

COUNCIL REFERRAL

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

MEMORANDUM

-WEDNESDAY-
AUGUST 2, 2006

OF COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER COUNCIL RULE NO. 16
AND MATTERS RECEIVED AND FILED UNDER COUNCIL RULE NO. 89

Communications from Office of Finance relative to:

02-2658

The status of the New Business Tax Exemption from the inception of the program in January 2001 to date (six year period).

To Ad Hoc Committee on Business Tax Reform

04-0687-S3

Various actions regarding the implementation of the Business Tax Fund Class Consolidation Reform Measure.

To Ad Hoc Committee on Business Tax Reform
To Budget & Finance Committee

03-2568

CD 14

Communication from City Administrative Officer (CAO) relative to the selection of Gang Reduction Program Phase II contractors to provide youth gang prevention, intervention and re-entry services in a targeted area of Boyle Heights for a total amount not to exceed \$1,095,000, effective for a two year period commencing from the date of execution.

To Ad Hoc Committee on Gang Violence and Youth Development

06-1287-S1

Communication from the Controller relative to the report entitled "Review of the Fiscal Year 2003-04 Internal Control Certification Program for the Community Redevelopment Agency."

To Audits & Governmental Efficiency Committee
To Housing, Community & Economic Development Committee

05-1519

CDs 8, 9, 10
& 15

Communication from the Commission for the Children, Youth and Their Families, relative to the estimate of cost of conducting regional community forums throughout the City.

To Budget & Finance Committee
To Arts, Parks, Health & Aging Committee

03-2784

Communication from the Board of Water and Power Commissioners relative to Resolution No. 007-021 amending Ordinance No. 170435 to increase Los Angeles Department of Water and Power's Water System annual revenues by 2.75 percent over each of the next two fiscal years by phasing out the "Test Bill" subsidy; establishing an Owens Valley Regulatory Adjustment Factor; increasing the First and Second Tier Water Rates, and introducing a Low Income and Lifeline Subsidy Adjustment.

To Energy & Environment Committee

06-1235

Communication from the Proposition O Administrative Oversight Committee relative to a supplemental report on funding for projects for Proposition O Clean Water, Ocean, River, Beach, Bay Storm Water Cleanup Measure General Obligation Bonds.

To Energy & Environment Committee
To Budget & Finance Committee

05-2332-S2
CD 9

Communication from the City Attorney relative to an ordinance which amends an existing private line franchise held by the University of Southern California (USC) allowing USC to add two additional connection points to its information network located at 3434 Grand Avenue, Los Angeles, CA.

To Information Technology & General Services Committee

06-1029

Communication from the Information Technology Agency relative to the Quarterly Cable Franchise Contractor Expenditures for April 2006 through June 2006.

To Information Technology & General Services Committee

06-0002-S33

Communication from the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) relative to the position on AB 1882 (Frommer) in the City's 2005-06 legislative program.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee
To Public Safety Committee

06-0002-S121

Communication from the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) relative to legislative position on HR 4761 (Jindal), currently known as the "Deep Ocean Energy Resources Act of 2006," and HR 4318 (Peterson), the "Outer Continental Shelf Natural Gas Relied Act," or any other coastal provisions that weaken California's legitimate role in energy siting decisions.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-0600-S43

Communication from the CAO relative to a listing of substitute and in-lieu position authorities by department needed in 2006-07.

To Personnel Committee

06-0006-S1

CD 4

Communication from the LAPD relative to the Application for Graffiti Apprehension Reward Payment - Location of Incident: 625 South Fairfax Avenue - Date of Incident: April 12, 2006.

To Public Safety Committee

06-1260

CD 14

Communication from the Department of Transportation relative to a traffic study on Lorena Street between the Pomona Freeway (California 60) off-ramp and Olympic Boulevard, including the identification of potential options to relieve truck and vehicular traffic in the relevant neighborhoods such as re-routing traffic, traffic calming measures, synchronization of traffic signals and /or other options.

To Transportation Committee

MOTIONS/RESOLUTION REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

06-1786

CD 6

(Cardenas - Rosendahl) that the Bureau of Sanitation report to the Council in 30 days on the feasibility of initiating an abandoned shopping cart removal pilot program in Council District Six whereby requests for pick ups are addressed within 48 hours and include in its report the viability of utilizing Council District Six Street Furniture Account funds, etc.

To Energy and Environment Committee

06-1787

(Parks - Wesson - Garcetti) that the Council instruct the CAO and the CLA to report within 30 days with a plan to activate a Local Business Retention and Attraction Task Force, etc; that it shall be the responsibility of the Local Business Retention and Attraction Task Force to submit critical issues and recommended actions to the Council to help stem the tide of businesses leaving the City of Los Angeles and the Southern California region and initiatives to attract new businesses or expand existing businesses.

To Housing, Community & Economic Committee

06-1788
CD 11

(Rosendahl - Parks) that the City Council request the Expo Metro Line Construction Authority to amend the draft Request for Proposal for the Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement to include an additional element in the scope of work to include a specific work task to analyze connecting the Expo Line (Phase 2) and proposed LAX/Lincoln Green Line extension.

To Transportation Committee