COUNCIL REFERRAL

CITY OF LOS ANGELES MEMORANDUM

April 18, 2008

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

07-1434
Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) and the City Administrative Officer (CAO) report relative to a contractor for the production of the Los Angeles Marathon protesting the City's invoice for the 2007 Los Angeles Marathon.

To Budget and Finance Committee

06-1029-S42
All Information Technology Agency (ITA) report relative to proposed cable television service and/or rate adjustments; changes that will be implemented by Time Warner Cable.

To Information Technology and General Services Committee

08-0962

To Jobs, Business Growth and Tax Reform Committee

08-0324
CD 10 Department of Planning report relative to a Zone Change Ordinance for property generally bounded by Fairfax Avenue, Pickford Street, Ogden Drive, and Pico Boulevard within the Wilshire Community Plan Area.

To Planning and Land Use Management Committee

08-0957
CD 15 CAO report relative to the request from the Department of Building and Safety for Funding to pay for construction, hardware installation, permits, modules, and other construction-related costs to remodel the Department's San Pedro Construction Services Center located at 638 South Beacon Street.

To Planning and Land Use Management Committee

08-0002-S36
CLA report relative to the legislative position for SB 1418 (Oropeza) that would make it an infraction, punishable by a fine of $250, to smoke a pipe, cigar, or cigarette containing tobacco or another plant, at a state park, state beach, or other unit of the state park system.

To Rules and Government Committee
CLA report relative to the legislative position to the proposed cuts to, and closure of, State parks.

To Rules and Government Committee

Emergency Management Department report relative to the coordination of services and communication procedures between Department of Transportation Traffic Officers and the Los Angeles Police Department when streets are closed due to emergency situations and criminal investigations.

To Transportation Committee
To Public Safety Committee

MOTIONS/RESOLUTIONS REFERRED BY CITY COUNCIL

(Greuel – Parks) that the Council direct the CAO and CLA to work with all City departments that remove graffiti, including the Departments of General Services and Recreation and Parks, as well as the Board of Public Works, Office of Community Beautification and any other City departments that are responsible for graffiti removal, to determine the most effective method of consolidating the City’s graffiti removal within one City department.

To Budget and Finance Committee

(Rosendahl – Parks) that the Council request the Community Redevelopment Agency to prepare certain studies of the area bounded by La Cienega Boulevard on the east, Sepulveda Boulevard on the west, 104th Street on the south, and Arbor Vitae Street on the north, in order to determine whether creation of a survey area would be appropriate, and report back to Council in 180 days.

To Housing, Community and Economic Development Committee

(Zine – Hahn) that the CLA, with the cooperation of the City Clerk, ITA, and any other relevant City departments, report to the Council with an analysis of current translation and interpretation services, the costs of those services, and recommendations to reduce those costs by consolidating services while maintaining or improving overall service quality.

To Information Technology and General Services Committee

(Perry – Garcetti) with the concurrence of the Mayor, that the City of Los Angeles hereby include in its 2007/08 State Legislative Program Support for AB 2269 (Fuentes) which seeks to clarify that a solar energy system receiving ratepayer funded monetary incentives through the Solar Incentive Program can be placed on a municipal utility customer site and be owned by a third party; and that the energy generated by the solar system may be sold to the municipal utility.

To Rules and Government Committee
(Greuel – Huizar – Garcetti) that the Council opposes any efforts to reprogram the funds allocated by the voters for First 5 to resolve the budget crisis of the State of California.

To Rules and Government Committee