Hearing - Items 1-3

ITEM NO. (1) - PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - CITY ENGINEER INSTRUCTED TO PROCEED

Adopted, Ayes (13); Absent: HUIZAR, ROSENDAHL (2)

03-2084
CD 1

HEARING PROTESTS relative to the vacation of Ellendale Place and 20th Street Vacation District in connection with the construction of the Los Angeles Unified School District Central Los Angeles New High School No. 2 (VAC E1400878).

(Categorical Exemption, Communication from Chair, Public Works Committee, and Findings adopted on September 12, 2012)

ITEM NO. (2) - PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - CITY ENGINEER INSTRUCTED TO PROCEED

Adopted, Ayes (10); Absent: HUIZAR, KORETZ, PARKS, PERRY, ROSENDAHL (5)

11-2038
CD 9

HEARING PROTESTS relative to the vacation of Royal Street northwesterly of Figueroa Street between 32nd Street and Jefferson Boulevard (VAC E1401190).

(Negative Declaration, Communication from Chair, Public Works Committee, and Findings adopted on September 12, 2012)
HEARING PROTESTS relative to Office of Finance reports requesting approval to record liens against taxpayers for unpaid taxes.

Recommendation for Council action:

APPROVE and AUTHORIZE the Office of Finance to record a lien for unpaid taxes in the amounts stated below, pursuant to Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 21.15(o) for the following:

PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - LIEN CONFIRMED

Adopted to Confirm Lien, Ayes (13); Absent: HUIZAR, ROSENDAHL (2)

11-1094
et al.

a. The United Group Inc.  
(Lien: $13,341.34)

PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - LIEN CONFIRMED

Adopted to Confirm Lien, Ayes (13); Absent: HUIZAR, ROSENDAHL (2)

12-1574
CD 6

b. California Institute of Behavior Analysis Inc.  
(Lien: $24,747.14)

PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - RECEIVED AND FILED - INASMUCH AS LIEN HAS BEEN PAID

Adopted to Receive and File, Unanimous Vote (10); Absent: HUIZAR, KORETZ, PARKS, PERRY, ROSENDAHL (5)

12-1575
CD 12

c. GGB Medical Management Services Inc.  
(Lien: $119,297.75)

PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - RECEIVED AND FILED - INASMUCH AS LIEN HAS BEEN PAID

Adopted to Receive and File, Unanimous Vote (10); Absent: HUIZAR, KORETZ, PARKS, PERRY, ROSENDAHL (5)

12-1576

 d. Maxim Crane Work LP  
(Lien: $65,076.65)
PUBLIC HEARING CLOSED - LIEN CONFIRMED

Adopted to Confirm Lien, Ayes (13); Absent: HUIZAR, ROSENDAHL (2)

12-1572
CD 5

e. Beverly Hills Sterling Cleaners Inc. (Lien: $8,002.78)

Item for Which Public Hearing Has Not Been Held - Item 4
(10 Votes Required for Consideration)

ITEM NO. (4) - RECEIVED AND FILED

Adopted to Receive and File, Unanimous Vote (13); Absent: HUIZAR, ROSENDAHL (2)

12-1583
CONSIDERATION OF MOTION (WESSON - GARCETTI) relative to requesting the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce to present its report entitled “Los Angeles City Council Districts: 2012 Economic Report” to the City Council on October 17, 2012.

Recommendation for Council action:

REQUEST the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce to present its report entitled “Los Angeles City Council Districts: 2012 Economic Report” to the City Council at its meeting of October 17, 2012.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

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

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

12-0011-S27
MOTION (LABONGE - GARCETTI) relative to provide funding for any aspect of efforts involving transit related projects, sidewalk projects, curb/sidewalk improvements, beautification projects needed to improve conditions for public transit patrons, and all expenses relating or incidental thereto, as well as for general services to the community in Council District Four.

11-1431
MOTION (KORETZ FOR ROSENDAHL - BUSCAINO) relative to amending prior Council action of September 30, 2011 regarding the 12100 West Olympic Boulevard / Westside Media Center / Neighborhood Traffic Protection Plan.

12-0089-S1
MOTION (PERRY - PARKS) relative to lease approval for office space at 4060 South Figueroa Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90037.
COMMENDATORY RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED IN HONOR OF:

12-0004-S3 · Vanessa Paulson                                      Englander - Garcetti - All Councilmembers
    Boys and Girls Club of the Los Angeles Harbor    Buscaino - Garcetti - All Councilmembers

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

12-0003-S3 · Mary Louise Roberts                                      Perry - All Councilmembers
    Maurice Weiner                                                    Alarcón - All Councilmembers

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

Whereupon the Council did adjourn.

ATTEST: June Lagmay, CITY CLERK

By

    Council Clerk                                 PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL