COUNCIL REFERRAL

CITY OF LOS ANGELES

MEMORANDUM

- WEDNESDAY -May 9, 2007

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

07-1418

CDs 5 & 15

Transmittal from the Mayor of the City Administrative Officer (CAO) report relative to the Department of Recreation and Parks agreements with the California State Coastal Conservancy, Tree People, Inc. with regard to certain improvements at Coldwater Canyon Park (12601 Mulholland Drive); and, Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy with regard to certain improvements at White Point Park (1600 Paseo Del Mar).

To Arts, Parks, Health & Aging Committee

Communications from the Controller relative to:

06-0600-S77

The authorization for year-end borrowing from the Reserve Fund to balance departmental expenditures when expenditures exceed budget authority.

To Budget & Finance Committee

06-2514-S3

The status of Reserve Fund loans as of March 31, 2007.

To Budget & Finance Committee

07-1424

Communication from the City Attorney relative to the discussion in Closed Session, pursuant to California Government Code Section 54956.9(a), the recommendation for settlement of the case entitled Roberto Alaniz v. City of Los Angeles, et. al., Court of Appeal Case No. B194966.

To Budget & Finance Committee

07-1422

CD 14

Communication from the Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) and revised communication (Recommendation No. 2) relative to the authorization to negotiate and execute a loan agreement to borrow funds from a public, private, or commercial lender and to exercise the CRA's option to purchase the approximately 20.6-acre Crown Coach Brownfields Demonstration site located at 2425 East Washington Boulevard for the price of approximately \$14,000,000 from the State of California Department of General Services; and other related actions - Central Industrial Redevelopment Project Area.

To Housing, Community & Economic Development Committee

07-1005

CD 15

Communication from the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) relative to legislative position on the Alameda Corridor Transportation Authority's FY 2008 Federal Appropriation request for the SR-47 project.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

06-1700-S30

Communication from the CAO relative to amending Ordinance No. 178506, the 2006-07 Departmental Personnel Ordinance for the Police Department, to add a provision effective March 1, 2007, to provide premium level compensation to the incumbents in the classifications of Executive Director Police Commission, Code 0600, and Inspector General, Code 0601.

To Personnel Committee

07-1427

CD 4

Communication from the Los Angeles City Planning Commission and an ordinance relative to a zone change for property at 2775 North Cahuenga Boulevard West within the Hollywood Community Plan Area - CPC 2004-2428-ZC-SPR. Applicant: D.S. Ventures, LLC.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

05-1853

Communication from the Bureau of Street Services relative to the recommendations for a point of sale plan for fixing the City's sidewalks including input from affected stakeholders.

To Public Works Committee
To Budget & Finance Committee

07-1398

CD9

Communication from the City Attorney relative to a draft ordinance amending Section 80.81 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to retain the current posted speed limit of 35 miles per hour on portions of Manchester Avenue between Van Ness Avenue and Central Avenue in Council District 9, to ensure radar enforcement.

To Transportation Committee

MOTIONS/RESOLUTIONS REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

05-1330-S1

CD 7

(Alarcón - Huizar) that the Council, request the Controller to perform an audit on the Children's Museum of Los Angeles, and that the CLA, the CAO, and the Controller report to Council in 14 days on the scope of the audit.

To Audits & Governmental Efficiency Committee

07-1433

(Perry - Parks) that the Council request the City Attorney to review the City of Long Beach Ordinance, and prepare and present an ordinance to amend Los Angeles Municipal Code Section 45.04 to clarify language concerning the prohibition against juvenile loitering by classifying students as truant or tardy if they arrive after the morning/recess bell rings at the school they attend, similar to the City of Long Beach Ordinance; etc.

To Education & Neighborhoods Committee

07-1034-S1

(Parks - Perry) that the Council amend the proposed Ordinance to incorporate provision of the Ellis Act pertaining to regulation of newly constructed units that replaced demolished units (C.F. 07-1034) to exempt properties with four or fewer newly constructed units; etc.

To Housing, Community & Economic Development Committee

07-1432

CD9

(Perry - Rosendahl) that the Department of General Services be authorized to permit the placement of a plaque on a City owned building located at 119 North Central Avenue, in coordination with the Los Angeles Hompa Hongwanji Buddhist Temple and the Japanese American National Museum, to mark and identify the site of the Los Angeles Nishi Hongwanji Buddhist Temple from 1925 to 1969

To Information Technology & General Services Committee

07-0002-S111

(Parks - Perry) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that the City of Los Angeles include in its 2007-08 Legislative Program support of SB 1019 (Romero) to abrogate the Copley Press decision and restore public access to peace officer records and meetings that were open to the decision.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

07-0002-S112

(Zine - Smith) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that the City of Los Angeles include in its 2007-08 Legislative Program support for SB 624 (Padilla) which would increase the penalties for violating the Stop Tobacco Access to Kids Enforcement (STAKE) Act and would expand the governmental entities permitted to investigate and enforce the STAKE Act.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

07-1435

CD 5

(Weiss - Greuel - Rosendahl - Reyes) that the Council request the Planning Department to work with the Council Office for Council District 5, the community, and interested stakeholders to review the draft urban design guidelines conceptual design plan in conjunction with the Century City North Specific Plan; etc.

To Planning & Land Use Management Committee

07-1434

(Zine - Smith) that the Council, instruct the CAO, with the assistance of the CLA, Los Angeles Police Department, and Department of Transportation (DOT), to report to Council within 30 days on the status of the agreement and performance of Carbon, LLC, in accordance with Contract No. C-99610, as amended, and other relevant issues to determine the success of the event, for production of "The City of Los Angeles Triathlon"; etc.

To Public Safety Committee
To Transportation Committee

07-1080-S5

(Greuel - Parks) that the Council direct the DOT to report on the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority's preliminary recommendations for the 2007 Call for Project applications.

To Transportation Committee

07-1436

CD 5

(Weiss - Greuel - Rosendahl - Reyes) that the Council direct the DOT to conduct a feasibility study of DASH service within Century City. The study should examine all connection options including but not limited to internal circulation, a community-based route, including possible connection to the future Exposition Light Rail, and other regional connections.

To Transportation Committee