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March 08, 2011

**ADOPTED** BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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

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SACHI A. HAMAI EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Dear Supervisors:

#### QUITCLAIM OF EASEMENT FROM THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT TO THE CITY OF LONG BEACH SAN GABRIEL RIVER - PARCEL P-24EX.4 IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH (SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 4) (3 VOTES)

# SUBJECT

This action is to approve the quitclaim of easement for San Gabriel River, Parcel P-24EX.4 in the City of Long Beach, from the Los Angeles County Flood Control District to the City of Long Beach.

# IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD ACTING AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT:

1. Find that this project is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act.

2. Find that an easement for flood control purposes along the San Gabriel River, Parcel P-24EX.4, is no longer required for the purposes of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District.

3. Approve the quitclaim of easement from the Los Angeles County Flood Control District to the City of Long Beach, the underlying fee property owner, for \$2,500.

4. Instruct the Mayor, Board of Supervisors of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District to sign the Quitclaim of Easement document and authorize delivery to the City of Long Beach.

GAIL FARBER, Director

# PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of the recommended actions is to obtain approval from your Board, acting as the governing body of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District (LACFCD), to quitclaim an easement for flood control purposes along the San Gabriel River, Parcel P-24EX.4, located in the City of Long Beach, to the underlying fee property owner, the City of Long Beach (City).

The LACFCD acquired the easement for construction of the San Gabriel River for the purpose of confining the water of the channel. Construction for the facility has been completed, and the subject parcel lies outside the right of way needed by the LACFCD for operation and maintenance purposes. The City has requested that this easement be quitclaimed.

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

The Countywide Strategic Plan directs the provision of Operational Effectiveness (Goal 1). The revenue received from this transaction will help promote fiscal responsibility for the operation and maintenance of flood control facilities.

# **FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING**

There will be no impact to the County General Fund.

The cost of the quitclaim of easement in the amount of \$2,500 represents the LACFCD minimal sales price. This amount has been paid and deposited into the Flood Control District Fund.

## FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

Parcel P-24EX.4 is located east of the San Gabriel River and south of Carson Street in the City of Long Beach. The LACFCD acquired the easement for flood control purposes.

The proposed quitclaim of easement is authorized by Section 2, Paragraph 13 of the Los Angeles County Flood Control Act. This Section provides as follows: "Said Los Angeles County Flood Control District is hereby declared to be a body corporate and politic, and as such shall have power...13. To lease, sell or dispose of any property (or any interest therein) whenever in the judgment of said board of supervisors said property, or any interest therein or part thereof, is no longer required for the purposes of said district..."

The Quitclaim of Easement document has been approved by County Counsel as to form and will be recorded.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

This project is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15312 of the CEQA Guidelines and Class 12 of the Environmental Reporting Procedures and Guidelines adopted by your Board on November 17, 1987. These exemptions provide for the sale of surplus government property.

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

This transaction will eliminate the need to maintain the property and reduce the cost of the LACFCD's expenses and potential liabilities.

#### **CONCLUSION**

Please return one adopted copy of this letter and the executed original Quitclaim of Easement document to the Department of Public Works, Survey/Mapping & Property Management Division. Retain the duplicate for your files.

Respectfully submitted,

Sail Farher

GAIL FARBER Director

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Enclosures

c: Auditor-Controller (Accounting Division - Asset Management) Chief Executive Office (Rita Robinson) County Counsel Executive Office

# ORIGINAL

RECORDING REQUESTED BY AND MAIL TO:

City of Long Beach 333 West Ocean Boulevard Long Beach, CA 90802-4664

THIS DOCUMENT IS EXEMPT FROM DOCUMENTARY TRANSFER TAX PURSUANT TO SECTION 11922 OF THE REVENUE & TAXATION CODE.

THIS DOCUMENT IS EXEMPT FROM RECORDING FEES PURSUANT TO SECTION 27383 OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE.

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Assessor's Identification Number: 7075-001-944 (Portion)

# QUITCLAIM OF EASEMENT

For a valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT, a body corporate and politic, does hereby remise, release, and forever quitclaim to the CITY OF LONG BEACH, a municipal corporation, all its right, title, and interest in and to that certain easement for flood control purposes, acquired by Easement document recorded January 27, 1927, as Document No. 1715, in Book 6609, page 39, of Official Records, in the office of the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles, insofar and only insofar as said easement exists on the real property in the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of California, described in Exhibit A attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof.

Dated March 8, 2011



(LACFCD-SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN County Counsel

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LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT a body corporate and politic

By

Mayor, Board of Supervisors of the Los Angeles County Flood Control District

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# COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

On January 6, 1987, the Board of Supervisors for the County of Los Angeles and ex officio the governing body of all other special assessment and taxing districts, agencies, and authorities for which said Board so acts adopted a resolution pursuant to Section 25103 of the Government Code that authorized the use of facsimile signatures of the Mayor of the Board on all papers, documents, or instruments requiring the Mayor's signature.

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this 8th day of March . 20 the facsimile signature of MIKE ANTONOVICH Mayor of the Board of Supervisors of the LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT, was affixed hereto as the official execution of this document. The undersigned further certifies that on this date a copy of the document was delivered to the Mayor of the Board of Supervisors of the LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT.

In witness whereof, I have also hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year above written.



(LACFCD-SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM

ANDREA SHERIDAN ORDIN County Counsel

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SACHI A. HAMAI, Executive Officer of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles

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Deputy

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Flood Control District, a body corporate and politic, to the City of Long Beach, a municipal corporation, is here accepted pursuant to the order of the City of Long Beach made on, and that the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and that the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and that the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and that the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and the context of the City of Long Beach made on, and the context of the City of Long Beach made on	he by ch, he			
Grantee consents to the recordation thereof by its d authorized officer, named its City Attorney.	лу			
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IVISION ROBERT E. SHANNON				
By Deputy City Attorney				

# **EXHIBIT A**

SAN GABRIEL RIVER P-24EX.4 6-RW 20 A.I.N. 7075-001-944 (Portion) T.G. 766 (G6) I.M. 039-257 S.D. 4 M9723006

#### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

(Quitclaim of portion of easement)

That portion of that certain parcel of land in Lot 34, Tract No. 9265, as shown on map recorded in Book 176, pages 31 to 35, inclusive, of Maps, in the office of the Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk of the County of Los Angeles, described as PARCEL NO. 1 in deed to LOS ANGELES COUNTY FLOOD CONTROL DISTRICT recorded in Book 6609, page 39, of Official Records, in the office of said Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk, within the following described boundaries:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of above-mentioned PARCEL NO. 1; thence westerly along the southerly line of said parcel, North 70°31'08" West 95.55 feet to the easterly line of that certain parcel of land described as Parcel No. 1A in deed to said District, recorded in Book D7214, page 433, of said Official Records; thence northerly along said easterly line, a distance of 1,130.46 feet to the southerly boundary of that certain 12-foot-wide strip of land described in deed to said District, recorded in Book D6497, page 496, of said Official Records; thence easterly along said southerly boundary to the northerly line of said PARCEL NO. 1; thence easterly along said northerly line to the easterly line, a distance of 1,167.89 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing: 98,948± square feet

This real property description has been prepared in conformance with the Professional Land Surveyors Act. The signatory herein is exempt pursuant to Section 8726 of the California Business and Professions Code.

