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September 06, 2016

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Dear Supervisors:

**ADOPTED**

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

57 September 6, 2016

LORI GLASGOW  
EXECUTIVE OFFICER

**RESOLUTION  
FOR ESTABLISHING  
CROSSWALKS BETWEEN INTERSECTIONS  
AT CERTAIN SPECIFIED LOCATIONS  
IN THE UNINCORPORATED COMMUNITY OF WILLOWBROOK  
(SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 2)  
(3 VOTES)**

**SUBJECT**

This action is to adopt a resolution to establish crosswalks between intersections on 119th Street at the alley 765 feet west of Mona Boulevard, on 120th Street at the alley 815 feet west of Mona Boulevard, and on 120th Street at the Compton Creek Trail 200 feet west of Parmelee Avenue in the unincorporated community of Willowbrook.

**IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD:**

1. Find that a resolution establishing crosswalks between intersections and posting the corresponding signs and markings are categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act.
2. Adopt a resolution establishing crosswalks between intersections, pursuant to Section 21106(a) of the California Vehicle Code and Section 15.52.010 of the County Code, at the following specified locations:
  - On 119th Street at the alley 765 feet west of Mona Boulevard.

- On 120th Street at the alley 815 feet west of Mona Boulevard.
- On 120th Street at the Compton Creek Trail 200 feet west of Parmelee Avenue.

### **PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION**

The purpose of the recommended actions is to establish pedestrian crossings and enhance motorists' awareness of the pedestrian crossings.

The Green Alley Enhancement Project is scheduled for construction in the fall of 2016. The project design includes pedestrian lighting, living walls, and integral color concrete paving within the alleys west of Mona Boulevard between East 118th Street and East 120th Street, to provide enhanced pedestrian access between Mona Park, Faith and Hope Park, and nearby schools. Marked crosswalks will complement the project by providing designated crossings for pedestrians using the enhanced alleys to cross 119th and 120th Streets.

The Department of Parks and Recreation's Compton Creek Trail extension project is scheduled for construction in the fall of 2016. The project will extend the existing Compton Creek Trail from 120th Street to El Segundo Boulevard. Currently the Compton Creek Trail stretches from 118th Street to 120th Street. Once the project is completed, the Compton Creek Trail will stretch from 118th Street to El Segundo Boulevard and traverse the roadway at 120th Street. A marked crosswalk will complement the project by establishing a designated crossing for pedestrians using the Compton Creek Trail.

### **Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals**

The Countywide Strategic Plan directs the provision of Integrated Services Delivery (Goal 3) as it will increase pedestrian safety in the unincorporated community of Willowbrook.

### **FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING**

There will be no impact to the County General Fund. Sufficient funds are included in the Road Fund Fiscal Year 2016-17 Budget to cover the minor costs of implementing the midblock crosswalks.

### **FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

The enclosed resolution complies with the provisions of Section 21106(a) of the California Vehicle Code that enables local authorities, by ordinance or resolution, to establish crosswalks between intersections. This resolution also complies with Section 15.52.010 of the County Code that authorizes the installation of marked crosswalks at those locations at which the Board has determined and found that conditions of vehicular and pedestrian traffic are such that a crosswalk is needed.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The adoption of this resolution, including the installation of marked crosswalks and related traffic control devices, is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Section 15301(c) of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines and Class I (x) 7 of the Environmental Reporting Procedures and Guidelines approved by the Board on November 17, 1987.

**IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

There would be no impact to current services or projects.

**CONCLUSION**

Please return one adopted copy of this letter and a copy of the signed resolution to the Department of Public Works, Traffic and Lighting Division. Also, please forward adopted copies of this letter to the Sheriff's Department, Contract Law Enforcement Bureau (Attention Lieutenant John McBride), Field Operations Support Services (Attention Sergeant Alise Norman).

Respectfully submitted,



GAIL FARBER  
Director

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Enclosures

c: Chief Executive Office (Rochelle Goff)  
County Counsel (Rosa Linda Cruz)  
Executive Office

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES  
ESTABLISHING CROSSWALKS BETWEEN INTERSECTIONS AT  
CERTAIN SPECIFIED LOCATIONS IN THE  
UNINCORPORATED COUNTY AREA OF WILLOWBROOK  
SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 2**

WHEREAS, the County of Los Angeles Board of Supervisors pursuant to Section 21106(a) of the California Vehicle Code, may establish a crosswalk between intersections; and

WHEREAS, Section 15.52.010 of the County Code authorizes the Department of Public Works to mark crosswalks at those locations at which the Board of Supervisors has determined and found that conditions of vehicular and pedestrian traffic are such that a crosswalk between intersections is needed; and

WHEREAS, the Green Alley Enhancement Project is intended to enhance pedestrian access between Mona Park, Faith and Hope Park, and nearby schools, and the installation of crosswalks on 119th Street and 120th Street at the alleys east of Willowbrook Avenue will further enhance pedestrian access; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks and Recreation's upcoming Compton Creek Trail extension project, will extend the Compton Creek Trail south of 120th Street, and trail users will need to cross 120th Street to continue on this trail; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works conducted traffic studies supporting the establishment of crosswalks at these locations; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles:

1. Finds that conditions of pedestrian and vehicular traffic are such that crosswalks between intersections are needed to enhance the safety of pedestrians, at the following specified locations:
  - On 119th Street at the alley 765 feet west of Mona Boulevard.
  - On 120th Street at the alley 815 feet west of Mona Boulevard.
  - On 120th Street at the Compton Creek Trail 200 feet west of Parmelee Avenue.
2. Directs the Director of Public Works to install all appropriate signs, markings, and other appurtenances that may be necessary.

The foregoing resolution was adopted on the 6th day of September 2016, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles.



LORI GLASGOW  
Executive Officer of the  
Board of Supervisors of the  
County of Los Angeles

By Carla Little  
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