BOARD REPORT CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Date:

December 11, 2025

To:

Board of Transportation Commissioners

From:

Laura Rubio-Cornejo, General Manage

Department of Transportation

Subject:

WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSED GROUND LEASE AGREEMENT WITH LARCHMONT

PROPERTIES, LTD. FOR MUNICIPAL LOT NO. 694

On October 9, 2025, the Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) presented a report to the Board of Transportation Commissioners (Board) requesting permission to enter into a long-term ground lease agreement with Larchmont Properties, Ltd. for Lot No. 694, located at 209 N. Larchmont Boulevard. At the Board meeting on November 13, 2025, dozens of community members and a representative on behalf of Councilmember Hugo Soto-Martinez spoke in opposition to the concept as it would require relocation of the Larchmont Farmers' Market and take away what is widely considered the unofficial town square. Understanding the concerns and strong opposition to the proposal for development of Lot No. 694, LADOT withdraws the item from consideration from the Board.

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