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PADILLA NAMES COUNCILMEMBER BERNARD C. PARKS TO LOS ANGELES MEMORIAL COLISEUM COMMISSION

LOS ANGELES – City Council President Alex Padilla today named City Councilmember Bernard Parks to the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission. Councilmember Parks will serve as Vice President of the Commission.

The Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum Commission oversees all operations of the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum and Sports Arena. These issues include: management, construction, improvement, maintenance activities, investment of Commission funds, granting of concessions, and authority to lease, license, rent use or permit the use of all or any part of the Coliseum or Sports Arena facility.

"I am very pleased that I have the confidence of City Council President Alex Padilla," said Councilmember Parks. "I look forward to the challenges that confront the community and the City of Los Angeles. I'm excited to be on board, as people continue talking about bringing N.F.L. football back to the Coliseum. I see the N.F.L. as more than a multi-billion dollar business. I see it as a seed that will allow our science and math centers, our museums and other parts of our community to grow. It's a blessing to represent the Eighth District in this capacity."

Parks' appointment is effective immediately.

The 7th Council District serves the communities of Arleta, Lake View Terrace, Mission Hills, North Hills, Pacoima, Panorama City, Sylmar, and Van Nuys.

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