Communication from the City Attorney relative to a draft ordinance revising provisions of the Los Angeles Administrative Code to eliminate the general admission fees for the Municipal Art Gallery, and to increase the general admission fees for the Watts Towers and Hollyhock House from five dollars to seven dollars, maintaining discounts for senior citizens and persons under the age of 17.

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

Communication from the City Attorney relative to discussion in Closed Session pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9(a), the settlement of the case entitled Mark Winchell v. Mike Silver, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court (LASC) Case No. BC 259393 and Andrew Leonard, et al. v. City of Los Angeles et al., LASC Case No. BC 259393 and United States District Court Case No. CV01-5103 CBM(RCx), (Claim Nos. C01-4574 and C01-4781).

To Budget and Finance Committee

Communication from the Environmental Affairs Department relative to various actions to accept and expend grant funds from the Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committee for Alternative Fuel Transit Buses and funds from the U.S. Department of Energy for Alternative Fuel Vehicle Programmatic Support and enter into contracts.

To Energy and Environment Committee

Communication from the City Clerk and Information Technology Agency relative to Web-Cast Live and Audio On-Demand Services for Council Committee Meetings.

To Information Technology and General Services Committee

Communication from the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) relative to legislative position on H.R. 1593 and S. 1060, the Second Chance Act of 2007, which would authorize the use of grants, issued by the United States Department of Justice Department, for the planning, implementation and improvement of reentry programs for adults and juvenile offenders who are transitioning back into the general population.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee
07-2239

Communications from the City Attorney and the City Administrative Officer (CAO) relative to a draft ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 176952 to establish the salary of Carpentry Technical Advisor, Code 3355, at the amount of $3,004 biweekly.

To Personnel Committee

05-2152

Communication from the City Attorney and a final draft ordinance relative to amending Sections 17.02, 17.05 and 17.50 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code (LAMC) to clarify the definition of Average Natural Slope used in the calculation of Slope Density.

To Planning and Land Use Management Committee

07-1824

Communication from the City Planning Commission relative to an appeal for property located at 5661 West Santa Monica Boulevard within the Hollywood Plan Area - VTT 66044-2A. Appellant: Doug Haines; Representative: Robert Silverstein.

To Planning and Land Use Management Committee

07-2240

Communication from the West Los Angeles Area Planning Commission relative to an appeal for property located at 709 5th Avenue within the Venice Plan Area - CPC No. APCW 2006-9649-SPE. Applicant: Johnny Ow; Representative: Kimber Clark, Permit Pullers, Inc.

To Planning and Land Use Management Committee

05-1347

Communication from the Board of Police Commissioners relative to the acceptance of grant award in the amount of $125,000 from the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) for Operation ABC for period July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

To Public Safety Committee

07-0218

Communication from the City Attorney and a draft ordinance relative to amending LAMC Section 53.69 by establishing exemptions from the Trap Rental Fees.

To Public Safety Committee

07-2237

Communication from the County of Los Angeles, Environmental Health relative to the annual inspection of detention facilities operated by the Los Angeles Police Department, pursuant to Section 101045 of the California Health and Safety Code.

To Public Safety Committee
Communication from the Ethics Commission relative to the pre-confirmation Statement of Economic Interest for Ms. Julie B. Gutman.

To Public Works Committee

Communication from the CAO relative to authorizing by resolution two additional positions of Assistant City Attorney (Code 0553) and one position of Legal Secretary III (Code 0582), in the City Attorney's Office to provide support for the Harbor Division for the period of July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

To Trade, Commerce and Tourism Committee
To Personnel Committee
To Budget and Finance Committee

Communication from the Department of Transportation (DOT) and a Resolution relative to the renewal of Temporary Preferential Parking District No. 93 for the area near Cahuenga Boulevard and Regal Place, and Fredonia Drive between Cahuenga Boulevard and Wrightwood Lane for an additional 12 months, until September 7, 2008, pursuant to Section 80.58.d of the LAMC.

To Transportation Committee

Communication from the DOT and a Resolution relative to the renewal of Temporary Preferential Parking District No. 86 on both sides of 58th Place between Edgemar Avenue and Buckler Avenue, and 58th Place between Buckler Avenue and the City Limit west of Buckler Avenue (near Windsor Hills) for an additional 12 months, until September 7, 2008, pursuant to Section 80.58.d of the LAMC.

To Transportation Committee

Communication from the DOT and a resolution relative to the establishment of Temporary Preferential Parking District No. 136 for Neighborhood East of Laurel Canyon Boulevard and Kirkwood Drive for 12 months, pursuant to Section 80.58.d of the LAMC; etc.

To Transportation Committee

Communication from the DOT and a Resolution relative to the renewal of Temporary Preferential Parking District No. 94 on both sides of Kenyon Avenue between Louise Avenue and the City Limit south of Washington Boulevard for an additional 12 months, until September 7, 2008, pursuant to Section 80.58.d of the LAMC.

To Transportation Committee
Communication from the DOT and a Resolution relative to the renewal of Temporary Preferential Parking District No. 84 for an additional 12 months, until September 7, 2008, pursuant to Section 80.58.d of the LAMC; etc.

To Transportation Committee

MOTIONS/RESOLUTION REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

(Huizar - Smith) that Council instruct the CAO and the CLA to report to the Audits and Governmental Efficiency Committee identifying programs by former Quality and Productivity Award Recipients that merit further consideration for possible expansion to other departments.

To Audits and Governmental Efficiency Committee

(Wesson - Huizar) that Council instruct the Affordable Housing Commission, with the assistance of the Housing Department, to conduct a citywide needs assessment focused specifically on affordable housing. A draft report will be submitted to Council on January 1, 2008 with a final report completed by April 1, 2008. The report will include recommendations to implement citywide strategy for increasing the new supply of affordable housing; etc.

To Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee

(Alarcón - Garcetti - LaBonge) with the concurrence of the Mayor, the City include in its 2006-07 State Legislative Program Support for AB 8 (Nuñez) which will increase the number of children and adults who are covered by health insurance by providing coverage for an additional 3.34 million Californians and Support for SB 840 (Kuehl) which will provide health insurance coverage for all Californians.

To Intergovernmental Relations Committee

(Cárdenas - Smith) that Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor, take action relative to the funding for the new Police Facilities; etc.

To Public Safety Committee
To Budget and Finance Committee

(Hahn - Huizar) that Los Angeles World Airports report back to the Trade, Commerce and Tourism Committee in 30 days on the options to improve conditions and to provide adequate wages and benefits for workers employed at LAX; etc.

To Trade, Commerce and Tourism Committee
(Weiss - Reyes) that the DOT and the City Attorney report to the Transportation Committee on amendments to the municipal code to change the definition of apron parking to allow residents to park in the driveway apron in the North Village and other areas without impeding the sidewalk for street.

To Transportation Committee

(Weiss - Wesson) that the CLA consult with each Council office to identify priorities and projects and develop a list of City and County projects, both currently planned and potential, that could improve traffic congestion in the City, including estimates of funding requirements; etc.

To Transportation Committee