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Possible Revenue Sources for Critical Fire Infrastructure Needs

In response to the Board’s motion of May 8th, the Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (Fire District) has completed its effort to validate costs associated with its vast infrastructure needs. A total of \$1.4 billion for infrastructure repairs, replacements and critical updates has been confirmed for essential facilities such as fire stations, fire suppression camps, air operation facilities and training centers as well as the update of its command and control (dispatching) center, information technology, and replacement of vehicles, helicopters, and communications equipment.

In order to ensure the Fire District is well positioned to seek voter approval of a revenue source to fund these critical infrastructure needs, they will need to work with a consultant to determine voter support for a ballot measure.

WE, THEREFORE MOVE that the Board of Supervisors authorize the Fire Chief, in conjunction with the CEO, to contract for consultant services to determine support for a ballot measure to fund the Fire District’s critical infrastructure needs, and direct the Fire Chief to report back to the Board in 30 days.

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