County of Los Angeles
Sheriff's Department Headquarters
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LEROY D. BACA, SHERIFF

October 30, 2007

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

Dear Supervisors:

ACCEPTANCE OF THE NONMONETARY DONATION OF $27,500 FROM G LANDSCAPING AND THE FRIZE CORPORATION (SECOND DISTRICT) (3 VOTES)

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

1. Accept nonmonetary donations totaling $27,500, from G Landscaping and the Frize Corporation for the purpose of improving the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's (Department) Century Station.

2. Instruct the Sheriff to send a letter expressing his appreciation to G Landscaping for their generous nonmonetary gift of $12,500.

3. Instruct the Sheriff to send a letter expressing his appreciation to the Frize Corporation for their generous nonmonetary gift of $15,000.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

Building materials will be donated to construct a monument memorializing the sacrifice of fallen deputies who served the Century Sheriff's Station area.

There are currently more than 250 sworn personnel assigned to Century Sheriff's Station and thousands of deputies who have served Lynwood, Firestone, and Century Sheriff's Stations who would benefit from the improvement.

Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals

Acceptance of this gift promotes Strategic Goal 1, Service Excellence, as this donation will further demonstrate the value of a public/private partnership that improves County services to the citizens of Los Angeles County. This donation also promotes Strategic Goal 4, Fiscal Responsibility, by saving the County the materials cost for constructing such a monument at Century Sheriff's Station.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The required maintenance is nominal and will be absorbed within the existing budget allocation of the Sheriff's Facilities Bureau. The nonmonetary donation will provide the necessary building materials and labor to construct the monument.

Acceptance of this donation will have a positive impact to the County as it will save the County costs for constructing such a monument and will honorably memorialize the sacrifice of deputies serving the Century Sheriff's Station area.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

State Law authorizes the acceptance of gifts for specific County purposes in Government Code Section 25355.

IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)

There will be no negative impact on current Department services or projects during the performance of the recommended upgrade.

CONCLUSION

Upon Board approval, please return two (2) individually certified copies of the Board-adopted letter to the Sheriff's Department for further processing.

Sincerely,

Lee Baca

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SHERIFF