

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR GLORIA MOLINA

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AMENDMENT TO ITEM NO. 16

The relocation of the Special Enforcement Bureau (SEB) experienced significant delays and project overruns. This board letter does not clearly explain why the project was sidetracked. Additionally, the board letter does not specify the outcome of the Sheriff Department's other capital projects located at the Eastern Avenue hill, and whether the projects that remain are justified.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors:

1. Approve Item 16; and
2. Direct the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO) to provide an update on the methane monitoring plan for the Eastern Avenue hill, which shall include the protocols, the assignment of responsibility, and timelines for implementing the plan, and report back within 3 weeks; and
3. Direct the CAO to develop a plan to manage all capital projects located at the Eastern Avenue hill, including but not limited to, the Fire Headquarters and Sybil Brand projects, and report back to the Board within 45 days; and

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4. Direct the CAO and Department Public Works (DPW) to prepare a plan for the stabilization and landscaping of the south side of the Eastern Avenue hill, above which the Internal Services Department Headquarters is located, and report back in 45 days; and
5. Direct the Sheriff and the CAO to assess the need to relocate the Sheriff's Academy to the Biscailuz Center and report back to the Board within 60 days; and
6. Direct the Auditor-Controller, in consultation with the Department of Public Works, to conduct a full analysis of the delays and difficulties concerning the completion of the relocation of SEB. The report should include an analysis of the overall management of the project by the county and the role of each consultant contracted to provide expert recommendations on any and all environmental concerns involved in this project, and report back to the Board within 60 days.