

COUNCIL REFERRAL

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

MEMORANDUM

- WEDNESDAY -
OCTOBER 18, 2006

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

06-2512

CD 4

Communication from Randy Dodge and New Friends of Runyon Canyon, relative to an appeal of the entire determination of the Board of Recreation and Park Commissioners relating to the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Runyon Canyon parking lot project - W.O. E1904613 - Representative: Robert P. Silverstein, Esq. - Appellant: Randy Dodge and New Friends of Runyon Canyon.

To Arts, Parks, Health & Aging Committee

06-2498

CDs 2, 6 & 9

Communication from the City Administrative Officer (CAO) relative to the transfer of funds (\$186,534) from the Unappropriated Balance, Fund No. 100/58 to the City Attorney's budget to fund the pilot School Safety Prosecutors Program.

To Budget & Finance Committee

03-2337-S3

CD 4

Communication from the Bureau of Street Services relative to the Wilshire Boulevard: Western Avenue to Fairfax Avenue recommended interim improvements.

To Transportation Committee

MOTIONS REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

06-2527

(Hahn - Cárdenas) that the Council instruct the CAO to report back within 30 days on options for charter schools to participate in 501(c)(3) conduit financing, either through the Industrial Development Authority, the California Statewide Communities Development Authority, or the Los Angeles Unified School District.

To Education & Neighborhoods Committee

06-2528

(LaBonge - Reyes) that the Department of Building and Safety (LADBS) be requested to report in 30 days, on the feasibility of training specific inspectors in historic preservation to check plans and inspect construction in the 22 Historic Preservation Overlay Zone areas of the city and on appropriate options for making code enforcement on historic properties partially self-sustaining financially through the collection of additional fines on violators.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

06-2529
CD 9

(Perry - Reyes) that the Council direct the Planning Department to prepare and present the necessary documents and Plan amendments to the General Plan and to the Southeast Community Plan, to redesignate the downgrade South Central Avenue, starting with a General Plan Amendment from Limited Industrial to General Commercial and a corresponding zone change from M1-1 and R2-1 to C2-1L at the site 1122-28 East 33rd Street; etc.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

06-2536
CD 2

(Greuel - Smith) that the Department of City Planning and the LADBS report back within 60 days regarding their recommendations for appropriate changes in haul route approval procedures to assure that 1) haul routes are given the same detailed scrutiny as occurs in the LADBS' procedures, regardless of which department approves them; and, 2) Stop Work Orders will not be released until all requirements of such orders are performed by the applicant.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

06-2537
CDs 4 & 13

(LaBonge - Garcetti - Reyes) that the Planning Department, with the assistance of the Bureau of Engineering (BOE), take the appropriate steps to prepare a (K) Equinekeeping District for the area bounded by Chevy Chase Drive to the north, the Los Angeles River to the west, Edenhurst to the east, and Rigali Avenue to the south, including community involvement, staff reports, and ordinances for consideration by the City Planning Commission and Council.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

06-2538
CD 9

(Perry - Rosendahl) that the Council instruct the Department of Transportation (LADOT) to take the steps necessary to install "No Parking" signs on the northside of Vernon Avenue, between Flower and Alameda Streets from 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon on Tuesdays, and install "No Parking" signs on the southside of Vernon Avenue, between Flower and Alameda Streets, from 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon on Thursdays, for street sweeping; etc.

To Public Works Committee

06-2539
CDs 4 & 13

(LaBonge - Garcetti - Greuel) that the LADOT, with the assistance of the Bureau of Street Lighting and the Department of Water and Power, be directed to report on an expedited schedule in order to complete the Highland Avenue traffic calming and traffic signaling project by the end of this calendar year and that the described project be exempted from any City-imposed construction moratorium and from the peak hour construction ban.

To Transportation Committee

(Parks - Greuel - Smith) that the Council direct the General Manager, LADOT, in coordination with the BOE and other appropriate bureaus within the Department of Public Works, to work with the Office of the Chief Legislative Analyst and the CAO to prepare City testimony for the upcoming February 21-22, 2007 Los Angeles field hearing of the National Surface Transportation Policy and Revenue Study Commission relative to the solvency of the Highway Trust Fund and federal funding of the nation's transportation system.

To Transportation Committee