



THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

BOARD MEETING TRANSCRIPT

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2024

SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR: GOOD MORNING EVERYONE AND WELCOME TO MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC. WE WELCOME YOU TO OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. TODAY IS WEDNESDAY MARCH 6, 2024. WE TAKE NOTE THAT A FULL COMPLEMENT OF THE BOARD IS PRESENT. THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, COUNTY COUNCIL, INTERIM EXECUTIVE OFFICER, AND THE SERGEANT AT ARMS ARE ALL HERE TO ASSIST. SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR COUNTY'S REGISTRAR RECORDER, WHO ARE WORKING HARD THROUGH LAST EVENING AND ALL IN THE COMING WEEKS AND BEST WISHES TO ALL MY COLLEAGUES WHO HAVE PERFORMED GREAT WORK OVER THESE PAST MONTHS AND HAD A GREAT NIGHT. WE WILL BEGIN TODAY'S BOARD MEETING WITH THE COUNTY'S LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR (VIDEO RECORDING): THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES RECOGNIZES THAT WE OCCUPY LAND ORIGINALLY AND STILL INHABITED AND CARED FOR BY THE TONGVA, TATAVIAM, SERRANO, KIZH, AND CHUMASH PEOPLES. WE HONOR AND PAY RESPECT TO THEIR ELDERS AND DESCENDANTS, PAST, PRESENT, AND EMERGING, AS THEY CONTINUE THEIR STEWARDSHIP OF THESE LANDS AND WATERS. WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT SETTLER COLONIZATION RESULTED IN LAND SEIZURE, DISEASE, SUBJUGATION, SLAVERY, RELOCATION, BROKEN PROMISES, GENOCIDE, AND MULTIGENERATIONAL TRAUMA.



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1 THIS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT DEMONSTRATES OUR RESPONSIBILITY AND
2 COMMITMENT TO TRUTH, HEALING, AND RECONCILIATION, AND TO
3 ELEVATING THE STORIES, CULTURE, AND COMMUNITY OF THE ORIGINAL
4 INHABITANTS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY. WE ARE GRATEFUL TO HAVE THE
5 OPPORTUNITY TO LIVE AND WORK ON THESE ANCESTRAL LANDS. WE ARE
6 DEDICATED TO GROWING AND SUSTAINING RELATIONSHIPS WITH NATIVE
7 PEOPLES AND LOCAL TRIBAL GOVERNMENTS, INCLUDING, IN NO
8 PARTICULAR ORDER, THE FERNANDEÑO TATAVIAM BAND OF MISSION
9 INDIANS, GABRIELINO TONGVA INDIANS OF CALIFORNIA TRIBAL
10 COUNCIL, GABRIELINO/TONGVA SAN GABRIEL BAND OF MISSION
11 INDIANS, GABRIELEÑO BAND OF MISSION INDIANS - KIZH NATION, SAN
12 MANUEL BAND OF MISSION INDIANS, SAN FERNANDO BAND OF MISSION
13 INDIANS. TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE FIRST PEOPLES OF LOS ANGELES
14 COUNTY, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE.

15
16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OUR INVOCATION TODAY WILL BE LED
17 BY REVEREND JANET GOLLERY MCKEITHEN, MINISTER OF THE CHURCH IN
18 OCEAN PARK IN OUR 3RD DISTRICT, FOLLOWED BY THE PLEDGE OF
19 ALLEGIANCE, WHICH WILL BE LED BY JESSIE ORTEGA, FORMER STAFF
20 SERGEANT, UNITED STATES ARMY IN THE FOURTH DISTRICT. IF YOU
21 ARE ABLE, PLEASE STAND.

22
23 **REVEREND JANET GOLLERY MCKEITHEN:** GOOD MORNING. GOOD MORNING.
24 I GREET YOU FROM THE CHURCH IN OCEAN PARK IN SANTA MONICA. WE
25 ARE A MULTI-RELIGIOUS CONGREGATION DEDICATED TO SOCIAL JUSTICE



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1 AND BUILDING A MORE EQUITABLE SOCIETY. WE ARE THE HOME OF THE
2 QUEER PROM, THE COMMITTEE FOR RACIAL JUSTICE, CLIMATE ACTION
3 SANTA MONICA, KIDS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAMS, AND MANY MORE.
4 I'M HONORED TO BE HERE. LET'S TAKE A MOMENT NOW TO PREPARE FOR
5 OUR MEETING THIS MORNING IN PRAYER OR IN CENTERING. CREATOR
6 GOD, YOUR CREATION IS HOLY AND SACRED. EACH 1 OF US IN THIS
7 ROOM IS SACRED AND WORTHY. EACH 1 HAS AN ABILITY AND
8 EXPERIENCE UNIQUE TO US. AND EVERYONE OUTSIDE OF THIS ROOM IS
9 SACRED AND HAS ABILITIES AND EXPERIENCES THAT NOBODY ELSE HAS,
10 INCLUDING THOSE IN PALESTINE, GAZA, THROUGHOUT THE OCCUPIED
11 TERRITORIES, AND IN ISRAEL. WE ARE ALL DEEPLY CONNECTED, AND
12 FAMILY AND OUR SOULS ARE CONNECTED. I PRAY THAT THE DECISIONS
13 MADE HERE TODAY REFLECT THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THERE ARE NO
14 WALLS BETWEEN THE HEARTS AND BODIES OF THOSE IN THIS ROOM AND
15 THOSE OUTSIDE OF IT. THERE IS NO THEM, THERE IS ONLY US. LET
16 US EMBRACE THE SELFLESS SERVICE THAT LIFTS THE OPPRESSED. LET
17 US RECOGNIZE THAT THE VERY SYSTEMS SOME OF US BENEFIT FROM ARE
18 SYSTEMS THAT OPPRESS OTHERS. AND ESPECIALLY DURING WOMEN'S
19 HISTORY MONTH, LET US ACKNOWLEDGE THAT PATRIARCHY IS 1 OF
20 THOSE SYSTEMS THAT WE NEED TO DISMANTLE. AS NEIGHBORS ARE
21 PITTED AGAINST NEIGHBORS, EXPAND OUR HEARTS AND EXTEND OUR
22 FAMILY TO INCLUDE THOSE WHO LIVE ON THE MARGINS. BREAK OUR
23 HEARTS OPEN AND EMBOLDEN OUR ACTIONS. GIVE US THE STRENGTH TO
24 MAKE COURAGEOUS DECISIONS OUT OF COMPASSION AND NOT OUT OF
25 FEAR. SURPRISE US WITH OUR BOLDNESS ON BEHALF OF THOSE WHO



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1 LIVE TENUOUS EXISTENCES. MAY WE DO THE HARD WORK THAT IS
2 REQUIRED TO BRING WHOLENESS AND HOPE TO THEM AND TO OUR WHOLE
3 BIG DIVERSE AND FAMILY-LESS FAMILY. I CLOSE WITH WORDS FROM
4 ALICE WALKER. WE HAVE TO LIVE DIFFERENTLY OR WE WILL DIE IN
5 THE SAME OLD WAYS. THEREFORE, I CALL ON ALL GRANDMOTHERS
6 EVERYWHERE ON THE PLANET, RISE AND TAKE YOUR PLACE IN THE
7 LEADERSHIP OF THE WORLD. COME OUT OF THE KITCHEN, OUT OF THE
8 FIELDS, OUT OF THE BEAUTY PARLORS, OUT OF THE TELEVISION. STEP
9 FORWARD AND ASSUME THE ROLE FOR WHICH YOU WERE CREATED TO LEAD
10 HUMANITY TO HEALTH, HAPPINESS, AND SANITY. I CALL ON ALL THE
11 GRANDMOTHERS OF THE EARTH AND EVERY PERSON WHO POSSESSES
12 GRANDMOTHER SPIRIT OF RESPECT FOR LIFE, PROTECTING THE YOUNG
13 TO RISE AND LEAD. THE LIFE OF OUR SPECIES DEPENDS UPON IT.
14 AND I CALL ON ALL THE MEN OF THE EARTH TO GRACEFULLY AND
15 GRATEFULLY STAND ASIDE AND LET THEM LET US DO SO. CALLING ALL
16 GRANDMOTHERS BY ALICE WALKER.

17
18 **JESSIE ORTEGA:** PLEASE JOIN ME WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE. I
19 PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
20 AND FOR THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION UNDER
21 GOD, INDIVISIBLE, WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL.

22
23 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU SO MUCH. I WOULD LIKE
24 TO THANK REVEREND JANET GOLLERY MCKEITHEN, OUR MINISTER OF THE
25 CHURCH IN OCEAN PARK IN SANTA MONICA FOR LEADING OUR



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1 INVOCATION TODAY. THE CHURCH IN OCEAN PARK IS A DIVERSE
2 INTERFAITH CHURCH DEDICATED TO SOCIAL JUSTICE, CELEBRATING
3 DIVERSITY, AND TREATING OURSELVES AND OTHERS WITH RESPECT. THE
4 CHURCH CENTERS ITS WORK ON BUILDING COMMUNITY, CELEBRATING
5 VARIOUS FAITH TRADITIONS, AND ORGANIZING FOR ACTION. I LOVE
6 THAT THIS CHURCH FOCUSES ON RACIAL JUSTICE, CLIMATE ACTION,
7 THE LGBTQ PLUS COMMUNITY, IMMIGRATION, AND MANY OTHER ISSUES
8 AROUND INCLUSION. THE CHURCH BELIEVES THAT AS WE EXPERIENCE
9 MANY FAITH TRADITIONS, OUR OWN FAITH BECOMES STRONGER.
10 REVEREND MCKEITHEN WAS ORDAINED IN THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
11 NEARLY 40 YEARS AGO. SHE IS THE DAUGHTER OF THE LATE UNITED
12 METHODIST MINISTER STANLEY GOLLERY AND THE WIFE OF FLOYD
13 MCKEITHEN, ALSO A UNITED METHODIST MINISTER. JANET IS HIGHLY
14 INVOLVED IN THE SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY AND HAS HELD AND STILL
15 HOLDS NUMEROUS COMMUNITY SERVING POSITIONS INCLUDING BEING A
16 MEMBER OF THE HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL, TRANSPORTATION
17 MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION, PRESIDENT OF THE SANTA MONICA
18 INTERFAITH COUNCIL, A STEERING COMMITTEE MEMBER OF THE
19 COMMITTEE FOR RACIAL JUSTICE, AN ADVISOR FOR CLIMATE ACTION
20 SANTA MONICA, AND A MEMBER OF THE SPECIAL EDUCATION DISTRICT
21 ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF SANTA MONICA MALIBU UNIFIED SCHOOL
22 DISTRICT FOR 10 YEARS. THE REVEREND FREQUENTLY SAYS THAT SHE
23 UNDERSTANDS HOW DIFFERENT FAITH TRADITIONS CAN BE IMPORTANT TO
24 ONE'S LIFE. AND SHE HERSELF SAYS, I AM A CHRISTIAN WHO
25 RESONATES WITH NATIVE AMERICAN SPIRITUALITY AND A SPRINKLING



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1 OF BUDDHIST TEACHINGS. MEDITATION HELPS ME CONNECT TO THE
2 SACRED WHEN I TAKE THE TIME. WE WANT TO PROVIDE YOU A VERY
3 HEARTFELT THANKS TO OUR REVEREND FOR BEING HERE TODAY AND FOR
4 ALL THAT YOU DO TO UNITE THE SANTA MONICA COMMUNITY AND OUR
5 GREATER REGION. THANK YOU.

6
7 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. I WANT US TO JOIN ME
8 IN THANKING AND WELCOMING JESSE ORTEGA FOR LEADING US IN THE
9 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE THIS MORNING. JESSIE PROUDLY SERVED IN
10 THE UNITED STATES ARMY FROM 2000 TO 2020. HE ACHIEVED THE RANK
11 OF STAFF SERGEANT AND SERVED AS AN INDIRECT FIRE INFANTRY MAN
12 IN THE CHARLIE COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 184TH INFANTRY
13 REGIMENT. AND THERE IS A LONG LIST OF AWARDS AND MEDALS.
14 THANK YOU. AND I'M GOING TO READ THEM BECAUSE I THINK IT'S
15 PRETTY AMAZING. HE'S A RECIPIENT OF MANY DECORATIONS INCLUDING
16 OVERSEAS RIBBONS, GERMAN SCHÜTZEN-SCHER, MARKSMANSHIP BADGE,
17 ARMY ACHIEVEMENT MEDALS, ARMY GOOD CONDUCT MEDALS, NATIONAL
18 DEFENSE SERVICE MEDAL, GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM SERVICE MEDAL,
19 ARMY SERVICE RIBBON, KOSOVO CAMPAIGN MEDAL WITH BRONZE SERVICE
20 STAR, ARMED FORCES RESERVE MEDAL WITH M-DEVICE AND 10-YEAR
21 BRONZE HOURGLASS NATO MEDAL, ARMY RESERVE COMPONENT
22 ACHIEVEMENT MEDALS, GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM EXPIDENTARY MEDAL,
23 ARMY NCO PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RIBBON, HUMANITARIAN SERVICE
24 MEDALS, ARMY RESERVE COMPONENT OVERSEAS TRAINING RIBBON
25 MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION, ARMED FORCES SERVICE MEDAL



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1 CALIFORNIA STATE SERVICE RIBBON CALIFORNIA GOLD CONDUCT MEDAL
2 AND CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD COMMENDATION MEDAL RIBBON.
3 PRETTY AMAZING. HE CURRENTLY SERVES AT THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY
4 DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS AS A VETERAN
5 SERVICE OFFICER AT THE BATTLESHIP USS IOWA IN SAN PEDRO, AND
6 HE ASSISTS VETERANS AND DEPENDENTS WITH FILING BENEFITS. HE
7 VOLUNTEERS AS A POULTRY HEALTH INSPECTOR AT THE CALIFORNIA
8 DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE AND A POULTRY JUDGE FOR THE
9 CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION FOR THE PRESERVATION OF FOWL. THANK YOU
10 AGAIN, MR. ORTEGA, FOR BEING HERE TODAY. THANK YOU FOR YOUR
11 SERVICE. IT'S CLEAR YOU REALLY DISTINGUISHED YOURSELF IN YOUR
12 SERVICE IN THE ARMY, BUT SINCE THEN, YOU CONTINUE TO GIVE
13 BACK. YOU CONTINUE TO USE YOUR GIFTS AND YOUR TALENTS IN A WAY
14 THAT I THINK BENEFITS ALL OF US. SO THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR
15 BEING HERE THIS MORNING AND LEADING US IN THE PLEDGE. AND AS A
16 TOKEN OF OUR APPRECIATION, WE WANTED TO GIVE YOU THIS
17 CERTIFICATE AS A REMEMBRANCE OF WHAT YOU DID TODAY. WE WILL
18 NOW HAVE OUR PET PRESENTATION BY SUPERVISOR BARGER.

19
20 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** SO KNOWING THAT IT'S ALMOST ST. PATRICK'S
21 DAY, I'D LIKE TO INTRODUCE YOU TO A LITTLE PUPPY THAT IS A
22 SHEPHERD MIX. THIS IS ROXY, AND ROXY IS A TWO-MONTH-OLD
23 SHEPHERD MIX AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION. SHE'S CURRENTLY STAYING
24 AT THE DOWNEY ANIMAL CARE CENTER AND IS HOPING TO FIND HER
25 FOREVER HOME. IF YOU'D LIKE TO ADOPT ROXY YOU CAN CALL 562-



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1 940-6898 AND YOU CAN ALSO DROP BY THE DOWNEY SHELTER BETWEEN
2 THE HOURS OF 11 A.M. TO 5 P.M. MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY. AND
3 THERE ARE MANY MORE LIKE ROXY WAITING TO BE ADOPTED. ROXY'S
4 GOING TO BE BIG. VERY, VERY, VERY SWEET. AND NOW I'D LIKE TO
5 DIRECT YOUR ATTENTION TO THE SCREEN ABOVE TO INTRODUCE YOU TO
6 A PET FROM PALMDALE. AS YOU ALL KNOW, WE'VE GOT A LOT OF PETS
7 UP IN PALMDALE AND LANCASTER THAT ARE LOOKING FOR FOREVER
8 HOMES. AND THIS 1 IS LINUS, A TWO-YEAR-OLD BORDER COLLIE. JUST
9 LIKE PEANUT'S CHARACTER, HE WOULD LOVE TO SNUGGLE UP IN A
10 BLANKET AT HOME WITH YOU. HE'S LOOKING TO FIND A NEW FAMILY
11 WHO WILL GIVE HIM CARE AND TREATS THAT HE DESERVES. IF YOU ARE
12 INTERESTED IN ADOPTING LINUS, YOU CAN CALL THE PALMDALE CARE
13 CENTER AT 661-575-2888. AGAIN, LINUS AND THEN THIS IS ROXY.
14 THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.

15
16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SO CUTE. WITH THAT,
17 WE'LL MOVE ON TO TODAY'S AGENDA. EXECUTIVE OFFICER PLEASE CALL
18 THE AGENDA.

19
20 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. TODAY'S AGENDA
21 BEGINS ON PAGE 2 CONSENT CALENDAR BOARD OF SUPERVISORS ITEMS 1
22 THROUGH 8. ON ITEM 1 THIS INCLUDES A REVISION AS INDICATED ON
23 THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. ITEM 5 INCLUDES A REVISION AS
24 INDICATED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. ITEM 5 INCLUDES A
25 REVISION AS INDICATED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. ON ITEMS 6



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1 AND 7, SUPERVISOR HORVATH REQUESTS THAT THESE ITEMS BE HELD.
2 ON PAGE 7, ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS, ITEMS 9 THROUGH 27. ON ITEM
3 9, SUPERVISOR HORVATH REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED 2
4 WEEKS TO MARCH 19TH, 2024 AS INDICATED ON THE POSTED AGENDA.
5 ON ITEM 12, SUPERVISOR BARGER WOULD LIKE TO MAKE AN AMENDMENT
6 TO INSTRUCT THE DIRECTOR OF CONSUMER AND BUSINESS AFFAIRS TO
7 REPORT BACK TO THE BOARD IN WRITING EVERY 6 MONTHS WITH A
8 STATUS UPDATE OF THE WORK UNDERTAKEN AS PART OF THE MEMORANDUM
9 OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, INCLUDING
10 ADDITIONAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES IMPLEMENTED AND THE SOURCE OF
11 FINANCIAL RESOURCES UTILIZED. ON ITEM 17, SUPERVISOR HAHN IS
12 RECUSING HERSELF FROM THE VOTE PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE
13 SECTION 84308 BECAUSE SHE RECEIVED A CONTRIBUTION OR
14 CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN \$250 WITHIN THE PAST 12 MONTHS FROM
15 ANNE BACAR, WHO IS A PARTY, PARTICIPANT, OR AGENT OF A PARTY
16 OR PARTICIPANT IN THE PROCEEDING. ON ITEM 20, THE DIRECTOR OF
17 PUBLIC WORKS REQUESTS THIS ITEM BE CONTINUED 2 WEEKS TO MARCH
18 19TH, 2024, AS INDICATED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. ON PAGE
19 21, THIS INCLUDES MISCELLANEOUS ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA, WHICH
20 WERE POSTED MORE THAN 72 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING, AS
21 INDICATED ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. ON ITEM 25A, SUPERVISOR
22 BARGER WOULD LIKE TO RECUSE HER MOTION REVISE EXCUSE ME HER
23 MOTION TO INSTRUCT THE TREASURER AND TAX COLLECTOR AND REQUEST
24 THE ASSESSOR TO REPORT BACK TO THE BOARD. ON ITEM 25B
25 SUPERVISOR SOLIS REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. ON PAGE 22



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1 SPECIAL DISTRICT AGENDAS THIS IS THE AGENDA FOR SANITATION
2 DISTRICT NUMBER 27 AND THE NEW HALL RANCH SANITATION DISTRICT.
3 ON PAGE 23, THIS IS THE AGENDA FOR THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY
4 DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. ON PAGE 24, THIS IS THE AGENDA FOR THE
5 REGIONAL PARK AND OPEN SPACE DISTRICT. ON ITEM 1P, SUPERVISOR
6 SOLIS REQUESTS THAT THIS ITEM BE HELD. NOTICES OF CLOSED
7 SESSION, ITEM CS1 AND CS2 ARE ADDITIONS AS INDICATED ON THE
8 SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. THE REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCES THROUGH CS2
9 ARE BEFORE YOU.

10
11 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** MOVE BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS,
12 SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR BARGER TO APPROVE THESE ITEMS. THAT
13 WILL BE THE ORDER. EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE PLAY OUR CODE OF
14 CONDUCT.

15
16 **SPEAKER:** LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MAY I PLEASE HAVE YOUR
17 ATTENTION? THE MEETING OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY BOARD OF
18 SUPERVISORS IS ABOUT TO COMMENCE. A CODE OF CONDUCT WILL NOW
19 BE READ AND WE REQUEST THAT YOU COMPLY WITH IT TO ENSURE THE
20 EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF THE MEETING. MEMBERS OF THE
21 PUBLIC, IT IS YOUR RIGHT TO PARTICIPATE IN TODAY'S BOARD
22 HEARING AND THE BOARD ENCOURAGES SUCH PARTICIPATION. HOWEVER,
23 THE RIGHT OF THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD MUST BE BALANCED
24 WITH THE NEED TO ENSURE THAT PUBLIC COMMENT DOES NOT INTERFERE
25 WITH THE ORDERLY COURSE OF THE BOARD'S BUSINESS. ALL ARE



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1 REMINDED TO ABIDE BY THE FOLLOWING RULES. SPEAKERS MUST CEASE
2 SPEAKING IMMEDIATELY WHEN THEIR TIME HAS ENDED. PUBLIC COMMENT
3 ON AGENDA ITEMS MUST RELATE TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THAT
4 ITEM. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT IS LIMITED TO SUBJECTS WITHIN THE
5 JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD. PUBLIC COMMENT DOES NOT INCLUDE THE
6 RIGHT TO ENGAGE IN A DIALOGUE WITH BOARD MEMBERS OR STAFF.
7 PLEASE REMAIN RESPECTFUL OF THE FORUM AND REFRAIN FROM
8 UTTERING, WRITING, OR DISPLAYING PROFANE, PERSONAL,
9 THREATENING, DEROGATORY, DEMEANING, OR OTHER ABUSIVE
10 STATEMENTS TOWARD THE BOARD, ANY MEMBER THEREOF, STAFF, OR ANY
11 OTHER PERSON. MEMBERS OF THE AUDIENCE SHOULD BE RESPECTFUL OF
12 THE VIEWS EXPRESSED BY SPEAKERS, STAFF, AND BOARD MEMBERS AND
13 MAY NOT CLAP, CHEER, WHISTLE OR OTHERWISE DISRUPT THE ORDERLY
14 CONDUCT OF THE MEETING. ANY PERSON ENGAGING IN CONDUCT THAT
15 DISRUPTS THE MEETING IS SUBJECT TO BEING REMOVED FROM THE
16 BOARD MEETING. AND FINALLY, IF YOU WITNESS CONDUCT OR BEHAVIOR
17 BY OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC THAT DISRUPTS YOUR ABILITY TO
18 REMAIN ENGAGED OR PARTICIPATE IN THIS MEETING, PLEASE NOTIFY
19 THE SERGEANT AT ARMS OR OTHER COUNTY STAFF. THANK YOU FOR YOUR
20 COOPERATION.

21
22 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** TODAY WE WILL BEGIN WITH ITEM 1P
23 FOLLOWED BY ITEMS 6 AND 7 FINISHING WITH ITEM 25B FOLLOWED BY
24 THE REMAINING ITEMS NOT HELD BY THE BOARD AS WELL AS GENERAL
25 PUBLIC COMMENT. BEFORE WE BEGIN, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE



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1 READ THE CALL-IN INFORMATION THAT WAS ALSO PROVIDED ON THE
2 AGENDA AND EXPLAIN OUR SPEAKING RULES.

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4 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WISHING TO
5 PARTICIPATE REMOTELY, AS INDICATED ON THE AGENDA, PLEASE CALL
6 877-226-8163 AND USE PARTICIPANT CODE NUMBER 1336503. MEMBERS
7 OF THE PUBLIC PARTICIPATING REMOTELY AND IN THE BOARDROOM YOU
8 WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THE BOARD THROUGHOUT THE
9 MEETING. YOU WILL RECEIVE 1 MINUTE TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON
10 ITEMS HELD BY SUPERVISORS AND UP TO WHAT A TOTAL OF 3 MINUTES
11 ON ALL REMAINING ITEMS AND GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT FOR A TOTAL
12 OF 6 MINUTES FOR THIS MEETING. PLEASE NOTE ONCE YOUR TIME HAS
13 EXPIRED WE WILL IMMEDIATELY MOVE TO THE NEXT SPEAKER. PLEASE
14 MONITOR YOUR TIME AND THE ITEMS YOU ARE SIGNING UP FOR AS YOUR
15 NAME WILL NOT BE CALLED ONCE YOUR TIME HAS ELAPSED. FOR
16 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC JOINING US REMOTELY, WHEN THE BOARD
17 MOVES TO THE ITEM YOU WISH TO ADDRESS, PROMPTLY PRESS 1 THEN 0
18 TO BE MOVED FROM THE LISTENING CUE TO THE SPEAKING CUE.
19 REMEMBER TO TURN DOWN THE VOLUME ON YOUR DEVICE AS SOON AS THE
20 MODERATOR CALLS ON YOU OR THERE WILL BE AN ECHO. YOU WILL NEED
21 TO PRESS 1 THEN 0 TO FOR EACH ITEM YOU WISH TO SPEAK. TO
22 ENSURE WE HEAR FROM BOTH IN-PERSON AND TELEPHONIC SPEAKERS WE
23 WILL ALTERNATE BETWEEN THE 2 SPEAKING CUES. MEMBERS OF THE
24 PUBLIC WHO ARE IN ATTENDANCE, WHEN YOU HEAR OR SEE YOUR NAME
25 DISPLAYED ON THE SCREEN, PLEASE COME DOWN TO THE FRONT OF THE



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1 BOARDROOM AND STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU. PLEASE DO NOT APPROACH
2 THE PODIUM UNTIL DIRECTED TO DO SO. WE WILL BEGIN BY CALLING
3 IN-PERSON SPEAKERS AND WHILE THEY ARE COMING FORWARD WE WILL
4 TAKE TELEPHONIC SPEAKERS.

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6 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** WE'LL NOW BEGIN WITH ITEM 1P
7 AMEND GRANT WITH THE MOUNTAINS RECREATION AND CONSERVATION
8 AUTHORITY TO REVISE THE SCOPE OF WORK FOR THE ELEPHANT HILL
9 PROJECT WHICH WAS HELD BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS. FOR MEMBERS OF THE
10 PUBLIC ON THE TELEPHONE PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0 NOW TO COMMENT
11 ON THIS ITEM. SUPERVISOR SOLIS, I'LL TURN IT TO YOU.

12

13 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** THANK YOU SO MUCH MADAM CHAIR. BEFORE I
14 BEGIN I WANT TO CONGRATULATE MY COLLEAGUES ON THEIR RE-
15 ELECTION. SO TO ALL THE WOMEN ON THE BOARD, CONGRATS BEFORE WE
16 START. SORRY THAT WAS A LITTLE EDITORIAL. MADAM CHAIR, TODAY'S
17 MOTION ON ELEPHANT HILL IS A VERY IMPORTANT ITEM TO SO MANY
18 RESIDENTS IN NORTHEAST LOS ANGELES. ELEPHANT HILL IS A BELOVED
19 110-ACRE SITE THAT IS 1 OF THE LARGEST UNDEVELOPED OPEN SPACE
20 AREAS REMAINING IN NORTHEAST LA. APPROXIMATELY 2 DECADES AGO,
21 A RESIDENT-LED CAMPAIGN PROTECTED 20 ACRES THREATENED BY
22 DEVELOPMENT. VIGILANT RESIDENTS AND FRIENDS OF ELEPHANT HILL
23 EMERGED AS SAVE ELEPHANT HILL. AND THE MOUNTAINS RIVER
24 CONSERVANCY AUTHORITY TO PROTECT THE SPECIAL OPEN SPACE
25 RESOURCE GOT INVOLVED. THEY WORKED THROUGH TIME WITH LOCAL,



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1 COUNTY, AND STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS, INCLUDING MINE, TO
2 PRESERVE THE LOCAL ASSETS SERVING NUMEROUS NEIGHBORHOODS. I
3 PERSONALLY CONTRIBUTED THROUGH MY OWN DISCRETIONARY PROPERTY
4 FUNDING A GOOD AMOUNT BACK IN 2018 TO PRESERVE AS OPEN SPACE
5 FOR THE LOCAL COMMUNITY AND FUTURE GENERATIONS. GIVEN THAT THE
6 LAND ON THE HILL IS OWNED BY DIFFERENT ENTITIES, THE CITY OF
7 LOS ANGELES, THE MOUNTAINS RIVER CONSERVANCY AUTHORITY, AND
8 PRIVATELY OWNED LAND, THERE ARE SOME CHALLENGES WITH LAND
9 MANAGEMENT AND SECURITY. THESE CHALLENGES CONSIST OF ILLEGAL
10 DUMPING, VANDALISM, OFF-ROAD, AND PUBLIC DRINKING, WHICH HAVE
11 BEEN IMPACTING THE SURROUNDING RESIDENTS FOR QUITE SOME TIME.
12 ALTHOUGH ADMINISTRATIVE IN NATURE, THIS ITEM IS KEY TO UNLEASH
13 MITIGATIONS AND TO ACTIVATE THIS VERY IMPORTANT OPEN SPACE
14 RESOURCE FOR THE RESIDENTS OF EL SERENO AND NORTHEAST LOS
15 ANGELES AREA. BY REVISING THE SCOPE OF THE PREVIOUSLY
16 ALLOCATED PROP A FUNDING, IT WILL FACILITATE THE DEVELOPMENT
17 OF A TRAIL ON THE EXISTING MOUNTAINS RIVER CONSERVANCY
18 AUTHORITY OWNED LAND AND THAT WILL HELP DETER THE NEGATIVE
19 ACTIVITIES AS I OUTLINED EARLIER. THE PROP A RESOURCES
20 ADMINISTERED BY THE COUNTY ALONG WITH RECENT STATE FUNDING
21 AWARDED TO THE MOUNTAINS RIVER CONSERVANCY AUTHORITY WILL
22 BRING ABOUT IN MY OPINION COMPLEMENTARY EFFORTS TO RESTORE
23 THIS IMPORTANT OPEN SPACE RESOURCE FOR THE ENJOYMENT OF ALL
24 THE COMMUNITY. WITH THIS BOARD COLLEAGUES I WOULD RESPECTFULLY
25 ASK FOR YOUR AYE VOTE. THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.



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2 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. ANY OTHER OF OUR
3 COLLEAGUES HAVE COMMENTS? SEEING NONE, EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
4 PLEASE CALL THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO'VE SIGNED UP TO
5 SPEAK ON THIS ITEM.

6

7 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** ELVA YANEZ, RED CHIEF HUNT, AND SARAH
8 KOVORKIAN, PLEASE COME FORWARD AND STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU. AS
9 THE FINAL REMINDER FOR PARTICIPANTS ON THE TELEPHONE IF YOU
10 WOULD LIKE TO ADDRESS ITEM 1P IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO
11 PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0 NOW TO BE PLACED IN THE SPEAKING QUEUE.
12 MODERATOR, MAY WE HAVE THE FIRST SPEAKER PLEASE.

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14 **MODERATOR:** OUR FIRST PARTICIPANT IS CARLOS MORAN. PLEASE GO
15 AHEAD.

16

17 **SPEAKER:** HI, GOOD MORNING. MY NAME IS CARLOS MORAN. I AM
18 REPRESENTING THE NONPROFIT COUNCIL FOR WATERSHED HEALTH AND WE
19 ARE PLEASED TO SUPPORT THE RECOMMENDATION THAT'S SUBMITTED BY
20 SUPERVISOR SOLIS TO AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF REGIONAL PARK
21 AND OPEN SPACE DISTRICT TO AMEND THE GRANT AGREEMENT WITH MRCA
22 TO REVISE THE ELEPHANT HILL PROJECT SCOPE. WE'RE IN SUPPORT OF
23 THE SCOPE OF WORK BEING EXPANDED TO ALLOW MRCA TO PERFORM
24 IMPROVEMENTS ON THE PARCEL IT CURRENTLY OWNS AND MANAGES, IN
25 ADDITION TO PARCEL THAT MAY BE ACQUIRED. FOR OVER 25 YEARS THE



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 COUNCIL FOR WATERSHED HEALTH HAS WORKED TOWARDS A SOUTHERN
2 CALIFORNIA THAT IS A MODEL OF SUSTAINABLE URBAN WATERSHED
3 MANAGEMENT AND THE MOTION BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS TO AMEND THE
4 GRANT AGREEMENT ALIGNS WITH OUR MISSION TO ADVANCE THE HEALTH
5 AND SUSTAINABILITY OF OUR REGION'S WATERSHED BOTH IN NATURAL
6 AND IN URBAN NEIGHBORHOODS. SO WE ENCOURAGE YOUR SUPPORT IN
7 FAVOR OF THIS MOTION.

8

9 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU. YOUR TIME HAS EXPIRED. MAY WE
10 HAVE THE NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE?

11

12 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS JOSEPH FAREWELL. YOU MAY
13 BEGIN.

14

15 **SPEAKER:** HI, CAN YOU HEAR ME?

16

17 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** YES WE CAN, GO AHEAD.

18

19 **SPEAKER:** GREAT, THANK YOU. GOOD MORNING, THANK YOU FOR THE
20 OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK TODAY. MY NAME IS JOSEPH FAREWELL, I'M A
21 RESIDENT OF EL SERENO AND A LAND MANAGER FOR A NATIVE PLANT
22 RESTORATION GARDEN AT ELFIN HILL CLUB TEST PLOT. WE'VE JUST
23 SEEN OVER 200 TREES INSTALLED, NUMEROUS NATIVE CHAPARRAL
24 SPECIES PLANTED, AND SCORES OF VOLUNTEERS. I'M ALSO THE
25 CONSERVATION CHAIR OF THE CALIFORNIA NATIVE PLANT SOCIETY HERE



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SUPERVISORS

1 IN LA AND A CALIFORNIA BOARD ATTORNEY. I'M SHARING THIS
2 BACKGROUND THAT I URGE YOU TODAY TO SUPPORT SUPERVISOR SOLIS'
3 MOTION TO AMEND THE GRANT LANGUAGE TO EMPOWER MRCA TO BEGIN
4 WORK ON ITS TRAIL SYSTEM AT ELEPHANT HILL. AT OUR NATIVE PLANT
5 PROJECT, WHICH IS AT THE BASE OF THE HILL, WE'VE SEEN AN
6 OUTPOURING OF COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, VOLUNTEER CONTRIBUTIONS
7 FROM CHILDREN AND ELDERLY FOLKS WANTING TO EXPERIENCE NATURE.
8 BUT BECAUSE OF THE LACK OF OFFICIAL TRAILS IN THE ELEPHANT
9 HILL AREA, THAT SADLY IS WHERE THEIR EXPERIENCE ENDS. THIS
10 GRANT FUNDING MADE MORE USABLE BY THIS MOTION DOES MORE THAN
11 JUST INFRASTRUCTURE IT MAKES IT POSSIBLE FOR EL SERENO
12 RESIDENTS YOUNG AND OLD OF VARYING WALKING AND HIKING
13 ABILITIES TO ACCESS THE NATURE QUITE LITERALLY AT THEIR
14 DOORSTEP. FURTHERMORE, THIS GRANT FUNDING AND ACCESS WILL
15 COMPLEMENT THE –

16
17 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. YOUR TIME HAS EXPIRED.
18 MAY WE HAVE THE NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE?

19
20 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS ERIC PREVIN. YOU MAY BEGIN.

21
22 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU. IT'S ERIC PREVIN FROM STUDIO CITY AND
23 OBVIOUSLY SUPERVISOR SOLIS IS STICKING UP FOR THE RESIDENTS SO
24 THAT ELEPHANT HILL CAN BE ACCESSED AND AMENDED BY THE MRCA.
25 THAT'S A FAMILIAR NAME. AND THIS IS ONLY 110 ACRES. WE HAVE A



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SUPERVISORS

1 SIMILAR PROPERTY IN STUDIO CITY WHERE HORVATH AND RAMAN HAVE
2 DONE NOTHING BUT GO ALONG WITH PAUL KREKORIAN AND MARK
3 PASTRILLA HAS NOT EVEN ENGAGED WITH US TO TALK ABOUT
4 WATERSHED. WE'RE TALKING ABOUT THE LA COUNTY FLOOD DISTRICT
5 HAS A PIECE OF LAND THAT THEY'RE IN THE PROCESS OF SIGNING -
6

7 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THIS ITEM IS ABOUT THE ELEPHANT
8 HILL PROJECT, IF YOU COULD FOCUS YOUR COMMENTS ON THAT PROJECT
9 PLEASE.
10

11 **SPEAKER:** I KNOW, I'M TALKING ABOUT PROTECTING, I KNOW YOU
12 DON'T LIKE THIS, SUPERVISOR, I'M TALKING ABOUT PROTECTING THE
13 RESIDENTS LIKE THE GREAT HILDA SOLIS IS DOING AND YOU SHOULD
14 BE DOING BUT YOU HAVEN'T BEEN DOING BECAUSE YOU'RE TRYING TO
15 SHUT PEOPLE OUT OF COMMENTS ON IT IT'S VERY UPSETTING AND
16 KATIE R SLASKEY STOOD UP FOR HER RESIDENTS WHEN THE BULGARI
17 PEOPLE AND ALL THE LANGUAGE THAT GETS TOSSED OUT AND PRAISED
18 ABOUT 1 ANOTHER SHOULD BE USED FOR OUR LEADERS HELPING US, BUT
19 THEY'RE NOT.
20

21 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU. YOUR TIME HAS EXPIRED. MAY WE
22 HAVE THE NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE?
23

24 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS BRIAN BALDOFF. YOU MAY
25 BEGIN.



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1

2 **SPEAKER:** I MEAN, CAN YOU HEAR ME?

3

4 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** YES, WE CAN. GO AHEAD.

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6 **SPEAKER:** OKAY, THANK YOU SO MY NAME IS BRIAN BALBOFF. I'M A
7 DEPUTY EXECUTIVE OFFICER AT THE MOUNDS RECREATION CONSERVATION
8 AUTHORITY MRCA, AND I WANT TO THANK ADVISOR SOLIS FOR HER
9 REMARKS AND FOR HER GENEROUS FUNDING TO THIS PROJECT IN 2018.
10 OUR AGENCY HAS BEEN A REALLY GOOD PARTNER TO THE COMMUNITY
11 SPECIFICALLY HERE IN EL SERINO AND SURROUNDING LA AND LA
12 REGION. AND SO THIS IS A REALLY IMPORTANT SCOPE CHANGE THAT
13 WOULD ALLOW THIS PROJECT TO MOVE FORWARD EFFICIENTLY, ALLOWING
14 THE TRAIL TO BE BUILT ON MRCA PARCELS THAT ARE ALREADY
15 RESISTANT. THE MRCA HAS A COMMITMENT TO CONTINUE TO ACQUIRE
16 LAND HERE IN ELEPHANT HILL AND TO IN SURROUNDING NORTHEAST LA
17 HILLTOPS. SO WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONTINUING TO WORK WITH THE
18 COUNTY AND WITH LOCAL COMMUNITIES. AND SO WE JUST LOOK FORWARD
19 TO YOUR SUPPORT OF THIS ITEM THAT WILL ALLOW US TO BUILD THIS
20 TRAIL IN THE VERY NEAR FUTURE. THANK YOU.

21

22 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

23

24 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS MICAH HASSERAIN. YOU MAY
25 BEGIN.



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1

2 **SPEAKER:** HELLO. MY NAME IS MICAH HASSERAIN. I AM A RESIDENT OF
3 EL SERENO AND ALSO REPRESENT THE LOCAL NONPROFIT COYO JUAN
4 MASAWALI WHO WORKS CLOSELY WITH [INAUDIBLE] ELEPHANT HILL TO
5 HELP PROTECT THE OPEN HILLSIDES IN NORTHEAST LA. AND WE
6 SUPPORT THIS AMENDMENT TO THE FUNDING TO ALLOW FOR THE
7 CONSTRUCTION OF THE TRAIL AT ELEPHANT HILL. CURRENTLY THIS
8 SITE IS HOME TO A VAST AMOUNT OF WILDLIFE AND HABITAT THAT IS
9 BEING THREATENED BY OFF-ROADING AND JUST DISREGARD FOR THE
10 LAND. AND SO IT IS IMPORTANT TO ALLOW PROPER CONSERVATION OF
11 THIS HILLSIDE TO CONTINUE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THANK YOU.
12 THANK YOU.

13

14 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

15

16 **MODERATOR:** MADAM CHAIR THERE ARE NO OTHER REMOTE SPEAKERS TO
17 ADDRESS THE BOARD.

18

19 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. WE'LL GO TO SPEAKERS
20 IN PERSON. GO RIGHT AHEAD.

21

22 **SPEAKER:** HELLO. MY NAME IS ELVA YANEZ. I AM A RESIDENT OF EL
23 SERENO, A GRANDMOTHER, AND BOARD PRESIDENT OF SAVE ELEPHANT
24 HILL. WE WORK TO PRESERVE AND PROTECT THIS 110 ACRES OF
25 UNDEVELOPED OPEN SPACE IN EL SERENO, A PARK POOR COMMUNITY. WE



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SUPERVISORS

1 URGE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO SUPPORT THIS MOTION AND I
2 JUST WANT TO THANK SUPERVISOR SOLIS FOR HER YEARS OF SUPPORT
3 AND THE SUPPORT OF THIS BOARD FOR OUR EFFORTS TO PREVENT
4 PROBLEMATIC LAND USES IN EL SERINO AND TO ENSURE ENVIRONMENTAL
5 AND LAND JUSTICE FOR THE COMMUNITY. THIS PROJECT GOES BACK TO
6 1984. THE EIR WAS WRITTEN IN 1984 AND WE HAVE BEEN ON THIS
7 JOURNEY FOR DECADES AND WE WANT YOUR SUPPORT TO GET THAT VOTE,
8 TO GET THAT TRAIL BUILT, BECAUSE THAT'S GOING TO BE A TURNING
9 POINT FROM WHICH WE WILL BE ABLE TO MOVE FORWARD. I THANK YOU
10 FOR THAT. THANK YOU, SUPERVISOR.

11
12 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE.

13
14 **SPEAKER:** HONORABLE SUPERVISORS, MY NAME IS SARAH KVORAKIAN
15 FROM THE MOUNTAINS RECREATION AND CONSERVATION AUTHORITY,
16 MRCA, AND I'M THE PROJECT MANAGER FOR THE TRAIL AT ELEPHANT
17 HILL OPEN SPACE, AND I'D LIKE TO SUPPORT THIS ITEM. ELEPHANT
18 HILL IS A SPECIAL POCKET OF OPEN SPACE IN EL SERINO AND IT HAS
19 AN ACTIVE AND RESILIENT COMMUNITY WHO IS WORKING TO HELP
20 PRESERVE AND RESTORE THE HILL AS WELL AS ADVOCATING FOR SAFE
21 HIKING RECREATION. THE MRCA CURRENTLY MANAGES ABOUT 8 ACRES OF
22 OPEN SPACE AT ELEPHANT HILL AND IN 2018 SUPERVISOR SOLIS
23 GENEROUSLY DESIGNATED PROP A FUNDS FOR TRAIL CONSTRUCTION AND
24 ADDITIONAL ACQUISITION TO SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY'S VISION. THIS
25 ITEM WOULD ALLOW FOR TRAIL DEVELOPMENT TO OCCUR ON LAND MRCA



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SUPERVISORS

1 ALREADY ACQUIRES AND WILL ALLOW US TO ACTIVATE THE SPACE MUCH
2 SOONER BY DEVELOPING THE SAFE TRAIL FOR THE COMMUNITY. THANK
3 YOU FOR YOUR TIME.

4

5 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER.

6

7 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU, THE RED CHIEF HUNT. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL
8 THE RED CHIEF HUNT ANGELS WHO WON LAST NIGHT BUT I DO THINK
9 THAT THIS PROJECT IS A GOOD PROJECT KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK
10 HILDA SOLIS AND TO THE RED CHIEF HUNT ANGELS GOOD LUCK AND IF
11 IT WAS EASY EVERYBODY BE DOING IT THANK YOU.

12

13 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU ARE THERE ANY OTHER
14 SPEAKERS OKAY ITEM 1P IS BEFORE US MOVED BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS
15 SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR HAHN TO APPROVE THE ITEM. EXECUTIVE
16 OFFICER, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

17

18 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** ITEM 1P IS BEFORE YOU. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?
19 HILDA L. SOLI: AYE.

20

21 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS, AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

22

23 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE

24

25 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.

2

3 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

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5 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

6

7 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

8

9 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

10

11 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE MOTION CARRIES 5 TO
12 0.

13

14 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AND NOW WE WILL MOVE ON TO ITEM
15 6, CELEBRATING MARCH 2024 AS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, WHICH I
16 HELD. FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON THE TELEPHONE, PLEASE PRESS
17 1 THEN 0 NOW TO COMMENT ON THIS ITEM. I WANT TO THANK
18 SUPERVISOR MITCHELL FOR CO-AUTHORING THIS MOTION WITH ME. IT'S
19 VERY CLOSE TO MY HEART, PROCLAIMING MARCH 2024 AS WOMEN'S
20 HISTORY MONTH IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY. TODAY, WE ALSO PROCLAIM
21 INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY ON FRIDAY, MARCH 8TH. AND THIS IS AN
22 OPPORTUNITY TO AMPLIFY THE WORK OF OUR COMMISSION FOR WOMEN,
23 WHICH WILL HOST ITS WOMEN OF THE YEAR AWARDS ON MARCH 18TH,
24 AND I WILL BE ATTENDING AND I HOPE ALL MY COLLEAGUES WILL TOO.
25 AS WE SEE WOMEN'S RIGHTS STRIPPED, QUESTIONED, AND ROLLED BACK



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SUPERVISORS

1 ACROSS THIS COUNTRY AND GLOBALLY, THIS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH
2 IS ESPECIALLY SIGNIFICANT. THIS IS A TIME TO QUITE FRANKLY
3 FIGHT LIKE HELL AND STAND UP FOR WHAT IS RIGHT. WE STAND WITH
4 GIRLS, YOUNG WOMEN, TRANS WOMEN AND EVERYONE WHO IDENTIFIES AS
5 A WOMAN. WE STAND TOGETHER AS THE SUPREME COURT AND OTHERS IN
6 POSITIONS OF POWER, SHAMELESSLY INTRODUCE POLICIES THAT ARE
7 ANTI-WOMEN AND ANTI-HUMAN. WE STAND WITH WOMEN IN ALABAMA
8 UNDERGOING IVF TREATMENT WHOSE FUTURES ARE CAUGHT IN THE LIMBO
9 OF A CULTURE WAR WITHOUT LIMITS. HERE IN LA COUNTY, WE EMBRACE
10 WOMEN. WE FIGHT FOR WOMEN AND WE STAND WITH THEM IN THEIR
11 DARKEST HOURS. WE DO THIS ON BEHALF OF EVERY LITTLE GIRL WHO
12 IS WATCHING AND COUNTING ON US BECAUSE WE ARE HISTORY IN THE
13 MAKING. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL, I ASKED YOU TO CO-AUTHOR THIS
14 MOTION BECAUSE IT WAS YOU WHO MADE HISTORY WHEN YOU WERE
15 ELECTED IN 2020, CREATING THIS ALL-FEMALE BOARD. AND SO AS I
16 JOIN YOU, I CELEBRATE EACH OF MY COLLEAGUES AND I SHARED THE
17 LOS ANGELES MAGAZINE FOR OUR INCLUSION IN THEIR LIST OF FIERCE
18 FEMALES. IT IS AN HONOR OF A LIFETIME TO LEAD WITH YOU ALL IN
19 THIS MOMENT. BECAUSE WE ALL COULD USE A LITTLE LEVITY AND FUN,
20 WE HAVE A QUICK VIDEO TO CELEBRATE OUR ALL WOMEN BOARD FOR
21 WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH. SO WE'LL GO TO THE VIDEO. WE ARE GOING
22 TO KEEP THE WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH THEME GOING WITH NEXT WEEK'S
23 MEETING WHERE WE'LL RECOGNIZE WOMEN LEADERS IN OUR
24 COMMUNITIES. AND NOW I WILL TURN IT TO SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.

25



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM CHAIR, AND
2 THANK YOU FOR THE VIDEO. AND THAT LAST GLAMOUR SHOT, WE
3 CERTAINLY APPRECIATE YOU AND YOUR CREATIVE VISION FOR TAKING
4 US TO THE DISNEY CONCERT HALL. THAT BACKDROP HAS JUST MADE FOR
5 A REALLY STUNNING CLASS PICTURE, IF YOU WILL, SO THANK YOU. I
6 HAVE TO SAY AS I COMPLETE NOW MY FIRST TERM WITH THE BOARD AS
7 WE HAVE TOGETHER MADE HERSTORY WE ARE BREAKING GLASS CEILINGS
8 MANY OF YOU HAVE MADE FULL CAREERS IN BREAKING GLASS CEILINGS
9 AND WE'VE ALL 5 OF US HAVE BROKEN A SINGULAR GLASS CEILING
10 HERE AT LA COUNTY TOGETHER AND THIS HAS TRULY BEEN AN
11 EXPERIENCE OF A LIFETIME FOR ME SO I THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR
12 SERVICE AND SERVING ALONGSIDE YOU AND THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY
13 FOR US TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE CRITICAL ROLE WOMEN AND GIRLS HAVE
14 PLAYED HISTORICALLY AND WILL CONTINUE TO PLAY IN EVERY SECTOR
15 ACROSS OUR COUNTY, OUR STATE AND OUR NATION. I CAN NEVER, A
16 DAY GOES BY WHEN I DRIVE INTO DOWNTOWN THAT I DON'T THINK
17 ABOUT WOMEN LIKE BIDDY MASON WHO HAD THE FORTITUDE AND VISION
18 AND COURAGE TO BUY LAND IN DOWNTOWN AS AN ENSLAVED WOMAN. SHE
19 IS A SHINING EXAMPLE TO ME EVERY DAY OF WHAT IS POSSIBLE FOR
20 ALL OF US. AND SO THAT'S THE LENS I BRING TO THE WORK. IT'S
21 THE LENS I BRING TO REPRESENTING WOMEN AND GIRLS ACROSS THE
22 COUNTY AND THE LENS I KNOW WE ALL BRING TO OUR WORK EVERY DAY.
23 I LOOK FORWARD TO PARTICIPATING WITH THE COMMISSION'S
24 LUNCHEON. I'M VERY PROUD TO SHARE WITH YOU ALL THAT I WILL
25 HONOR THIS YEAR MY CONSTITUENT DR. ELAINE BACHELORS CEO OF



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 MARTIN LUTHER KING COMMUNITY HOSPITAL WHO LEADS A FIVE-STAR
2 RATED HOSPITAL SERVING LA COUNTY RESIDENTS IN THE SECOND
3 DISTRICT AND AGAIN LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING ABOUT ALL THE WOMEN
4 THAT YOU ALL WILL ACKNOWLEDGE AND JUST TO SHARE SPACE WITH THE
5 WOMEN COMMISSIONERS AND ALL THOSE WHO WILL COME TO ACKNOWLEDGE
6 AND CELEBRATE WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH. PROUD TO BE HERE WITH ALL
7 OF YOU. THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR.

8

9 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. ANY OTHER COMMENTS?
10 SUPERVISOR HAHN.

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12 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. THANK YOU FOR HOLDING
13 THIS GREAT VIDEO. THANK YOU AND AGAIN THIS IS WE'VE BEEN HERE
14 TOGETHER FOR A FEW YEARS BUT IT STILL IS HISTORIC. WE
15 CERTAINLY MADE HISTORY BY BEING THE FIRST ALL-FEMALE BOARD OF
16 SUPERVISORS THAT THE COUNTY HAS EVER HAD. PLEASE HAVE MY
17 DAUGHTER WITH ME TODAY. SHE FLEW IN FROM COLORADO. KATIE IS
18 HERE. AND WE WERE WALKING THROUGH THE HALLWAY FROM THE
19 ELEVATOR TO THE HEARING ROOM AND I WAS SAYING LOOK AT ALL
20 THESE PHOTOS AND OF COURSE, IT'S HER GRANDFATHER YOU KNOW THAT
21 SHE SEES IN A LOT OF THOSE PICTURES AND THEN I SHOWED THIS IS
22 WHERE WE STARTED WITH THE WOMEN AND IT'S SUCH A STARK REMINDER
23 WHEN YOU LOOK AT THE BOARD PHOTOS OVER THE YEARS. THAT'S WHY
24 THESE BOARD PHOTOS ARE SO IMPORTANT. BUT I THINK WHAT'S ALSO
25 IMPORTANT IS THAT IF YOU CAN SEE SOMETHING THAT LOOKS LIKE



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SUPERVISORS

1 YOU, YOU'RE MORE LIKELY TO FEEL CONFIDENT THAT YOU CAN GO INTO
2 THAT LINE OF WORK, WHICH IS WHY IT'S SO IMPORTANT THAT OUR
3 COUNTY COUNCIL IS A WOMAN, OUR CEO IS A WOMAN, AND EVERY WOMAN
4 THAT JOINS OUR LA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT EVERY WOMAN THAT
5 JOINS OUR LA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT IS A MESSAGE TO GIRLS
6 GROWING UP THAT THAT IS A PROFESSION THAT THEY CAN GO IN AND
7 MY FAMILY WAS JUST ASSUMED THAT MY BROTHER WOULD GO INTO
8 POLITICS, AND HE DID. BUT I THINK I SURPRISED EVERYBODY WHEN I
9 ALSO SAID THIS WAS A PASSION OF MINE, BECAUSE THERE WERE VERY
10 FEW, FOR ALL OF US, I THINK THERE WERE VERY FEW WOMEN ROLE
11 MODELS IN PUBLIC SERVICE. SO WHAT WE'RE DOING HERE IS A
12 SHINING EXAMPLE THAT IT'S POSSIBLE, IT'S DOABLE, AND IT MAKES
13 SENSE. AND YOU KNOW, THE WOMEN'S COMMISSION LUNCHEON EVERY
14 YEAR, I THINK MY BIGGEST CHALLENGE IS LANDING ON 1 WOMAN TO
15 HONOR. THERE ARE SO MANY AMAZING WOMEN IN LA COUNTY WHO HAVE
16 MADE HISTORY IN 1 WAY OR ANOTHER IN A PARTICULAR WALK OF LIFE
17 THAT IT'S DIFFICULT TO LAND ON 1. I DID LAND ON 1 AND I THINK
18 YOU'LL BE VERY IMPRESSED WITH HER AS I WAS. BUT THANK YOU FOR
19 DOING THIS. IT'S IMPORTANT THAT THIS IS A CONSTANT MESSAGE
20 THAT WOMEN AND GIRLS CAN DO IT ALL. THANK YOU.

21
22 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
23 PLEASE CALL THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO HAVE SIGNED UP TO
24 SPEAK ON THIS ITEM.



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** WILL DANIEL GARCIA AND RICHIE FUNT PLEASE
2 COME FORWARD AND STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU. AS A FINAL REMINDER
3 FOR PARTICIPANTS ON THE TELEPHONE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADDRESS
4 ITEM 6 IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0
5 NOW TO BE PLACED IN THE SPEAKING QUEUE. MODERATOR, MAY WE HAVE
6 THE FIRST SPEAKER PLEASE?

7

8 **MODERATOR:** OUR FIRST PARTICIPANT IS ERIC PREBRIN. YOU MAY
9 BEGIN.

10

11 **SPEAKER:** I THINK THAT YOU ARE ALL WOMEN, WHICH IS VERY
12 POWERFUL. JUST THE FACT THAT YOU BROUGHT THAT UP 10 YEARS AGO,
13 NOBODY WOULD HAVE BELIEVED IT. JIMMY CARTER SAID THAT FROM THE
14 FIRST SETTLERS WHO CAME TO OUR SHORES, FROM THE FIRST AMERICAN
15 INDIAN, HE MEANT INDIGENOUS PEOPLE, FAMILIES, WHO BEFRIENDED
16 THEM. MEN AND WOMEN HAVE WORKED TOGETHER TO BUILD THIS NATION.
17 TOO OFTEN, THE WOMEN WERE UNSUNG, AND SOMETIMES THEIR
18 CONTRIBUTIONS WENT UNNOTICED. BUT THE ACHIEVEMENTS,
19 LEADERSHIP, COURAGE, STRENGTH, AND LOVE OF THE WOMEN WHO BUILT
20 AMERICA WAS AS VITAL AS THAT OF THE MEN. NOT MEN, WELL, YES,
21 THE MEN. MEN ARE EVERYWHERE. LET'S JUST AGREE THAT WE MADE THE
22 MISTAKES OVER THE YEARS AT THE COUNTY, THE AMADOR CASE IS
23 EMBARRASSING, 52 MILLION EARLY-AGE RESEARCHERS IN THE
24 SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT. WE'VE BOTCHED MANY, MANY THINGS, BUT WE
25 LOVE THE WOMEN, AND WE DID CANCER TOGETHER, THANK YOU,



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 SUPERVISOR SOLIS AND BARGER, THE MIRALOMA FACILITY, WHICH
2 WOULD HAVE BEEN THE WORST IDEA IN THE STREET.

3
4 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU. YOUR TIME HAS EXPIRED. NEXT
5 SPEAKER, PLEASE.

6
7 **MODERATOR:** MADAM CHAIR, THERE ARE NO OTHER REMOTE SPEAKERS TO
8 ADJUST THE BOARD.

9
10 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** GREAT. WE'LL GO TO SPEAKERS IN
11 THE ROOM. GO RIGHT AHEAD.

12
13 **SPEAKER:** HI, MY NAME IS DANNY GARCIA, AND I WANT TO CELEBRATE
14 WITH YOU THE WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH. CONGRATULATIONS.
15 [INAUDIBLE]. EVERYTHING THAT YOU GUYS, AS A WOMAN, AS A
16 MOTHER, AS A SISTER, AS A EVERYTHING THAT THEY PRETEND TO BE
17 WOMEN, WOMANHOOD. BUT I COULD NOT HELP NOTICE THAT IN YOUR
18 PRESENTATION, THERE'S MANY MORE COMPONENTS OF YOUR WOMAN. IN
19 THIS WOMAN WHO IS DISABLED, YOUR PRESENTATION MISSED THE
20 OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT WOMEN WHO HAVE DISABILITIES IN YOUR
21 PRESENTATION. SO PLEASE ALLOW ME TO SAY THAT YOU FAIL, YOU
22 FAIL, YOU FAIL TO DO IT. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

23
24 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER.



THE BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS

1 **SPEAKER:** HELLO. IT'S THE RED CHIEF HUNT AGAIN. I HAVE TO
2 PROCLAIM THIS THE RED CHIEF HUNT ANGELS MONTH FOR ALL THE
3 WOMEN BECAUSE WITHOUT YOU GUYS THERE'S NO ME. SO I REALLY
4 APPRECIATE THAT. YOU GUYS ARE VERY BEAUTIFUL. AND THANK YOU
5 GUYS FOR DOING A GOOD JOB. IT'S REALLY HARD, I MEAN, FOR ALL 5
6 OF YOU GUYS TO REALLY COME TOGETHER AND GET EVERYTHING
7 TOGETHER. BUT YOU GUYS HAVE DONE A GREAT JOB AND KEEP UP THE
8 GOOD WORK THE RED CHIEF HUNT THEY'RE PROCLAIMING THIS THE RED
9 CHIEF HUNT ANGELS MONTH THANK YOU GUYS.

10

11 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU ITEM 6 IS BEFORE US I
12 WILL MOVE IT SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR MITCHELL TO APPROVE THE
13 ITEM EXECUTIVE OFFICER PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

14

15 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** ITEM 6 IS BEFORE YOU. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

16

17 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** AYE.

18

19 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

20

21 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE.

22

23 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?

24

25 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.



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SUPERVISORS

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2 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

3

4 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

5

6 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

7

8 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

9

10 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE. MOTION CARRIES 5 TO
11 0.

12

13 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH. WE'LL NOW
14 MOVE ON TO ITEM 7, SUPPORT FOR HOUSE RESOLUTION 7038 GARCIA,
15 GUARANTEED INCOME FOR FOSTER YOUTH ACT, WHICH I HELD. FOR
16 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON THE TELEPHONE, PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0
17 NOW TO COMMENT ON THIS ITEM. CHRISTINA MEZA, EXECUTIVE
18 DIRECTOR OF THE POVERTY ALLEVIATION POLICY IMPLEMENTATION AND
19 ALIGNMENT BRANCH, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICE, IS AVAILABLE FOR
20 QUESTIONS. AND I WILL BEGIN. I WANT TO THANK SUPERVISOR HAHN
21 FOR JOINING ME IN THIS IMPORTANT MOTION TO SUPPORT CONGRESSMAN
22 ROBERT GARCIA'S FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO PROVIDE GUARANTEED
23 INCOME FOR OUR YOUTH EXITING FOSTER CARE. IN LA COUNTY WE HAVE
24 SEEN HOW GUARANTEED INCOME PILOTS CAN TRANSFORM THOSE WHO
25 RECEIVE THEM. ALONG WITH OUR COLLEAGUE SUPERVISOR MITCHELL I'M



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1 PROUD TO BE A COUNTY OFFICIAL FOR GUARANTEED INCOME AND I KNOW
2 FROM MY TIME AS MAYOR THAT GUARANTEED INCOME CAN WORK AT EVERY
3 LEVEL OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND I'M THRILLED TO BE AT THE
4 FOREFRONT OF THE EXPANSION OF THESE PROGRAMS. I'M THRILLED TO
5 SEE ANOTHER FORMER MAYOR, CONGRESSMAN ROBERT GARCIA, CHAMPION
6 THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT STEPPING UP IN THIS MOVEMENT. HIS
7 LEGISLATION, GUARANTEED INCOME FOR FOSTER YOUTH ACT, WOULD PUT
8 FEDERAL DOLLARS BEHIND GUARANTEED INCOME FOR FOSTER YOUTH
9 AUTHORIZING STATE PROGRAMS TO PROVIDE GUARANTEED INCOME OF
10 \$1,000 A MONTH FOR 5 YEARS TO YOUTH EXITING FOSTER CARE. WE
11 SEE THE COST OF LIVING CONTINUING TO RISE THROUGHOUT LOS
12 ANGELES, AND THIS MONEY WOULD HELP THOSE WHO ARE STRUGGLING TO
13 MEET THEIR BASIC INCOMES, BASIC NEEDS CLOSE THE GAP. THESE
14 YOUNG PEOPLE ARE IN OUR CARE, AND WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO
15 SUPPORT ANOTHER TOOL THAT COULD PREVENT THEM FROM FALLING INTO
16 HOMELESSNESS. I ASK FOR YOUR SUPPORT TO BRING FEDERAL
17 RESOURCES TO SUPPORT OUR YOUNG PEOPLE TRANSITIONING FROM
18 FOSTER CARE, AND I'LL TURN IT TO SUPERVISOR HAHN.

19
20 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** THANK YOU, CHAIR HORVATH, FOR ELEVATING THE
21 IMPORTANCE OF THIS MOTION TODAY AND FOR ASKING ME TO BE YOUR
22 CO-AUTHOR. OUR FRIEND, CONGRESSMEMBER ROBERT GARCIA, AS YOU
23 SAID, HAS INTRODUCED A BILL IN WASHINGTON TO ESTABLISH A
24 UNIVERSAL BASIC INCOME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AGING OUT OF OUR
25 FOSTER CARE SYSTEM. UNDER HIS PROPOSAL, YOUNG PEOPLE WOULD GET



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1 \$1,000 EVERY MONTH FOR 5 YEARS. YOU KNOW, WE'VE BEEN WORKING
2 AS A COUNTY TO GET MORE HELP TO OUR TRANSITION AGE YOUTH.
3 TIMES HAVE CHANGED. OUR ECONOMY HAS CHANGED. THERE ARE VERY
4 FEW 18 TO 21 YEAR OLDS WHO CAN MOVE OUT, GET A JOB, GET AN
5 APARTMENT, PAY FIRST, PAY LAST, PAY SECURITY, AND THEN IN 30
6 DAYS PAY ANOTHER MONTHLY RENT AND STILL HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO
7 SURVIVE ON WITHOUT HELP FROM FAMILY MEMBERS OR A SUPPORT
8 SYSTEM. ESTABLISHING A UNIVERSAL BASIC INCOME PROGRAM AT THE
9 FEDERAL LEVEL SO THAT YOUNG PEOPLE LEAVING FOSTER CARE CAN GET
10 THE HELP THEY NEED THAT SO MANY OTHER YOUNG PEOPLE GET FROM
11 THEIR FAMILIES, THAT WOULD BE SUCH A GAME CHANGER. AS A
12 COUNTY, WE'VE BEEN MOVING IN THIS DIRECTION WITH THE BREATHE
13 PILOT PROGRAM AT DPSS TAY PORTUNITY GUARANTEED INCOME PROGRAM.
14 BUT IF THIS CAN BE A FEDERAL MANDATE WITH ADDITIONAL SUPPORTS
15 THEN THIS WOULD HELP US SCALE UP THESE EXISTING PROGRAMS AND
16 HELP ALL OF OUR YOUNG PEOPLE WHO EXIT CARE. AS THE LARGEST
17 CHILD WELFARE JURISDICTION IN THE NATION THE IMPACT OF THIS
18 LEGISLATION WILL TRULY HELP TO IMPROVE THE LIVES OF THESE
19 FORMER FOSTER YOUTH, MAKING SURE THAT THEY HAVE STABLE AND
20 GUARANTEED INCOME, THAT THEY'RE SAFE, THAT THEY'RE FED, AND
21 THAT THEY HAVE THE NECESSARY MEANS TO TRANSITION INTO
22 ADULTHOOD. THANK YOU.

23
24 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR BARGER.



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1 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** THANK YOU AND I ALSO WANT TO THANK
2 SUPERVISOR HORVATH AND HAHN FOR INTRODUCING THIS MOTION. 1 OF
3 MY TOP PRIORITIES HAS BEEN AND WILL CONTINUE TO BE SUPPORTING
4 AND ADVOCATING FOR OUR FOSTER YOUTH. LOS ANGELES COUNTY, AS
5 YOU JUST HEARD, IS HOME TO THE LARGEST NUMBER OF FOSTER YOUTH
6 IN CALIFORNIA. MANY OF OUR TRANSITIONAL AGE YOUTH EXITING
7 FOSTER CARE FACE CHALLENGES RELATED TO HOMELESSNESS, POVERTY,
8 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER, AND INCARCERATION. AS COUNTY LEADERS,
9 IT IS OUR DUTY TO ENSURE FOSTER YOUTH CAN ACCESS RESOURCES AND
10 SERVICES THAT THEY NEED TO THRIVE. IT'S NO FAULT OF THEIRS
11 THAT THEY'RE IN OUR SYSTEM. LAST MONTH, I ATTENDED THE
12 NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE IN
13 WASHINGTON, DC, WHERE I WAS PROUD TO INTRODUCE A POLICY
14 RESOLUTION THAT CALLS ON THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION TO
15 STREAMLINE THE PROCESS OF OBTAINING SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS FOR
16 FOSTER YOUTH. SOMETHING YOU WOULD THINK WOULD BE SIMPLE BUT IT
17 HAS BEEN BOGGED DOWN IN BUREAUCRACY BECAUSE EACH SOCIAL
18 SECURITY OFFICE HANDLES IT A DIFFERENT WAY. THIS IS JUST 1 OF
19 THE MANY BARRIERS FOSTER YOUTH ACROSS THE NATION FACE THAT WE
20 MUST ADDRESS. I'D ALSO LIKE TO THANK MY COLLEAGUE, SUPERVISOR
21 HOLLY MITCHELL, FOR CHAMPIONING THE COUNTY'S GUARANTEED INCOME
22 PROGRAM AT NACO WITH THEIR LARGE URBAN COUNTY CAUCUS MEMBERS,
23 WHICH HAS DRAWN NATIONAL ATTENTION TO LA COUNTY'S BREATH
24 PROGRAM. IT WAS WELL RECEIVED AND YOU REALLY HAVE BEEN A
25 LEADER AND A VOICE FOR ALL THE NATIONAL LEADERS ON THIS ISSUE.



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1 HR 7038, THE GUARANTEED INCOME FOR FOSTER YOUTH ACT AIMS TO
2 ADDRESS THE PROFOUND ECONOMIC BARRIERS THAT FOSTER YOUTH
3 TRANSITIONING OUT OF CARE FACE AT A FEDERAL LEVEL. THIS
4 LEGISLATION IS CONSISTENT WITH BREATHE LA COUNTY PILOT PROGRAM
5 WHICH WAS RECENTLY EXPANDED TO PROVIDE 200 FORMER DCFS FOSTER
6 YOUTH WITH 1,000 PER MONTH FOR 2 YEARS. I'VE ALWAYS SAID THIS
7 IS NOT A HANDOUT BUT A HAND UP THAT OUR FOSTER YOUTH DESERVE.
8 I AM PROUD TO SUPPORT THIS MOTION. I THANK CONGRESSMAN GARCIA
9 FOR BRINGING IT FORWARD. AND I TRULY DO BELIEVE THAT DOING
10 THIS IS GOING TO HELP US ADDRESS, ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE THAT
11 ARE TRANSITIONING OUT OF OUR SYSTEM AND ENDING UP IN
12 HOMELESSNESS, THIS WILL GIVE THEM AN OPPORTUNITY TO THRIVE.
13 THANK YOU.

14
15 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR SOLIS.

16
17 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** YES, THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. I ALSO WANT TO
18 CONGRATULATE YOU AND SUPERVISOR HAHN FOR BRINGING THIS MOTION
19 FORWARD. WE ALL KNOW THAT IT IS NOT GOTTEN EASIER FOR OUR
20 TRANSITIONAL AGE YOUTH AND \$1,000 A MONTH TO SUPPORT THEM FOR
21 5 YEARS IS JUST THE BEGINNING. WE NEED TO DO A LOT MORE. WE
22 KNOW THAT MANY OF THESE YOUTH END UP ON THE STREETS BECAUSE
23 AFTER 21 THEY AGE OUT AND THERE REALLY ISN'T ALWAYS ADEQUATE
24 HOUSING PROVIDED FOR THEM. AND UNFORTUNATELY AS WE ALL KNOW IN
25 THE LATEST HOMELESS COUNT, THE NUMBER OF YOUTH AND YOUNG



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1 ADULTS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS CONTINUES TO RISE. THIS YEAR
2 THERE WERE 6,230 HOMELESS YOUTH AGES 0 THROUGH 17. AND OF
3 THOSE MORE THAN HALF, 3,718 WERE TAY, TRANSITIONAL AGE YOUTH.
4 SO WE DO NEED TO DO MORE. THEY EXPERIENCE MORE TRAUMA, ABUSE,
5 AND EXPLOITATION, TRAFFICKING FOR SOME, UNFORTUNATELY. BUT
6 AGAIN, THEY'RE SURVIVORS. AND WE ARE MAKING AN EFFORT HERE ON
7 THE BOARD I THINK TO DO AS MUCH AS WE CAN TO HELP SECURE
8 HOUSING FOR THEM BECAUSE THAT'S ALSO A BIG EFFORT THAT I
9 BELIEVE WE ALSO NEED TO REMEDY. IN MY DISTRICT WITH THE
10 SUPPORT OF 1 OF OUR CITIES, THE CITY OF EL MONTE, WE
11 TRANSFORMED MOTELS INTO INTERIM HOUSING WITH WRAPAROUND
12 SERVICES PARTICULARLY FOR TRANSITIONAL AGE YOUTH AND WE'RE
13 LOOKING AT A TRANSFORMATIONAL PROJECT KNOWN AS PREVIOUSLY
14 MCLAREN HALL WHERE YOUTH WERE THERE AND I DON'T HAVE TO GO
15 INTO THE HISTORY THERE BUT WE'RE GOING TO BE BUILDING HOUSING,
16 AFFORDABLE HOUSING, BUT ALSO HOUSING FOR TRANSITIONAL AGE
17 YOUTH. AND I WANT TO COMMEND THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND
18 FAMILY SERVICES, BRANDON NICHOLS, WHO'S HERE FOR ALL HIS WORK
19 TO CONTINUE TO ADVOCATE FOR THESE YOUNG PEOPLE. THIS IS A
20 GREAT MOTION AND I WILL SUPPORT IT. THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

21
22 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.

23
24 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH AND THANK YOU TO
25 MY 2 COLLEAGUES FOR BRINGING THE MOTION FORWARD. I'M REALLY



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1 EXCITED THAT CONGRESS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO CONSIDER IN
2 A MEANINGFUL WAY LIFE-CHANGING POSSIBILITIES THROUGH
3 GUARANTEED INCOME PROGRAM. AND IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT THAT THE
4 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TAKE PAY ATTENTION BECAUSE I AM HOPING
5 THROUGH THIS LEGISLATION THAT THE TRANSITION AGE YOUTH WON'T
6 BE PREVENTED FROM BENEFITING FROM OTHER ENTITLEMENT PROGRAMS
7 BECAUSE THEY'RE COUNTING THIS INCOME. SO I HOPE THAT THEY WILL
8 STILL BE ABLE TO QUALIFY FOR HOUSING SUBSIDY AND SUBSIDIZED
9 CHILD CARE AND SNAP. AND SO IT'S GOING TO REQUIRE THAT THE
10 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, YOU KNOW, NOT COUNT THIS INCOME FOR THIS 5
11 YEARS. SO IT REALLY IS A TRUE AID AS OPPOSED TO CREATING THE
12 CLIFF THAT THEY FALL OFF OR THEY LOSE THESE OTHER ENTITLEMENT
13 PROGRAMS. SO I'M HOPING THAT'S INCLUDED IN THE BILL. SO LINDA
14 LAKE'S TEAM JUST RELEASED AMAZING POLL RESULTS ABOUT THE
15 BIPARTISAN SUPPORT OF GUARANTEED INCOME PROGRAMS ACROSS THE
16 COUNTRY. AND SO, I THINK THAT'S GOING TO HELP EXPAND AND GROW
17 THE NUMBER OF MAYORS FOR GUARANTEED INCOME AND COUNTIES FOR
18 GUARANTEED INCOME THAT I'M PROUD TO CO-CHAIR WITH PRESIDENT
19 PRICKWINKEL FROM COOK COUNTY. WE HERE WILL BE WORKING
20 COLLABORATIVELY AND WE'RE GOING TO INVITE THE CONGRESSMAN AND
21 THE ENTIRE CALIFORNIA DELEGATION TO A CONVENING THIS SUMMER TO
22 TALK ABOUT GUARANTEED INCOME AND WHERE IT CAN GO NEXT HERE IN
23 LA COUNTY GIVEN THE FACT THAT WE ARE RUNNING PILOTS AS ARE
24 MANY OF THE CITIES IN LA COUNTY. SO I'M EXCITED, WANT THE
25 FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO GET IT RIGHT AND MAKE SURE THAT THEY



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1 DON'T, THAT THEY TRULY, THAT THEY ALLOW THIS TO BE THE TRUE
2 BENEFIT THAT WAS ENVISIONED BY THE POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN
3 ALMOST 60 YEARS AGO AND THAT WE DON'T USE IT AS AN EXCUSE TO
4 CUT PEOPLE OFF FROM OTHER ENTITLEMENT PROGRAMS SO THANK YOU
5 VERY MUCH TO BOTH OF YOU FOR BRINGING TODAY'S MOTION FORWARD.
6 I'LL BE HAPPY TO SUPPORT.

7

8 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** ABSOLUTELY. GREAT POINTS. THANK
9 YOU. EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE CALL THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC
10 WHO HAVE SIGNED UP TO SPEAK ON THIS ITEM.

11

12 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** WILL RED CHIEF HUNT PLEASE COME FORWARD AND
13 STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU? AS A FINAL REMINDER FOR PARTICIPANTS ON
14 THE TELEPHONE, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADDRESS ITEM 7, IF YOU
15 HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0 NOW TO BE
16 PLACED IN THE SPEAKING QUEUE. MODERATOR, MAY WE HAVE THE FIRST
17 SPEAKER, PLEASE?

18

19 **MODERATOR:** OUR FIRST PARTICIPANT IS GENEVIEVE KLEBREL. YOU MAY
20 BEGIN.

21

22 **SPEAKER:** YES SIR, GOOD MORNING, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. I THINK
23 THAT'S A GREAT IDEA AND I THINK VERY IMPORTANT TO THE FOSTER
24 YOUTH BECAUSE THEY HAVE A VERY TOUGH TIME TO REALLY TRANSITION
25 SO THAT'S A FANTASTIC IDEA. THANK YOU FOR DOING IT.



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2 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

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4 **MODERATOR:** MADAM CHAIR, THERE ARE NO OTHER REMOTE SPEAKERS.

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6 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OKAY, THEN WE'LL GO IN PERSON. GO
7 RIGHT AHEAD.

8

9 **SPEAKER:** YES, RED CHIEF HUNTER, I THINK THAT THIS IS A GREAT
10 MAGNIFICENT IDEA. ANYTHING TO HELP THE KIDS STAY OUT OF
11 TROUBLE WHEN THEY GET OUT OF FOSTER CARE IS MAGNIFICENT AND
12 THINGS LIKE THAT. BUT EVEN MORE SO LIKE SUPERVISOR MITCHELL
13 SAID, LET'S NOT INCLUDE IT IN YOUR EVERYDAY PROGRAMS WHERE
14 THEY TAKE THE SUBSIDY OUT THEIR, CHECK TO LIVE, LET'S GIVE
15 THIS TO THEM FOR EDUCATION PURPOSES AND THINGS LIKE THIS SO
16 THEY HAVE A FAIR CHANCE BECAUSE IT'S HARD TO BE A FOSTER KID.
17 AND YOU KNOW, WHEN YOU FIRST COME OUT THE SYSTEM AND THINGS
18 LIKE THAT, THEY NEED A FAIR CHANCE AND THINGS LIKE THAT. MAYBE
19 IT'LL HELP, THE THOUSAND DOLLARS TO HELP THEM GO TO SCHOOL AND
20 I HOPE CONGRESS PASS IT. I THINK THIS IS A GOOD INITIATIVE. 2
21 THUMBS UP ON THIS 1. LET'S PASS THIS AND LET'S GET IT OVER
22 WITH. THANK YOU.

23

24 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. EXECUTIVE OFFICER,
25 ITEM 7 IS BEFORE US. I WILL MOVE IT SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR



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1 HAHN TO APPROVE THE ITEM. PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

2

3 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. ITEM 7 IS BEFORE YOU
4 SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

5

6 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** AYE.

7

8 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

9

10 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE.

11

12 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?

13

14 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.

15

16 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

17

18 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

19

20 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

21

22 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

23

24 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE. MOTION CARRIES 5 TO
25 0.



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2 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** WE'LL NOW MOVE ON TO ITEM 25B,
3 PROCLAIMING THE 33RD ANNUAL LATINA HISTORY DAY AND RECOGNIZE
4 HISPANAS ORGANIZED FOR POLITICAL EQUALITY WHICH WAS HELD BY
5 SUPERVISOR SOLIS. FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON THE TELEPHONE
6 PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0 NOW TO COMMENT ON THIS ITEM. SUPERVISOR
7 SOLIS I'LL TURN IT TO YOU.

8

9 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** THANK YOU SO MUCH MADAM CHAIR AND IN THE
10 SPIRIT OF RECOGNIZING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH I COULDN'T BE
11 PROUDER TO BE 1 OF THE ONLY SERVING LATINA ON AN ALL-FEMALE
12 COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS. BUT HOPEFULLY 1 DAY THAT WILL
13 CHANGE. THERE WILL BE MORE AND MAYBE THERE'LL BE A MORE
14 EXPANSIVE BOARD THAT WILL REPRESENT MANY MORE VOICES. I'M
15 PROUD TO LEAD TODAY'S MOTION PROCLAIMING MARCH THE 8TH, 2024
16 IS THE 33RD ANNUAL LATINA HISTORY DAY AND RECOGNIZING AN
17 OUTSTANDING ORGANIZATION, HISPANAS ORGANIZED FOR POLITICAL
18 EQUALITY, FOR EQUALITY KNOWN AS HOPE. THEY'RE DEDICATED TO
19 SERVICING THE LATINAS IN THE GREATER COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.
20 SINCE THE ORGANIZATION'S FOUNING 35 YEARS AGO, HOPE HAS
21 SERVED AS A BEACON OF PROSPERITY FOR LATINAS ACROSS THE STATE
22 OF CALIFORNIA, EMPOWERING THEM AND OPENING PATHS TO JOURNEYS
23 MANY WOULD NOT HAVE DREAMED OF, INCLUDING MYSELF. HOPE'S
24 INNOVATIVE PROGRAMMING HAS SERVED MORE THAN 65,000 LATINAS
25 FROM HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, COLLEGE STUDENTS, RECENT GRADS, AND



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1 PROFESSIONALS. JUST TO NAME A FEW, THE HOPE YOUTH LEADERSHIP
2 PROGRAM HAS SERVED 558 LOW-INCOME FIRST-GENERATION STUDENTS
3 ACHIEVE THEIR ACADEMIC GOALS AND FINANCIAL SELF-SUFFICIENCY.
4 THE HOPE COLLEGE LEADERSHIP PROGRAM HAS CREATED A NETWORK OF
5 458 FIRST-GENERATION LATINA COLLEGE STUDENTS. THE HOPE
6 LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE HAS TRAINED 71 LATINAS IN VITAL
7 LEADERSHIP AND ADVOCACY SKILLS. AND THE LATINA ACTION DAY,
8 WHICH I CO-FOUNDED SOME 30 YEARS AGO AS A STATE SENATOR,
9 CONVENES OVER 400 LATINAS FROM ACROSS THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
10 TO ENGAGE IN LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AND AMPLIFY DIALOGUES ON
11 CRITICAL ISSUES SUCH AS ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE, HIGHER
12 EDUCATION, AND THE CALIFORNIA STATE BUDGET. THESE PROGRAMS AND
13 INITIATIVES THAT I BELIEVE IN AND WILL CONTINUE TO ADVOCATE
14 FOR BECAUSE IT MEANS INVESTING DIRECTLY INTO LATINAS TO HELP
15 THEM BUILD GENERATIONAL WEALTH. AS A MEMBER OF HOPE'S BOARD OF
16 DIRECTORS FOR OVER A DECADE, TOGETHER WE LED EFFORTS FOR
17 LATINAS TO HAVE A PLATFORM TO TELL THEIR STORY OR BETTER YET
18 HER STORY. THIS YEAR MARKS THE 33RD ANNUAL LATINA HISTORY DAY
19 EVENT WHICH BRINGS TOGETHER LATINAS TO TAKE PART IN FORUMS,
20 WORKSHOPS ON CAREER ADVANCEMENT, CURRENT COMMUNITY ISSUES, AND
21 FINANCIAL EMPOWERMENT. LATINA HISTORY DAY WAS FIRST CREATED TO
22 RECOGNIZE AND CELEBRATE THE MANY CONTRIBUTIONS AND
23 ACHIEVEMENTS OF LATINAS DURING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH. TO THIS
24 DAY, WE CONTINUE TO EMBRACE THE RICH, DIVERSE HISTORY OF
25 LATINAS BECAUSE INVESTING IN LATINAS IS AN INVESTMENT IN OUR



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1 SOCIETY. LIKE SO MANY LATINAS, I SPENT MY CAREER BEING IN
2 ROOMS AND SITTING AT TABLES FILLED WITH MEN. AND WHEN THERE
3 WERE VERY FEW AT THE TABLE, YOU KNEW THAT OUR VOICE COUNTED.
4 SO IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO HELP PROVIDE EMPOWERMENT,
5 REPRESENTATION, AND CONTINUE TO SUPPORT ALL WOMEN, BUT
6 PARTICULARLY LATINAS WHO CONTINUE TO BE UNDERREPRESENTED. I
7 WAS INCREDIBLY PROUD TO ASSUME EACH OF MY ROLES IN THE LOCAL
8 STATE AND FEDERAL LEVEL AND I KNOW THAT THERE ARE MANY, MORE
9 LATINAS WHO ARE SURE TO FOLLOW AND WILL SOMEDAY ALSO BE SEATED
10 HERE AT MY PLACE ON THIS BOARD. BY SUPPORTING HOPE AND
11 ENCOURAGING LATINA HISTORY DAY, WE HELP TO INCREASE LATINA
12 POWER. I THANK YOU AND I RESPECTFULLY ASK FOR YOUR AYE VOTE.
13 THANK YOU.

14
15 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR HAHN.

16
17 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. AND THANK YOU,
18 SUPERVISOR SOLIS, FOR AUTHORIZING THIS MOTION AND LIFTING UP
19 LATINA HISTORY DAY. I, FOR 1 AM SO PROUD TO SERVE ALONGSIDE
20 YOU, SOMEONE WHO HAS MADE LATINA HISTORY OVER AND OVER AND
21 OVER AGAIN IN YOUR CAREER. THIS MOTION RECOGNIZES HISPANAS
22 ORGANIZED FOR POLITICAL EQUITY, HOPE, WHICH IS SUCH AN AMAZING
23 ORGANIZATION. THEY HELD A LATINA EMPOWERMENT DAY LAST YEAR IN
24 MY DISTRICT AT CAL STATE LONG BEACH AND INVITED ME TO MAKE
25 SOME REMARKS AND IT REALLY WAS AN INCREDIBLE EVENT AND AIMED



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1 AT EMPOWERING LOCAL LATINAS TO NOT ONLY GRAB HOLD OF THEIR
2 POLITICAL POWER BUT THEIR ECONOMIC POWER AND I THINK WHEN YOU
3 LOOK AT THOSE LIKE YOURSELF WHO HAVE MADE LATINA HISTORY IT'S
4 BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T WAIT YOUR TURN LIKE PROBABLY A LOT OF
5 PEOPLE TOLD YOU TO AND TO CREATE MORE LATINA HISTORY THEY NEED
6 TO SEIZE THE MOMENT SEIZE THE OPPORTUNITY EMPOWER THEMSELVES
7 TO GRAB YOU KNOW ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT AND POLITICAL POWER AS
8 WELL. THE MESSAGE AT THE HOPE EVENT WAS YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT
9 FOR SOMEONE TO GIVE YOU POWER, YOU CAN TAKE IT FOR YOURSELF.
10 AND SO THIS LATINA HISTORY DAY, I APPLAUD ALL OF THE LATINAS
11 WHO HAVE NOT WAITED THEIR TURN BUT HAVE STEPPED UP TO LEAD ALL
12 OF OUR COMMUNITIES ACROSS LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND MAKE THIS A
13 BETTER PLACE FOR THOSE COMING AFTER THEM. THANK YOU.

14
15 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.

16
17 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH AND THANK YOU
18 SUPERVISOR SOLIS FOR TODAY'S PROCLAMATION AND FOR REALLY
19 ALLOWING US ALL TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE ROLE HOPE AND YOU AND
20 OTHERS HAVE PLAYED IN EXPANDING THE VOICE IN THE PRESENCE OF
21 LATINAS IN BOTH THE POLITICAL SECTOR BUSINESS SECTOR ACROSS
22 THE BOARD I'M PROUD TO HAVE BEEN SPONSORING STAFF TO GO
23 THROUGH THE HOPE LEADERSHIP TRAINING SINCE MY DAYS IN THE
24 ASSEMBLY AND RECOGNIZING WHAT I THINK SUPERVISOR HAHN SAID
25 EARLIER WHEN YOU SEE WOMEN WHO LOOK LIKE YOU IT GIVES YOU THE



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1 OPPORTUNITY TO UNDERSTAND THAT YOU HAVE A ROLE TO PLAY TOO AND
2 A SEAT CAN BE YOURS. WHEN I THINK ABOUT 2014, THERE WERE 3
3 LATINAS SERVING IN THE CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE. TODAY THERE ARE
4 21. AND THAT IS IN LARGE PART TO HOPE AND THE ROLE YOU HAVE
5 PLAYED IN EXPOSING AND TRAINING AND IN LARGE PART TO MANY OF
6 THE FIRSTS LIKE SUPERVISOR SOLIS, LIKE SUPERVISOR MOLINA. ALL
7 THOSE WHO WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT WALKING THE HALLWAY AND SEEING
8 THOSE PHOTOS WHEN SUPERVISOR MOLINA WAS STANDING THERE ALONE
9 AS THE ONLY WOMAN, AS THE ONLY PERSON OF COLOR IN THOSE EARLY
10 GROUPINGS, WE CAN ONLY IMAGINE WHAT THAT WAS LIKE FOR HER. SO
11 WHEN YOU GROW FROM 3 TO 21 IN UNDER 10 YEARS, THAT'S
12 SIGNIFICANT AND THAT'S WHAT TRAINING AND SUPPORT AND
13 LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT CAN DO. SO THANK YOU FOR THE
14 PROCLAMATION AND ONCE AGAIN CONGRATULATIONS TO HOPE. THANK
15 YOU.

16
17 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR BARGER.

18
19 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** THANK YOU. I TOO THANK YOU FOR BRINGING
20 THIS MOTION FORWARD. IT'S IMPORTANT FOR US TO RECOGNIZE THIS
21 AND I KNOW THAT I'M GOING TO BE HONORING SOMEONE WHO IS A DEAR
22 FRIEND ARLENE MAHARES WHO IS FROM WHAT I'M TOLD 1 OF
23 CALIFORNIA'S OLDEST LATINA OWNED BUSINESSES IN THE COUNTY AND
24 IT'S BEEN IN EXISTENCE MAHARES FOR A HUNDRED YEARS AND IT WAS
25 STARTED BY HER GRANDMOTHER AND SHE TRULY IS AN INSPIRATION AND



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1 I KNOW I WHOLEHEARTEDLY AGREE WITH WHAT YOU SAY SUPERVISOR
2 MITCHELL I THINK IT IS IMPORTANT FOR US TO LEAD BY EXAMPLE AND
3 SUPERVISOR SOLIS YOU KNOW I AND I REMEMBER WHEN SUPERVISOR
4 MOLINA STARTED ON THIS BOARD AND IT WAS NOT EASY AND I
5 WITNESSED IT FIRSTHAND UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL. SO I TRULY DO
6 BELIEVE WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO CELEBRATE THE DIVERSITY. I
7 THINK IT'S IMPORTANT FOR US TO LEAD BY EXAMPLE, WHICH I THINK
8 WE DO EACH AND EVERY DAY. SO I WILL BE SUPPORTING THIS MOTION
9 AND I'M EXCITED TO CELEBRATE ALL THE WOMEN THAT WE'RE GOING TO
10 CELEBRATE FOR WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH. THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.

11

12 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. I, TOO, WANT TO THANK
13 SUPERVISOR SOLIS FOR BRINGING THIS MOTION FORWARD AS THE
14 COUNTY SUPERVISOR REPRESENTING THE MAJORITY OF THE SAN
15 FERNANDO VALLEY I'M SO PROUD TO SERVE ALONGSIDE SO MANY
16 POWERHOUSE LATINAS WHO MAKE HISTORY EVERY DAY AND ESPECIALLY
17 WITH YESTERDAY'S ELECTION IT LOOKS LIKE WE'LL BE SERVING WITH
18 EVEN MORE PASSIONATE, DEDICATED LATINAS, ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY
19 ALL WOMEN REPRESENTING THIS AREA. FUTURE CONGRESSWOMAN RIVAS,
20 WE HOPE. STATE SENATOR MENJIVAR, FUTURE ASSEMBLYMEMBER
21 RODRIGUEZ, WE HOPE. COUNCILMEMBER RODRIGUEZ, COUNCILMEMBER
22 PADILLA IN THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO. WE HAVE COUNCILMEMBERS
23 MARY MENDOZA AND MARY SOLORIO. AND SO IT'S REALLY, REALLY
24 EXCITING TO HAVE SO MANY WOMEN LEADING THIS REGION AND
25 FOLLOWING IN THE EXAMPLE OF OUR GREAT SUPERVISORS HERE, SOLIS



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1 AND SUPERVISOR MOLINA, AND THEY'RE WONDERFUL EXAMPLES AND I'M
2 SO GLAD THAT HOPE HAS BEEN AND CONTINUES TO LIFT UP LATINAS.
3 THEIR 35 YEARS OF SERVICE HAVE CERTAINLY MADE HISTORY IN SO
4 MANY WAYS. HOPE SHOWS US WHAT WE CAN ACHIEVE WHEN WE ALL WORK
5 TOGETHER FOR THE COLLECTIVE GOOD AND I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR
6 MORE THAN A DECADE ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF HOPE AND FOR
7 CO-FOUNDING THE FIRST-EVER LATINAS ACTION DAY IN SACRAMENTO IN
8 1995. DURING THIS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH I'M PROUD TO PROCLAIM
9 MARCH 8TH AS LATINA HISTORY DAY HERE WITH MY COLLEAGUES IN LA
10 COUNTY TO EMPHASIZE THE HUGE ROLE THAT LATINAS HAVE PLAYED AND
11 CERTAINLY CONTINUE TO PLAY IN SHAPING AN INCLUSIVE AND
12 THRIVING LOS ANGELES COUNTY. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. AND NOW,
13 EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE CALL THE MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO
14 HAVE SIGNED UP TO SPEAK ON THIS ITEM.

15
16 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** WILL HELEN TORRES, DIANA AMAYA, LEA
17 GONZALEZ, NATALIE ESQUIVIAS, AND RED CHIEF HUNT, PLEASE COME
18 FORWARD AND STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU. AS A FINAL REMINDER FOR
19 PARTICIPANTS ON THE TELEPHONE, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADDRESS
20 ITEM 25B, IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN
21 0 NOW TO BE PLACED IN THE SPEAKING QUEUE. MODERATOR, MAY WE
22 HAVE THE FIRST SPEAKER, PLEASE?

23
24 **MODERATOR:** MADAM CHAIR, WE HAVE NO REMOTE SPEAKERS.
25



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1 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OKAY, WE'LL GO HERE IN PERSON, GO
2 RIGHT AHEAD.

3
4 **SPEAKER:** GOOD MORNING SUPERVISORS. WHAT AN INCREDIBLE DAY.
5 FIRST TO BE ACKNOWLEDGED THE ORGANIZATION HOPE, HISPANAS
6 ORGANIZED POLITICAL EQUALITY, WHO I AM VERY PROUD TO BE
7 SERVING FOR 23 YEARS AS ITS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. I ALSO WANT TO
8 ACKNOWLEDGE THE HISTORICAL MOMENTS THAT WE LIVE EVERY DAY WITH
9 ALL 5 OF YOU, WOMEN REPRESENTING LA COUNTY AND HOW PROUD THAT
10 MAKES US ALL. I SPECIFICALLY WANT TO THANK OUR DEAR
11 SUPERVISOR, HILDA SOLIS, WHO HAS ALWAYS BEEN SHOULDER TO
12 SHOULDER WITH ALL THE HOPE WOMEN AND ENSURING THAT LATINAS
13 FROM HIGH SCHOOL ON MAKE IT INTO THEIR DREAMS AND FULFILL
14 THEIR DREAMS. AND SPECIFICALLY, AS WE CELEBRATE MARCH 8TH AS
15 LATINA HISTORY DAY, AND IT'S BEEN ACKNOWLEDGED, THERE IS ALSO
16 LATINA ACTION DAY IN SACRAMENTO. I JUST WANNA REMIND EVERYONE,
17 WE STARTED LATINA ACTION DAY BECAUSE HILDA SOLIS WAS THE FIRST
18 STATE SENATOR AS A LATINA STATE SENATOR AND WE CAME TOGETHER
19 TO CELEBRATE HER. NOW WE'RE ENTERING THE 30TH LATINA ACTION
20 DAY. COLLECTIVELY HOPE HAS SERVED OVER 60,000 WOMEN AND HAVE
21 PLACED CLOSE TO 2000 WOMEN ON BOARDS ON COMMISSIONS ACROSS THE
22 STATE. SO THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT FOR YOUR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
23 WE KEEP ON SERVING THROUGH OUR HIGH SCHOOL OUR COLLEGE AND OUR
24 HOPE LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE WHO YOU'VE NAMED A COUPLE SUPERVISOR
25 WHO HAVE BEEN SUCCEEDING IN THE LAST ELECTION. BUT ALL THIS TO



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1 SAY IS THAT WE DO IT TOGETHER. EACH 1 OF YOU HAVE CONTRIBUTED
2 YOUR TIME AND GETTING, AND I JUST ALSO JUST WANT TO SAY THANK
3 YOU, EACH OF YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT AND HOPE. THANK YOU VERY
4 MUCH.

5

6 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU FOR YOUR STRONG EXAMPLE
7 AND YOUR MANY YEARS OF SERVICE. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE. IF THERE
8 ARE NO OTHER SPEAKERS THEN ITEM 25B IS BEFORE US MOVED BY
9 SUPERVISOR SOLIS AND I WILL SECOND TO APPROVE THE ITEM.
10 EXECUTIVE OFFICER PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

11

12 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** ITEM 25B IS BEFORE YOU. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

13

14 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** AYE.

15

16 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

17

18 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE.

19

20 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?

21

22 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.

23

24 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

25



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1 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

2

3 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

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5 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

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7 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE. MOTION CARRIES 5 TO
8 0.

9

10 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** IT IS MY UNDERSTANDING THAT THERE
11 ARE NO SPECIALS FOR OUR AGENDA TODAY SO WE WILL NOW HEAR FROM
12 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WISHING TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON ALL
13 REMAINING ITEMS NOT HELD BY SUPERVISORS AS WELL AS GENERAL
14 PUBLIC COMMENT. FOR MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON THE TELEPHONE
15 PLEASE PRESS 1 THEN 0 NOW TO COMMENT ON THESE ITEMS. YOU MUST
16 INDICATE THE AGENDA ITEM NUMBERS THAT YOU WISH TO ADDRESS
17 INCLUDING GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT IN ORDER FOR US TO ALLOCATE
18 THE APPROPRIATE AMOUNT OF TIME. EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE READ
19 THE CALL-IN INFORMATION AND THEN CALL THE MEMBERS OF THE
20 PUBLIC WHO HAVE SIGNED UP TO SPEAK ON THE REMAINING ITEMS AS
21 WELL AS GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT.

22

23 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC, YOU WILL HAVE UP TO
24 3 MINUTES TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON ALL REMAINING ITEMS AND
25 GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT. YOU WILL HAVE 1 MINUTE FOR 1 ITEM, 2



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1 MINUTES FOR 2 OR MORE ITEMS, AND 1 ADDITIONAL MINUTE FOR
2 GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND CLEARLY
3 INDICATE THE AGENDA ITEM NUMBERS YOU WILL BE ADDRESSING. YOU
4 MAY ONLY ADDRESS THE BOARD ON THOSE ITEMS. WE WILL NOW CALL IN
5 PERSON SPEAKERS AND WHILE THEY ARE COMING FORWARD, WE WILL
6 TAKE TELEPHONIC SPEAKERS.

7

8 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** WILL CHRIS CARLIN, MICHAEL PICKEN, DIANE
9 ZIMMERMAN, CARLOS BENAVIDES, DANIEL GARCIA, MANUELA LOPEZ,
10 PATRICIA RAMALES, LUIS ALTAMIRANO, ANTON FARMBI, RED CHIEF
11 HUNT, LINDA HOBBS, AND JACK CUNNINGHAM, PLEASE COME FORWARD
12 AND STAFF WILL ASSIST YOU. AS A FINAL REMINDER FOR
13 PARTICIPANTS ON THE TELEPHONE, IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADDRESS
14 GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT AND ALL ITEMS REMAINING, IF YOU HAVE
15 NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE PRESS 1 AND THEN 0 NOW TO BE
16 PLACED IN THE SPEAKING QUEUE MODERATOR. MAY WE HAVE THE FIRST
17 SPEAKER, PLEASE?

18

19 **MODERATOR:** OUR FIRST PARTICIPANT IS KATHY CADDY YOU MAY BEGIN

20

21 **SPEAKER:** GOOD MORNING, CAN YOU HEAR ME?

22

23 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** YES, GO AHEAD.

24

25 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU. VICTIMS UNITE LA IS A COALITION OF



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SUPERVISORS

1 AGENCIES AND INDIVIDUALS DEDICATED TO EMPOWERING CRIME VICTIMS
2 AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO HAVE BEEN IMPACTED BY CRIMES. WE ASK
3 THAT YOU NOT FORGET ABOUT CRIME VICTIMS. WE ASK THAT YOUR
4 STRATEGIC PLAN INCLUDES SUPPORTING CRIME VICTIMS, ADDRESSING
5 EXPOSURE TO CRIME AND VIOLENCE AS A PUBLIC HEALTH ISSUE MAY
6 HELP PREVENT AND REDUCE HARMS TO INDIVIDUAL AND COMMUNITY
7 HEALTH AND WELL-BEING. SUPPORTING VICTIMS FALLS WITHIN 2 OF
8 YOUR NORTH STARS, INCLUDING MAKE INVESTMENTS THAT TRANSFORM
9 LIVES AND FOSTER VIBRANT AND RESILIENT COMMUNITIES. PROVIDING
10 FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR AND HELPING CRIME VICTIMS ALSO COMES
11 WITHIN THE ANTI-RACIST COUNTY POLICY AGENDA BECAUSE THE
12 MAJORITY OF CRIME VICTIMS COME FROM MINORITY AND DISADVANTAGED
13 COMMUNITIES. PEOPLE WHO ARE VICTIMS OF VIOLENT CRIME HAVE
14 LONG-LASTING EFFECTS IN ADDITION TO THE POTENTIAL FOR DEATH,
15 DISABILITY AND OTHER INJURIES. PEOPLE WHO SURVIVE VIOLENT
16 CRIME ENDURE PHYSICAL PAIN, SUFFERING, AND MAY EXPERIENCE
17 MENTAL DISTRESS AND A REDUCED QUALITY OF LIFE. VICTIMS NEED
18 HELP –

19
20 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU, YOUR TIME HAS EXPIRED. NEXT
21 SPEAKER PLEASE.

22
23 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS MARK CHENG. YOU MAY BEGIN.

24
25 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** MARK ARE YOU THERE?



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1

2 **SPEAKER:** YEAH I'M HERE I'M THE CIO FOR ALLEY COUNTY DMH AND I
3 THINK THERE WAS SOME MISTAKE I WAS ON IN THE EVENT THAT THERE
4 WERE ANY QUESTIONS WITH ITEM NUMBER 18 SO I DEFER.

5

6 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

7

8 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS [INAUDIBLE]. YOU MAY BEGIN.

9

10 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** [INAUDIBLE]. LET'S GO ONTO THE NEXT
11 SPEAKER, GENEVIEVE

12

13 **MODERATOR:** OUR NEXT PARTICIPANT IS GENEVIEVE CLAVERAU. YOU MAY
14 BEGIN.

15

16 **SPEAKER:** YES, I WANT TO SPEAK TO PUBLIC COMMENT. I JUST, FIRST
17 OF ALL, WANT TO COMPLIMENT SUPERVISOR BARGER ON BEING RE-
18 ELECTED. THAT'S GREAT, REALLY GREAT THING. AND I JUST HOPE
19 THAT MORE THINGS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED IN THE YEAR COMING,
20 HAVING TO DO ESPECIALLY WITH ELDERLY. AND I WOULD LIKE TO SEE
21 MORE PROGRAMS FOR THAT. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

22

23 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

24

25 **MODERATOR:** MADAM CHAIR, THERE ARE NO OTHER REMOTE SPEAKERS TO



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SUPERVISORS

1 ADDRESS THE BOARD.

2

3 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OKAY WE'LL GO TO SPEAKERS IN
4 PERSON. GO RIGHT AHEAD.

5

6 **SPEAKER:** GOOD MORNING SUPERVISORS. MY NAME IS CARLOS
7 BENAVIDES. I'M WITH THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMISSION ON
8 DISABILITIES AND I JUST WANTED TO CONGRATULATE ALL THE WINNERS
9 YESTERDAY. AND IT'S SO GOOD TO SEE YOU GUYS ALL TOGETHER
10 BECAUSE I'VE WORKED WITH YOU OVER THE YEARS. YOU GUYS HAVE
11 ACCOMPLISHED QUITE A BIT. I'D LIKE TO THANK SUPERVISOR
12 MITCHELL FOR HER ITEM NUMBER 5 FOR INVOLVING AND INCLUDING THE
13 COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES TO COLLABORATE WITH THE DEPARTMENT
14 OF AGING AND DISABILITIES. SO HOPEFULLY FROM HERE ON IN, WE'LL
15 BE WORKING TOGETHER AND WE'LL DO AS MUCH AS WE CAN TO GET WHAT
16 YOU NEED DONE. AND ANY SUPERVISORS, THE COMMISSION ON
17 DISABILITIES IS THERE TO REACH OUT AND ASSIST ALL OF YOU AND
18 ONCE AGAIN CONGRATULATIONS AND THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO.

19

20 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU I AGREE IT'S NICE TO
21 KEEP THE BAND TOGETHER GO AHEAD, NEXT SPEAKER.

22

23 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

24



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SUPERVISORS

1 **INTERPRETER:** GOOD MORNING, MADAM CHAIR AND SUPERVISORS. MY
2 NAME

3 **INTERPRETER:** GOOD MORNING, MADAM CHAIR AND SUPERVISORS. MY
4 NAME IS LUIS ALTAMIRANO AND I'M VERY GRATEFUL FOR THE
5 OPPORTUNITY TO BE HERE BEFORE YOU TODAY.

6

7 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

8

9 **INTERPRETER:** I HAVE BEEN WORKING FOR MORE THAN 3 YEARS AS A
10 CLEANING WORKER IN THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.

11

12 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

13

14 **INTERPRETER:** AND MY JOB IS TO CLEAN THE CHILD SUPPORT OFFICE,
15 WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF TORRANCE.

16

17 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

18

19 **INTERPRETER:** I DO MY WORK WITH THE UTMOST RESPONSIBILITY AND
20 I'M VERY CONCERNED RIGHT NOW BECAUSE A NEW CONTRACTOR IS ABOUT
21 TO ENTER.

22

23 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

24



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SUPERVISORS

1 **INTERPRETER:** THAT MEANS THAT I'M GOING TO LOSE MY UNION AND
2 DURING THESE TIMES WHICH ARE SO DIFFICULT ECONOMICALLY.

3

4 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

5

6 **INTERPRETER:** AS WORKERS, WE NEED TO HAVE OUR LABOR RIGHTS
7 PROTECTED, AND THE BEST WAY TO DO THAT IS TO BE ABLE TO HAVE
8 OUR RIGHTS HEARD AND TO BE ABLE TO PROTECT THEM.

9

10 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

11

12 **INTERPRETER:** BECAUSE OF THAT, I AM AGAINST POINT NUMBER 13. WE
13 HAVE FOUGHT VERY HARD FOR OUR UNION, AND I'M NOT GOING TO GIVE
14 THAT UP SO EASILY.

15

16 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

17

18 **INTERPRETER:** WE ASK YOU TO PLEASE ACCOMPANY US IN THE PROCESS
19 OF UNIONIZING ONCE AGAIN.

20

21 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

22

23 **INTERPRETER:** BECAUSE WE WANT OUR UNION AND WE'RE GOING TO
24 FIGHT FOR IT. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR TIME.

25



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SUPERVISORS

1 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE.

2

3 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

4

5 **INTERPRETER:** GOOD MORNING, CHAIR AND SUPERVISORS. THANK YOU SO
6 MUCH FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HERE SPEAKING BEFORE YOU. MY
7 NAME IS PATRICIA RAMALES.

8

9 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

10

11 **INTERPRETER:** MY NAME IS PATRICIA RAMALES. I HAVE BEEN WORKING
12 IN THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, IN THE COUNTY RATHER, FOR 30 YEARS
13 AS A CLEANING WORKER AND MY JOB IS TO CLEAN THE COMPTON COURT
14 WHICH IS LOCATED IN THE CITY OF COMPTON.

15

16 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

17

18 **INTERPRETER:** I AM UPSET BECAUSE I HAVE 30 YEARS OF SENIORITY
19 AND I JUST FOUND OUT I'M GOING TO LOSE ALL OF THOSE YEARS
20 BECAUSE THE NEW CONTRACTORS COME, THAT'S NOT JUST. 1 DAY TO
21 THE NEXT BEING ABLE HAVING TO LOSE ALL OF MY VACATION BENEFITS
22 AND HOLIDAYS.

23

24 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

25



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SUPERVISORS

1 **INTERPRETER:** AS WORKERS WE HAVE THE SAME RIGHTS TO BENEFITS AS
2 THE WORKERS THAT WORK DIRECTLY FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.

3

4 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

5

6 **INTERPRETER:** I AM VERY WORRIED BECAUSE WE ARE AT RISK OF
7 LOSING OUR BENEFITS SUCH AS VACATION TIME, ALSO WE'RE AT RISK
8 OF LOSING OUR BENEFITS AS UNION WORKERS, AND SO I ASK THAT THE
9 UNION WOULD HELP US TO BE ABLE TO REMEDY THIS. THANK YOU VERY
10 MUCH.

11

12 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH NEXT SPEAKER,
13 PLEASE.

14

15 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

16

17 **INTERPRETER:** GOOD MORNING TO EVERYONE WHO IS HERE PRESENT.
18 THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR TIME. MY NAME IS MANUELA LOPEZ AND
19 I HAVE BEEN WITH THE CLEANING COMPANY FOR OVER 10 YEARS.

20

21 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

22

23 **INTERPRETER:** I'M HERE TO PROTECT MY RIGHTS AS A WORKER.

24

25 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]



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1

2 **INTERPRETER:** IT'S VERY IMPORTANT FOR ME TO BE ABLE TO PROTECT
3 MY SENIORITY AND MY JOB.

4 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

5

6 **INTERPRETER:** I DON'T WANT TO LOSE MY UNION.MY UNION HAS GIVEN
7 ME PROTECTIONS AND BENEFITS THAT I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO HAVE IF
8 IT WASN'T FOR MY UNION.

9

10 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

11

12 **INTERPRETER:** FOR EXAMPLE, WITH REGARDS TO MEDICAL MATTERS.

13

14 **SPEAKER:** [SPEAKING IN SPANISH]

15

16 **INTERPRETER:** SO THAT'S WHY I'M AGAINST ITEM 13. WE HAVE FOUGHT
17 SO HARD TO BE ABLE TO GAIN OUR UNION AND I DON'T WANT TO LOSE
18 THAT. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

19

20 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

21

22 **SPEAKER:** GOOD MORNING.

23

24 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** GOOD MORNING.

25



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SPEAKER: MADAM CHAIR, MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, FIRST I JUST WANT TO CONGRATULATE THE WINNERS OF THE RESULTS FROM LAST NIGHT. WE'RE VERY PROUD OF THAT. LOOKING FORWARD TO CONTINUING TO WORK WITH YOU. MY NAME IS ANTON FARMBY. I AM THE VICE PRESIDENT OF SCIU-USWW. YOU JUST HEARD FROM 3 OF OUR MEMBERS REGARDING THE OPPOSITION TO ITEM 13. IN OUR MEMBER SERVICE, PROTECT LA COUNTY FACILITIES HERE, OVER 2,000 MEMBERS THAT WORK IN LA COUNTY FACILITIES. WE'RE CONCERNED ABOUT THE ISD REQUESTING APPROVAL OF THE AWARD OF THE JANITORIAL CONTRACTS FOR REGIONS 1 THROUGH 14. THE JANITORS CURRENTLY PROVIDING CLEANING SERVICES TO THESE BUILDINGS COVERED BY THIS REGION ARE OUR MEMBERS. THEY'RE MEMBERS OF SEIU-USWW. 7 OUT OF THE 14 REGIONS ARE BEING AWARDED TO 9 UNION CONTRACTORS. WE'RE ENCOURAGING THE CONTINUATION OF THE COUNTY TO PROACTIVELY WORK WITH USWW TO ENSURE A UNIFORM POLICY ON PROP A CONTRACTS. THE POLICY—

SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR: THANK YOU VERY MUCH. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

SPEAKER: HELLO, I'M DIANE ZIMMERMAN, NEW CALIFORNIA [INAUDIBLE]. OUR ELECTIONS ARE CONSIDERED TO BE CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE. BECAUSE THE DOMINION MACHINE CIRCUIT BOARDS AND OTHER PARTS ARE MADE ONLY IN CHINA, THEY ARE NOT TO BE USED IN ANY ACTION THAT IS DETERMINED TO BE CRITICAL



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1 INFRASTRUCTURE. THAT MEANS THAT NO PORTION OF OUR ELECTIONS
2 ARE TO BE CONDUCTED USING ANY COMPONENT FROM A FOREIGN
3 ADVERSARY. THAT ALSO MEANS THAT NO PART OF OUR ELECTION SYSTEM
4 SHOULD BE ONLINE. YET IT APPEARS THAT FROM REGISTRATION TO THE
5 TALLYING OF OUR VOTES IT IS EITHER ONLINE OR OPEN TO WI-FI
6 ACCESS. THIS BOARD NEEDS TO CONTACT ITS SHERIFF ABOUT THIS
7 VERY IMPORTANT FACT. HOW FAMILIAR IS THIS BOARD WITH THE
8 ELECTION SYSTEM YOU ARE FORCING US TO USE? THESE ELECTIONS
9 VIOLATE OUR GOD-GIVEN NATURAL AND CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS. MEN,
10 I AM SO SORRY. YOU SURE GOT A BAD RAP IN THAT PRAYER TODAY.
11 PLEASE STAND YOUR GROUND. THANK GOD WE HAVE MEN, BECAUSE
12 WITHOUT MEN WE WOULD NOT HAVE WOMEN, WHICH WOULD ME.

13
14 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

15
16 **SPEAKER:** GOOD MORNING HONORABLE SUPERVISORS. I AM HERE ON
17 BEHALF OF CONGRESSMAN ROBERT GARCIA. MY NAME IS JACK
18 CUNNINGHAM. I'M HIS DISTRICT DIRECTOR IN LONG BEACH. I'M HERE
19 TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT ON ITEM NUMBER 7. CONGRESSMAN
20 GARCIA INTRODUCED HR 7038 TO PROVIDE GREATER SUPPORT TO A
21 PARTICULARLY THREATENED PART OF OUR POPULATION, FOSTER YOUTH.
22 THE GUARANTEED INCOME FOR FOSTER YOUTH ACT WOULD CREATE A NEW
23 FEDERAL PROGRAM TO PROVIDE \$1,000 A MONTH TO YOUNG ADULTS
24 EXITING FOSTER CARE SYSTEMS FOR THE FIRST 5 YEARS. MORE THAN
25 ONE-FIFTH OF FOSTER YOUTH EXPERIENCE HOMELESSNESS WITHIN A



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1 YEAR OF EMANCIPATION, SHOWING HOW NECESSARY THAT THIS PROGRAM
2 WOULD BE. HR 7038 BUILDS ON PILOT PROGRAMS ALREADY UNDERWAY
3 LIKE THOSE IN LA COUNTY AND THE CITY OF LONG BEACH. THIS
4 PROGRAM SEEKS TO HELP PULL VULNERABLE FOSTER YOUTH OUT OF
5 POVERTY AND UPLIFT FOSTER YOUTH DURING A CRITICAL POINT IN
6 THEIR LIVES GUARANTEED INCOME PROGRAMS CAN HAVE TRANSFORMATIVE
7 IMPACTS AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO THIS PROGRAM IMPACTING YOUTH
8 NATIONWIDE. THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT. THANK YOU.

9
10 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR BEING
11 HERE. NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE.

12
13 **SPEAKER:** MICHAEL JOSEPH PITKIN. I TALKED OF THE RUMORS ON MY
14 MOTHER'S SIDE, NOW ON MY FATHER'S SIDE. I TRACED MY FAMILY
15 TREE 1,500 YEARS ALL THROUGH EUROPE'S AND AMERICA'S HISTORIES.
16 THERE WAS A PITKIN IN GEORGE WASHINGTON'S CABINET. THERE IS
17 PITKIN, MISSISSIPPI, PITKIN COUNTY, COLORADO, INCLUDING VAIL
18 AND ASPEN, PITKIN AVENUE IN NEW YORK. MY BROTHER KEPT LONG
19 BEACH FROM SINKHOLES AS AN ENGINEER AT THUMBS, A CONGLOMERATE
20 OF TEXACO, HUMBLE, UNION, MOBILE, AND SHALE. I AM A DESCENDANT
21 OF MARIE ANTOINETTE. IS THIS A TALE OF 2 CITIES? MY
22 GRANDMOTHER IS A KAISER. AGAIN, BIPOC COMMUNITY GOSSIP IS I AM
23 A PAPERCLIP NAZI WHICH NOW DAILY I AM BEING GANG-STOCKED,
24 HARASSED, HACKED, ABUSED, VIOLATED FOR BEING WHITE PRIVILEGED
25 FRUIT OF THE POISONOUS TREE.



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1
2 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER PLEASE.

3
4 **SPEAKER:** THE RED CHIEF HUNT. I'M KIND OF CONCERNED ABOUT 3
5 MONTHS AGO WE HAD A LOT OF ACCIDENTS OUT IN MALIBU AND WE
6 WEREN'T GETTING THE PROPER SERVICE OUT THERE. MADAM CHAIR, I
7 DO BELIEVE THAT THIS IS YOUR AREA. CP3, THE CAPTAIN OF MALIBU,
8 NEEDS ASSISTANCE FROM THE COUNTY. SHE NEEDS TO HAVE AT LEAST A
9 \$25 MILLION GRANT TO UPHOLD THAT STATION AND GET HIGHWAY
10 PATROL PEOPLE OUT THERE. AND MY OTHER CONCERN IS ABOUT THE
11 HOMELESS PEOPLE BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE COUNTY WE'RE UPWARDS
12 TO \$120,000 AND WE UPWARD BETWEEN 120,000 PEOPLE AND LAST MONTH
13 WE ONLY HOUSED 58 PEOPLE WHICH IS A SAD DETERIORATE AND THINGS
14 LIKE THAT WE HAVE TO GET ON IT WE HAVE TO HOLD ALL SPOTS
15 ACCOUNTABLE FOR DOING A SHARE. WE HAVE TO GET ON IT. 2004, WE
16 FILED AN INJUNCTION. 20 YEARS LATER, WE HAVE TWICE THE AMOUNT
17 OF PEOPLE. I THINK A FEW OF YOU GUYS ARE WITH ME AT THAT
18 THING.

19
20 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH. THANK YOU.
21 NEXT SPEAKER.

22
23 **SPEAKER:** HI, I NEED MORE THAN A MINUTE TO SPEAK, PLEASE. I'M
24 DONALD HARLAN. I NOTICED THERE'S A BIG PROBLEM HERE IN THE
25 COUNTY WITH REAL ESTATE, ILLEGAL REAL ESTATE DEVELOPMENTS AND



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1 FLOOD CONTROL IN RIVERBEDS AND SPREADING GROUNDS, THAT THERE'S
2 A BIG PROBLEM WITH YOU GUYS FOR THAT. I DON'T WANT YOU GUYS
3 DOING STUDIES ABOUT THAT STUFF. I DON'T WANT YOU PLANNING MORE
4 DEVELOPMENTS. JUST CLEAN IT OUT. YOU DON'T BELONG THERE. NO
5 MONEY. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 2, NO. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 7, NO
6 FOSTER YOUTH MONEY PROGRAMS. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 11, THE CEO'S
7 PLAN FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES. DEFINITELY NO. THAT'S ALL
8 GOT TO BE OUT. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 12, NO EXPANSION OF
9 IMMIGRATION SERVICES. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 13, YOU GOT TO CHECK
10 FOR BANNED ENTITIES, NOT JUST FOREIGN BANNED ENTITIES. AGENDA
11 ITEM NUMBER 14, NO TO THE FOOD AND NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR THE
12 ELDERLY, THEY'VE ALREADY GOT ENOUGH. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 15,
13 EMERGENCY SHELTER FUNDING, NO, THEY'RE USING IT TO BUILD MORE
14 SHELTERS. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 16, CHECK FOR BANNED ENTITIES
15 AGAIN. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 17, NO. YOU GUYS ARE ASKING FOR
16 MONEY EVERY WEEK FOR MARTIN LUTHER KING HOSPITAL NUMBER 17,
17 NO. DON'T GIVE THEM ANY MORE MONEY, THAT'S ENOUGH. AGENDA ITEM
18 NUMBER 18, THIS IS ROBBERY. THIS IS A PUBLIC GUARDIAN ASSET
19 MANAGEMENT PROGRAM. YOU REMEMBER WHAT THEY DID TO THOSE KIDS
20 AT HATHAWAY? DEFINITELY, NO, YOU GUYS SHOULDN'T BE DOING THAT.
21 AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 20, THAT BELONGS AT METRO. WHITTIER SCHOOL
22 FOR BUSES, IT JUST BELONGS AT METRO. AGENDA ITEM NUMBER 21,
23 CEQA IS NOT A REAL AGENCY. THEY GOT TO BE INVESTIGATED USING
24 BANNED ENTITIES. AGENDA ITEM 25C, MARINA DEL REY. THERE SHOULD
25 BE NOBODY FROM DELAWARE LEASING PROPERTY OR SELLING PROPERTY



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1 IN OVER HERE, ESPECIALLY MARINA DEL REY. NOBODY FROM DELAWARE
2 SHOULD BE DOING THAT. NUMBER 25A, DON'T GIVE ANY MONEY TO
3 CHIQUITA LANDFILL VICTIMS. THEY'RE NOT—

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5 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER.

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7 **SPEAKER:** MY NAME IS DANIEL GARCIA. AND I'M HERE FOR IDENTIFY
8 AND PUBLIC COMMENT. I IDENTIFY WITH PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES.
9 THANK YOU FOR BEING HERE WITH ME. I WANT TO SPEAK WITH YOU.
10 BUT THE PROBLEM I SEE HAPPENING HERE IS THAT NONE OF THE
11 STAFFERS ARE DEPENDING ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES. AND IT
12 SHOULD BE STAFFERS ASKING BEING BROUGHT. AND THE ONLY THING TO
13 STOP FROM BEING PEOPLE, FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY TO ACTUALLY
14 BECOME A STAFF, WORKING FOR THE COMPANY IS THE TEST. YOU HAVE
15 TO HAVE A TEST TO PASS IT ALONG. THE TEST IS TO DISTRIBUTE
16 PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY. SO PAY, PAY, PAY. ALLOW YOURSELF, IF
17 YOU WANT TO DISTRIBUTE, MANAGE TO BE, SO WHAT ARE YOU, I WANT
18 THIS MONEY. PAY HIGHER, MORE PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY INVOLVED.
19 I ALSO WANT TO GIVE MY BOOK TO HOLLAND MITCHELL TODAY. AND IN
20 THERE HE SAYS, PLEASE HELP US, HE'S SIGNING FOR US, HOLLAND
21 MITCHELL. AND ALSO I WANT TO SAY, PLEASE ALLOW A WHOLE BOOK
22 AND A WHOLE BOOK OF HOW WE NEED COMPONENT. ANY COMPONENT.
23 THANK YOU VERY MUCH.



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1 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. NEXT SPEAKER, PLEASE.
2 GOOD MORNING. MY NAME IS LINDA HOBBS. I'M CALLING, I'M HERE
3 ABOUT LINK HOUSING. I HAVE A LETTER TO GIVE YOU. I WAS
4 ATTACKED BY A TENANT. I WAS CALLING ABOUT LINK HOUSING. I HAVE
5 A LETTER TO GIVE YOU I WAS ATTACKED BY A TENANT. I WAS CALLING
6 ABOUT LINK HOUSING I HAVE A LETTER TO GIVE YOU I WAS ATTACKED
7 BY A TENANT. NO ACTION WAS TAKEN TENANTS SMOKING IN THE
8 BUILDING. I WAS HOSPITALIZED TWICE. NO ACTION WAS TAKEN NOW
9 THEY'RE TRYING TO EVICT ME BECAUSE I KEEP WRITING COMPLAINTS
10 AND I HAVE, AND THERE ARE 300 ANTS IN MY REFRIGERATOR. AND
11 EVERYTHING I'VE SAID TO YOU, I HAVE IT ALL IN WRITING FOR THE
12 BOARD TO LOOK AT AND I HONOR THE 5 WOMEN ON THE BOARD I
13 DREAMED OF THIS I BRAG ABOUT THIS TO EVERYBODY SO I HAVE
14 DOCUMENTATION FOR EVERYTHING I'VE SAID.

15

16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. YOU CAN SHARE THE
17 DOCUMENTATION WITH OUR STAFF.

18

19 **SPEAKER:** YES.

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21 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AND WE DO HAVE A CONSTITUENT
22 ASSISTANCE TEAM IN THE CORNER. OUR REPRESENTATIVE IS STANDING
23 UP THERE AND HE WOULD BE HAPPY TO TALK ABOUT THE ISSUES WITH
24 YOU AND PROVIDE ASSISTANCE. THANK YOU. OUR NEXT SPEAKER
25 PLEASE.



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2 **SPEAKER:** HI, GOOD MORNING. I EXTEND MY GRATITUDE TO SUPERVISOR
3 MITCHELL FOR INTRODUCING THE MOTION ON CEREBRAL PALSY. I'M
4 RINA DEASIZ AND I SUPPORT THIS MOTION. I'M THE FOUNDER OF
5 INCLUSIVE SOUL A CEREBRAL PALSY HUB AIDING PARENTS LIKE ME IN
6 CARING FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES LIKE MY THREE-YEAR-OLD
7 ELIJAH SOUL. WE'RE FILLING CRITICAL GAPS IN RESOURCES AND
8 COMMUNITY SUPPORT IN LOS ANGELES. I REPRESENT THOUSANDS OF
9 FAMILIES AFFECTED BY CEREBRAL PALSY, THE MOST COMMON CHILDHOOD
10 MOTOR DISABILITY. IT'S CRUCIAL TO NOTE THAT CALIFORNIA
11 CHILDREN'S SERVICES MEDICAL THERAPY UNIT CANNOT DISTRIBUTE
12 RESOURCES TO FAMILIES. IT'S A PIVOTAL TIME TO PROVIDE MORE
13 RESOURCES AND SUPPORT FOR OUR CHILDREN TO THRIVE. THANK YOU
14 FOR CHAMPIONING HEALTH EQUITY AND ADVANCING THIS MOTION.

15

16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR BEING
17 HERE AND FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP. THANK YOU. ARE THERE ANY OTHER
18 SPEAKERS? OKAY. I BELIEVE WE HAVE POTENTIALLY A CHANGE TO OUR
19 AGENDA BEFORE WE INDICATE THE ITEMS. ARE THERE ANY CHANGES?
20 SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

21

22 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** I WOULD LIKE TO PULL ITEM 13 ON THE CONSENT
23 AGENDA AND INSTRUCT THAT ISD, CEO, AND THE CONTRACTORS MEET
24 AND TALK ABOUT IF THERE ARE POSSIBLE REMEDIES THAT WERE



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1 OUTLINED TODAY BY SOME OF THE SPEAKERS AND TO COME BACK TO US
2 BEFORE OUR NEXT MEETING WHICH IS MARCH THE 19TH.

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4 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OKAY YEAH I BELIEVE THERE ARE A
5 MAJORITY OF CONTRACTS THAT WOULD EXPIRE IF WE DON'T COME TO A
6 RESOLUTION BY THAT DATE SO AS LONG AS WE HAVE A DATE CERTAIN.
7 COUNTY COUNCIL ARE YOU OKAY WITH THAT DIRECTION? OKAY SO WE
8 WILL BE REFERRING BACK THIS ITEM WITH THAT DIRECTION.

9
10 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** COME BACK TO US AND REPORT BEFORE THE NEXT
11 MEETING.

12
13 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** I JUST WANT TO GIVE CLARIFICATION WHAT
14 DATE DO THEY EXPIRE?

15
16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AT THE END OF THE MONTH

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18 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AT THE END OF THE MONTH PERFECT.

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20 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** THE END OF THE MONTH IS WHAT I SAID
21 THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR.

22
23 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AND YOU'LL DEFINITELY WE
24 DEFINITELY NEED TO COME BACK ON THE 19TH IS THAT RIGHT MADAM
25 COUNTY COUNCIL OKAY SO DO WE NEED TO VOTE ON IT? WE'LL



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1 CONTINUE IT TO THAT DATE. SO WITH THAT DIRECTION EXECUTIVE
2 OFFICER PLEASE INDICATE THE AGENDA ITEM NUMBERS ON WHICH WE
3 WILL BE VOTING.

4

5 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR THE FOLLOWING ITEMS
6 ARE BEFORE YOU ITEMS 1 THROUGH 5 ITEM 8 ITEMS 10 AND 11 12 AS
7 AMENDED 13 THROUGH I'M SORRY 14 THROUGH 16 17 WAS SUPERVISOR
8 HAHN RECUSING HERSELF FROM THE VOTE PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT
9 CODE SECTION 8 4 3 0 8 ITEM 18 AND 19 ITEMS 21 THROUGH 24 ITEM
10 25 A IS REVISED ITEM 25 C ITEM SD 1 AND ITEM 1 D AND THEN
11 WE'LL VOTE ON THE CONTINUANCE AFTER THIS.

12

13 **LINDSEY P. HORVATH:** OKAY. SO WE'LL BE MOVED BY SUPERVISOR
14 SOLIS, SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR BARGER TO APPROVE THESE ITEMS
15 WITH THE EXCEPTIONS NOTED BY THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER. EXECUTIVE
16 OFFICER, PLEASE CALL THE ROLL.

17

18 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR. SUPERVISOR SOLIS?

19

20 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** AYE.

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22 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

23

24 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE.

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1 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?

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3 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.

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5 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

6

7 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

8

9 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

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11 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

12

13 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE. MOTION CARRIES 5-0

14 AND THE ITEM 13 CONTINUANCE TO THE NEXT MEETING WHICH IS ON

15 MARCH 19TH IS BEFORE YOU AND THAT IS TO CONTINUE THE ITEM

16 BASED ON SUPERVISOR SOLIS'S REQUEST FOR ISD CEO AND THE

17 CONTRACTORS TO MEET AND TALK ABOUT POSSIBLE REMEDIES SO THAT

18 THE CONTINUANCE IS BEFORE YOU MADAM CHAIR.

19

20 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** OKAY MOVED BY SUPERVISOR SOLIS

21 SECONDED BY SUPERVISOR HAHN EXECUTIVE OFFICER PLEASE CALL THE

22 ROLL.

23

24 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS

25



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1 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** AYE.

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3 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR SOLIS AYE. SUPERVISOR MITCHELL?

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5 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** AYE.

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7 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR MITCHELL AYE. SUPERVISOR HAHN?

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9 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** AYE.

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11 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HAHN AYE. SUPERVISOR BARGER?

12

13 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** AYE.

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15 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR BARGER AYE. SUPERVISOR HORVATH?

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17 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AYE.

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19 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** SUPERVISOR HORVATH AYE. MOTION CARRIES 5 TO
20 0.

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22 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AT THIS TIME IT WOULD BE

23 APPROPRIATE TO HEAR ADJOURNMENTS SUPERVISOR HAHN WILL BEGIN.

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1 **SUP. JANICE HAHN:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. I MOVE THAT WHEN WE
2 ADJOURN TODAY WE ADJOURN IN THE MEMORY OF ANNETTE SIKETIC. I
3 WAS SO SADDENED TO HEAR OF ANNETTE'S PASSING. SHE WAS 1 OF OUR
4 TOWN'S FINEST. ANNETTE'S DEEP LOVE FOR SAN PEDRO AND SERVICE
5 TO HER COMMUNITY IS A MODEL FOR US ALL. THROUGH HER ART, HER
6 TEACHING, HER STORYTELLING, HER EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS, HER
7 LEADERSHIP AND MENTORSHIP, SHE EMBODIED WHAT IT MEANS TO SHOW
8 UP FOR YOUR COMMUNITY AND EMPOWER THOSE AROUND YOU. I WORKED
9 WITH HER BACK WHEN I WAS A CITY COUNCIL MEMBER IN LOS ANGELES.
10 AND ANNETTE WAS TEACHING ESL, SEWING, PARENTING CLASSES AT THE
11 CHERYL GREEN CENTER IN HARBOR GATEWAY. I REMEMBER SHE WAS SO
12 COMMITTED TO HER STUDENTS, ESPECIALLY THE YOUNG MOMS.
13 SHE STARTED THE FINDINGS ART CENTER ON 6TH STREET, WHERE SHE
14 SOLD HANDMADE GIFTS CREATED BY LOCAL WOMEN WHO WERE WORKING TO
15 CHANGE THEIR LIVES. SHE WAS A MENTOR TO SO MANY AND CONSTANTLY
16 DID WHAT SHE COULD TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE HARBOR AREA.
17 ANNETTE WAS ALSO A WOMAN OF DEEP FAITH. SHE WAS AN ACTIVE
18 MEMBER OF MARY STAR CATHOLIC CHURCH, MARY STAR OF THE SEA
19 CATHOLIC CHURCH, AND SHE DEVOTED MANY YEARS OF VOLUNTEER WORK
20 TO THE IMMACULATE HEART COMMUNITY. SHE LIVES ON IN THE
21 MEMORIES OF THE MANY PEOPLE SHE TOUCHED. MAY SHE REST IN
22 PEACE, BUT SHE WILL LEAVE A HUGE VACANCY IN OUR COMMUNITY OF
23 SAN PEDRO. I ALSO MOVE THAT WHEN WE ADJOURN TODAY, WE ADJOURN
24 THE MEMORY OF MARSHA JUNE DURBIN, A RESIDENT OF ARTESIA AND A
25 VOLUNTEER WITH THE BELLFLOWER SYMPHONY WHO WENT HOME TO HEAVEN



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1 EARLIER THIS YEAR AT THE AGE OF 78. MARSHA WAS BORN IN
2 INGLEWOOD ON OCTOBER 11, 1945, AND HER FATHER WAS A PASTOR,
3 AND HER MOTHER WAS A MUSICIAN AND OPERA SINGER. WHEN MARCIA
4 WAS 4, HER MOTHER TAUGHT HER TO PLAY THE PIANO AND READ MUSIC.
5 SHE LATER PICKED UP THE VIOLIN AND CONTINUED PLAYING IT
6 THROUGHOUT HER LIFE. MARCIA ATTENDED THE UNIVERSITY OF
7 REDLANDS IN CAL STATE LONG BEACH AND LATER WORKED AS A
8 COMPUTER PROGRAMMER. SHE MARRIED HER HUSBAND HAROLD ON
9 FEBRUARY 14TH 1965. THE 2 OF THEM HAD 5 CHILDREN AND LIVED IN
10 THE CITY OF ARTESIA FOR NEARLY 50 YEARS. OVER THE YEARS MARSHA
11 PLAYED HER VIOLIN IN MANY ORCHESTRAS INCLUDING CRYSTAL
12 CATHEDRAL, BELLFLOWER SYMPHONY, LA MIRADA SYMPHONY, WHITTIER
13 REGIONAL SYMPHONY, AND VARIOUS CHURCHES. SHE WAS SURVIVED BY
14 HER HUSBAND HAROLD AND 5 CHILDREN AND 7 GRANDCHILDREN.

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16 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR BARGER.

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18 **SUP. KATHRYN BARGER:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. I MOVE THAT WHEN
19 WE ADJOURN TODAY WE DO SO IN MEMORY OF MARY JANE BOGGS, LONG-
20 TIME RESIDENT OF SAN MARINO WHO PASSED AWAY PEACEFULLY ON
21 FEBRUARY 22ND AT THE AGE OF 98. MARY JANE WAS BORN ON FEBRUARY
22 6, 1926 IN LIBERAL KANSAS. SHE WAS A FARMER'S DAUGHTER. HER
23 FAMILY OWNED A DAIRY FARM WHERE SHE WORKED ALONGSIDE HER
24 PARENTS AND SIBLINGS. IN 1938, HER PARENTS RELOCATED THE
25 FAMILY AND THE DAIRY BUSINESS TO VAN NUYS, CALIFORNIA. MARY



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1 JANE ATTENDED VAN NUYS HIGH SCHOOL AND THEN ENROLLED AT UCLA,
2 JOINING THE ALPHA CHI OMEGA SORORITY. IN 1949, SHE GRADUATED
3 FROM UCLA WITH A BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE.
4 SHE MET HER FIRST HUSBAND, LOGAN A. BOGGS, AND THEY MARRIED IN
5 1950 AND HAD 3 CHILDREN TOGETHER. THEY LIVED IN LOS ANGELES,
6 DETROIT, PHOENIX BEFORE MOVING TO SAN RENO IN 1962. SHE WAS AN
7 ACTIVE VOLUNTEER IN CHARITIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS. MARY
8 JANE LOVED HER CHRISTMAS TREE STREET, ST. ALBANS ROAD, AND
9 CONTINUED THE TRADITION OF TREE LIGHTING EACH YEAR. IN 1986,
10 SHE MET AND LATER MARRIED WILLIAM A. KURLANDER, AND THEY
11 SHARED OVER A DECADE TOGETHER BEFORE HE PASSED. IN 2003, SHE
12 MARRIED MY FATHER, RICHARD BARGER, WITH WHOM SHE SHARED MANY
13 JOYOUS YEARS. MY DAD PASSED AWAY IN 2016. MARY JANE LIVED A
14 LONG AND HAPPY LIFE, MAKING FRIENDS WHEREVER SHE WENT. SHE WAS
15 AN AVID READER, LOVED POLITICS, AND ACTIVELY ENCOURAGED
16 DEBATE. SHE LOVED TRAVELING, VISITING NUMEROUS COUNTRIES IN
17 HER LIFETIME, WITH HAWAII VACATIONS ALONG WITH HER CHILDREN
18 AND GRANDCHILDREN BEING HER MOST JOYOUS. SHE WILL BE TRULY
19 MISSED. MARY JANE IS SURVIVED BY HER SONS LOGAN ALEXANDER
20 BOGGS, AND HIS WIFE JANET, JONATHAN LOUIS BOGGS AND HIS WIFE
21 MARIE, AND HER DAUGHTERS CYNTHIA JANE BOGGS-ARIE AND HER
22 HUSBAND VINCENT, HER 6 GRANDCHILDREN, HER SISTER LAURA LEE
23 YOUNG, AND MANY NIECES AND NEPHEWS. ALSO THAT WE ADJOURN IN
24 MEMORY OF ARLENE BUEHLER, LONGTIME RESIDENT OF LAVERNE WHO
25 PASSED AWAY ON FEBRUARY 12TH AT THE AGE OF 100. ARLENE WAS



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1 BORN ON JUNE 30TH, 1923 IN WISCONSIN. SHE BEGAN VOLUNTEERING
2 AT HER CHURCH IN THE SEVENTH GRADE, A TRADITION SHE CONTINUED
3 THROUGHOUT HER LIFE. SHORTLY AFTER HIGH SCHOOL, SHE WENT TO
4 WORK AT THE GREAT LAKES NAVAL BASE STATION IN ILLINOIS, WHERE
5 SHE MET HER FUTURE HUSBAND, HERMAN BUELLER. THEY MARRIED IN
6 JUNE OF 1949 AND RAISED 2 SONS AND A DAUGHTER TOGETHER,
7 DIVIDING THEIR TIME BETWEEN WISCONSIN AND VARIOUS DUTY
8 STATIONS IN HAWAII AND CALIFORNIA. AFTER MOVING TO LAVERNE IN
9 THE EARLY 1970S SHE BECAME A MEMBER OF OUR SAVIOR EVANGELICAL
10 LUTHERAN CHURCH IN POMONA AND VOLUNTEERED AS A SECRETARY FOR
11 OVER 40 YEARS. SHE ENJOYED SQUARE DANCING, PLAYING BRIDGE,
12 TRAINING HER DOGS, AND SPENDING TIME WITH HER FAMILY AND
13 FRIENDS. HER CARING DISPOSITION AND INFECTIOUS SMILE WILL BE
14 MISSED. ARLENE IS SURVIVED BY HER 3 CHILDREN, JAMES, HERMAN,
15 AND LINDA, 4 GRANDCHILDREN, 5 GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN, 1 GREAT-
16 GREAT-GRANDCHILD, AND HER EVER-LOYAL COMPANION, PERKY. ALSO
17 THAT WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF JOHN DEUTCH, FORMER DEPUTY
18 DIRECTOR WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION, WHO
19 PASSED AWAY AT 96 YEARS OLD. JOHN WAS BORN IN SHERIDAN,
20 ARKANSAS, NOVEMBER 22, 1926. AFTER GRADUATING FROM REDLANDS
21 HIGH SCHOOL, JOHN JOINED THE UNITED STATES NAVY. HE SERVED
22 ABOARD THE DESTROYER USS SIGOURNIER IN THE SOUTH PACIFIC FROM
23 NOVEMBER 25TH, 1944 TO JULY 3RD, 1946. JOHN MARRIED HIS HIGH
24 SCHOOL SWEETHEART, JULIA JOAN NASH, ON JUNE 15TH, 1947. THEY
25 RAISED THEIR 4 CHILDREN IN VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN LOS ANGELES



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1 COUNTY, INCLUDING THE SAN GABRIEL AND ANTELOPE VALLEYS. JOHN
2 BEGAN HIS CAREER WITH THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF
3 PARKS AND RECREATION IN 1951 AND WORKED HIS WAY UP TO DEPUTY
4 DIRECTOR. AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR, HIS DIRECT RESPONSIBILITIES
5 INCLUDE THE OPERATION OF THE LARGEST PUBLIC GOLF COURSE IN THE
6 UNITED STATES, MAINTENANCE OF OVER 100 PARKS AND OVER 300
7 FACILITIES, THE PRESERVATION AND MAINTENANCE OF 219,000
8 PARKWAY TREES, OVER 5,000 MILES OF COUNTY ROADS, 119,000 TREES
9 ON COUNTY PARKS AND GOLF COURSES, AND VARIOUS COUNTY
10 PROPERTIES. HE CONTINUED HIS EDUCATION BY ATTENDING ANTELOPE
11 VALLEY COLLEGE, CAL POLY POMONA, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF
12 CALIFORNIA LOS ANGELES DURING HIS COUNTY CAREER. IN MAY OF
13 1982, JOHN RETIRED WITH 31 YEARS AND 10 MONTHS OF COUNTY
14 SERVICE. HE'S PROCEEDED IN DEATH BY HIS WIFE JULIA WHO PASSED
15 AWAY IN 1998. HE SURVIVED BY HIS 4 CHILDREN, MANY
16 GRANDCHILDREN, AND GREAT-GRANDCHILDREN. AND ALSO THAT WE
17 ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF DAVID LYNN PHILLIPS, GREEN VALLEY COUNTY
18 WATER DISTRICT PRESIDENT, DAVID LYNN, WHO PASSED AWAY ON
19 DECEMBER 17, 2023 AT THE AGE OF 72. DAVID WAS APPOINTED
20 DIRECTOR OF THE GREEN VALLEY WATER DISTRICT IN MAY OF 1988. HE
21 BECAME PRESIDENT OF THE DISTRICT IN JANUARY OF 1991 AND SERVED
22 UNTIL DECEMBER 1991 WHEN HE RETIRED FROM THE BOARD. IN MAY OF
23 2015, DAVID AGAIN BECAME DIRECTOR AND SERVED DIRECTOR UNTIL
24 APRIL OF 2020. DAVID BECAME THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD AGAIN
25 IN APRIL OF 2020 AND SERVED UNTIL HIS DEATH DECEMBER 17TH



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1 2023. HE SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE DELIA PHILLIPS, DAUGHTER DOLVA
2 PHILLIPS MARTINEZ, HIS SON-IN-LAW JOSE MARTINEZ AND
3 GRANDCHILDREN JET AND DELIAH. THOSE ARE MY ADJOURNMENTS, MADAM
4 CHAIR.

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6 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. SUPERVISOR SOLIS.

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8 **SUP. HILDA SOLIS:** YES, THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. I MOVE THAT WHEN
9 WE ADJOURN TODAY, WE ADJOURN IN THE MEMORY OF STEPHEN LEROY
10 MANZANARIZ, KNOWN AS STEVE. STEVE WAS BORN ON DECEMBER 26,
11 1928, TO JOSEPH AND LUIS MANZANARIZ AT THEIR HOME IN POMONA.
12 STEVE ATTENDED HAMILTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN FREMONT JUNIOR
13 HIGH. AS A YOUNG BOY, HE AND HIS BROTHERS WORKED IN THE FAMILY
14 BUSINESS. JOE MANZANARIZ AND SONS CEMENT BUSINESS, A TRADE
15 WHICH WOULD HELP HIM THROUGHOUT HIS CAREER. AT 17, STEVEN
16 ENLISTED IN THE US ARMY AND TRAINED FOR THE 82ND AIRBORNE IN
17 GEORGIA. AFTER HIS SERVICE, STEPHEN RETURNED TO HIS HOME IN
18 POMONA, MARRIED HIS SWEETHEART DORA MARTINEZ. THEY MADE THEIR
19 HOME IN POMONA AND RAISED THEIR 5 CHILDREN ONLY A FEW FEET
20 AWAY FROM THE MANZANARAS FAMILY HOME WHERE STEPHEN WAS BORN.
21 STEPHEN WORKED MANY DIFFERENT CONSTRUCTION JOBS AT TIMES,
22 TRAVELING THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEREVER THERE WAS WORK, BUT
23 ALWAYS RETURNED FOR SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT AT THE LOS ANGELES
24 COUNTY FAIR. EVENTUALLY HE WAS HIRED BY THE FAIR ASSOCIATION
25 FOR A FULL-TIME POSITION AS A LABORER WITH LABOR'S UNION LOCAL



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1 806. STEPHEN WAS PROMOTED TO BE THE GROUNDS FOREMAN IN 1972
2 AND WAS THE FIRST PERSON OF COLOR TO HOLD A PERMANENT
3 SUPERVISORY POSITION IN THE FAIR'S HISTORY. STEPHEN WAS AN
4 INTEGRAL PART OF LA COUNTY'S FAIR ASSOCIATION FOR 42 YEARS. HE
5 WAS OFTEN CALLED MR. FAIRGROUNDS. HIS DEVOTION TO THE FAIR
6 EXTENDED FAR BEYOND HIS PROFESSIONAL DUTIES. IN EARLY 1970S,
7 STEPHEN LED A COMMITTEE TO BUILD 2 PARKS IN POMONA FOR THE
8 YOUTH IN THE COMMUNITY. HE SPENT MANY HOURS AT MEETINGS
9 HELPING TO GET THE PARKS APPROVED AND TOOK PART IN ORGANIZING
10 FIESTAS AND FUNDRAISERS FOR THE PARK. EVENTUALLY, STEPHEN
11 BECAME A SPOKESPERSON FOR THE COMMUNITY ON AN EPISODE OF THE
12 TELEVISION SERIES CHIVO AND CHAVO, WHICH WAS FILMED AT THE
13 PARK AFTER ITS OPENING. STEPHEN WAS ALSO A MEMBER OF THE
14 UNITED STATES AIR FORCE HISPANIC AIRBORNE COMMITTEE, THE
15 AMERICAN VETERANS POST 113, AND THE 82ND AIRBORNE ASSOCIATION
16 RUBIN TUCKER CHAPTER. HE VOLUNTEERED MANY HOURS POSTING COLORS
17 AS DEDICATION CEREMONIES AND CONVENTIONS THROUGHOUT THE
18 COUNTRY INCLUDING PLACING WREATHS AT THE ARLINGTON NATIONAL
19 CEMETERY. STEVEN ALWAYS PARTICIPATED IN MANY VETERANS RESOURCE
20 FAIRS THAT I HOSTED AT THE FAIRPLEX AND ALSO ENGAGED WITH MY
21 TEAM ON EXPANDING SERVICES TO VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILY. I
22 REMEMBER SEEING HIM WEAR HIS 82ND AIRBORNE INFANTRY UNIFORM
23 PROUDLY WITH THE COUNTY PIN PLACED RIGHT AT THE TOP. HE HELD
24 THE REMARKABLE DISTINCTION OF BEING THE FAIR'S MOST ARDENT FAN
25 HAVING ATTENDED EVERY YEAR. HIS WARM PERSONALITY, DEDICATION,



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1 AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FAIRPLEX AND THE SURROUNDING
2 COMMUNITY WILL BE DEEPLY MISSED. STEPHEN IS SURVIVED BY HIS
3 SON ARTHUR, HIS DAUGHTERS DEE AND DONNA, 14 GRANDCHILDREN, 43
4 GREAT GRANDCHILDREN, 11 GREAT GRANDCHILDREN, AND MANY NIECES,
5 NEPHEWS, AND GODCHILDREN. MAY HE REST IN PEACE. I ALSO MOVE
6 THAT WHEN WE ADJOURN TODAY WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF ALEJANDRA
7 OLIZ, YSENIA OCHOA-OLEZ, AND LORENA MORALES. ALEJANDRA,
8 YSENIA, AND LORENA TRAGICALLY LOST THEIR LIVES WHEN THEIR CAR
9 WAS STRUCK BY A DUI DRIVER ON SATURDAY EVENING. THEY WERE ON
10 THEIR WAY HOME AFTER ATTENDING A BABY SHOWER IN MORENO VALLEY.
11 ALEJANDRA, 33 YEARS OF AGE, SHE WAS A HARDWORKING MOTHER WHO
12 DEVOTED MOST OF HER LIFE TO TAKING CARE OF HER CHILDREN,
13 ALMOST NEVER SPENDING TIME FOR HERSELF. YSENIA WAS 33 YEARS
14 OLD. SHE WAS ALEJANDRA'S SISTER-IN-LAW. HER FAMILY SHARED SHE
15 WAS A FEW MONTHS AWAY FROM ADOPTING 1 OF HER NEPHEWS. SHE WAS
16 KNOWN TO BE A LOVING PERSON. BOTH ALEJANDRA AND YSENIA WERE
17 POMONA RESIDENTS. LORENA WAS 58 YEARS OLD. SHE WAS A LONGTIME
18 FRIEND OF THE OLEZ FAMILY. SHE WAS A GREAT WOMAN, MOTHER, AND
19 GRANDMOTHER. SHE WAS A RESIDENT OF MONTCLAIR. ALEJANDRA,
20 SENIA, AND LORENA ARE SURVIVED BY THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS AS
21 WELL AS A COMMUNITY OF POMONA ALL OF WHOM HAVE BEEN IMPACTED
22 BY THIS HORRIBLE TRAGEDY. MY HEART GOES OUT TO THEIR FAMILIES
23 DURING THIS VERY DIFFICULT TIME. THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR.

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25 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU SUPERVISOR MITCHELL.



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2 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH MADAM CHAIR. WHEN
3 WE ADJOURN TODAY I ASK THAT WE ADJOURN IN MEMORY OF ALTON
4 HAYE. MR. HAYE WAS BORN MARCH 15, 1945, AND PASSED AWAY DURING
5 THE HOLIDAY SEASON, THE 27TH OF DECEMBER, AT THE AGE OF 78,
6 AFTER A LONG BATTLE WITH CANCER. IN 1970, HE GRADUATED WITH A
7 MASTER'S IN EDUCATION DEGREE FROM TEXAS COLLEGE. AS A STUDENT
8 IN TYLER, TEXAS, HE WAS KNOWN AS A SOCIAL JUSTICE ORGANIZER
9 WHOSE EFFORTS LED TO THE DESEGREGATION OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS,
10 THE HIRING OF THE FIRST BLACK POLICE OFFICER, AND THE
11 DESEGREGATION OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH. HE AND HIS WIFE, FELLOW
12 EDUCATOR, JANETIA HUDLEY HAYE, FORMER SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER AND
13 FORMER STAFFER TO SD3, MOVED TO LOS ANGELES AND BOUGHT A HOME
14 IN LEIMERT PARK. IN 1974, HE EARNED AN ADMINISTRATIVE
15 CREDENTIAL FROM PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY AND BEGAN THE CAREER AS
16 AN EDUCATOR. HE WAS AN ELEMENTARY TEACHER FOR LA UNIFIED FOR
17 34 YEARS AND RETIRED AS A PRINCIPAL OF 2 CHILD DEVELOPMENT
18 CENTERS IN 2005. HE ALSO STARTED THE FIRST FISHING ROUNDUP AT
19 KINEHAN PARK AND RECREATION AREA WHICH WAS SPONSORED BY
20 SUPERVISOR YVONNE BRATHWAITE-BURK AND WAS AN ACTIVE COACH FOR
21 YOUTH BASKETBALL FOR OVER A DECADE. HE WILL BE REMEMBERED AS A
22 LOVING HUSBAND OF OVER 53 YEARS AND A LOVING FATHER TO HIS
23 DAUGHTER CATHERINE, WHO FOLLOWED IN HER PARENTS' FOOTSTEPS AND
24 BECAME AN EDUCATOR AND NOW WORKS AT THE GEFFEN ACADEMY AT
25 UCLA. THANK YOU VERY MUCH MADAM CHAIR.



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2 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** AND I'D LOVE TO JOIN YOU IN THAT
3 1.

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5 **SUP. HOLLY J. MITCHELL:** PLEASE THANK YOU.

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7 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THANK YOU. WE WILL TAKE ALL OF
8 OUR MOTIONS AS SECONDED IF THERE'S NO OBJECTION TO A UNANIMOUS
9 VOTE THAT WILL BE THE ACTION. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND
10 COLLEAGUES WE'RE NOW GOING INTO CLOSED SESSION. WHILE WE'RE IN
11 CLOSED SESSION WE'LL BE SHOWING VIDEO PRESENTATIONS.
12 SUPERVISOR BARGER HAS A VIDEO PRESENTATION RECOGNIZING THE
13 ANTELOPE VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM AND THE
14 QUARTZ HILL HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS SOCCER TEAM. I HAVE A VIDEO
15 PRESENTATION RECOGNIZING MATTHEW MCGLOIN AND STEVE ROBLES ON
16 THE OCCASION OF THEIR RETIREMENT. EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE
17 READ US INTO CLOSED SESSION.

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19 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** IN ACCORDANCE WITH BROWN ACT REQUIREMENTS,
20 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS WILL
21 CONVENE IN CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS ITEM NUMBER CS1, PUBLIC
22 EMPLOYMENT CONSIDERATION OF CANDIDATE OR CANDIDATES FOR THE
23 POSITION OF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF THE BOARD AND ITEM NUMBER
24 CS2, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT CONSIDERATION OF CANDIDATE OR



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CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR OF INTERNAL SERVICES
DEPARTMENT AS INDICATED ON SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA. THANK YOU.

SUP. KATHRYN BARGER: MARCH IS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, INVITING
US TO UPLIFT THE STORIES OF CHANGE-MAKING WOMEN IN OUR
COMMUNITIES. TO CELEBRATE, I'M PROUD TO RECOGNIZE SOME
EXCEPTIONAL YOUNG WOMEN FROM MY DISTRICT. RECENTLY, 2
DIFFERENT TEAMS FROM SCHOOLS IN THE ANTELOPE VALLEY TOOK HOME
THE TITLE OF CIF CHAMPIONS. MY HEARTFELT CONGRATULATIONS TO
THE ANTELOPE VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM AND THE
COURTS HILL GIRLS SOCCER TEAM FOR THIS INCREDIBLE ACHIEVEMENT.
COURTS HILL'S VICTORY WAS THEIR FIRST EVER CIF SOUTHERN
SECTION DIVISION II CHAMPIONSHIP, CAUSING A ROAR OF APPLAUSE
FROM THE CROWD AND MASSIVE CELEBRATION ON THE FIELD. THE
WINNING ROYALS WERE 27-1 THIS SEASON AND TOOK THE CHAMPIONSHIP
TITLE IN A 2-0 GAME. IN THE WORDS OF SENIOR DEFENDER, KAITLYN
COTT, THIS TEAM IS FULL OF TALENT, AND WE FINALLY PUT ALL OUR
TALENT TOGETHER. MY CONGRATULATIONS TO THE COURTS HILL HIGH ON
THIS HISTORIC AND WELL-DESERVED VICTORY. AND THE ANTELOPE
VALLEY ANTELOPES, THEIR WIN ON THE COURT WAS A 71-44 VICTORY
IN THE CIF SOUTHERN SECTION DIVISION 5A CHAMPIONSHIP, THE
SECOND TITLE FOR THE TEAM. LANCASTER'S OWN ANTELOPES WERE 16-6
THIS SEASON, TAKING PRIDE IN WHAT A WIN WOULD MEAN FOR THEIR
COMMUNITY. JUNIOR NAYA PRICE SAID THAT BEING ABLE TO PUT
ANTELOPE VALLEY BACK ON THE MAP AND BRING EXCITEMENT BACK TO



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1 OUR SCHOOL, IT JUST MEANS EVERYTHING. WE JUST HAD TO DO IT FOR
2 OUR CITY, OUR TOWN, OUR COACHES, FAMILIES, AND TEAMMATES. I
3 COULDN'T HAVE SAID IT ANY BETTER. AND MY CONGRATULATIONS TO
4 THE ANTELOPES. I'M INCREDIBLY PROUD OF BOTH TEAMS FOR
5 REPRESENTING OUR ANTELOPE VALLEY COMMUNITY SO WELL. THESE
6 YOUNG WOMEN OFFER AN INSPIRING DISPLAY OF RELENTLESS
7 DEDICATION, ENCOURAGEMENT, AND TEAMWORK. THESE CIF CHAMPIONS
8 REMIND US ALL THAT WHEN WOMEN WORK TOGETHER AND UPLIFT 1
9 ANOTHER, THERE'S NOTHING THAT THEY CANNOT ACHIEVE.
10 CONGRATULATIONS AGAIN TO THE ANTELOPES AND ROYALS. YOUR
11 DETERMINATION PAID OFF AND MADE OUR COMMUNITIES PROUD.

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13 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** TODAY, I WANT TO TAKE A MOMENT TO
14 EXTEND MY HEARTFELT CONGRATULATIONS TO 2 DEDICATED LOS ANGELES
15 COUNTY EMPLOYEES, MATTHEW MCGLOIN AND STEVEN ROBLES, WHO ARE
16 RETIRING FROM COUNTY SERVICE. RETIREMENT MAY MARK THE END OF
17 AN ERA, BUT IT ALSO SIGNIFIES THE BEGINNING OF A NEW CHAPTER
18 FILLED WITH ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES. EACH 1 OF YOU HAS DEVOTED
19 YEARS OF YOUR LIFE IN SERVICE TO OUR COMMUNITY AND YOUR
20 CONTRIBUTIONS HAVE NOT GONE UNNOTICED. MATT, YOUR COMMITMENT
21 TO LOS ANGELES COUNTY HAS BEEN REMARKABLE, EVEN THROUGH THE
22 MOST DIFFICULT OF TIMES. BUT YOUR WORK HELPED THE COUNTY EARN
23 OUR HIGHEST CREDIT RATING EVER DURING YOUR 36 YEARS OF
24 SERVICE. STEVE, YOUR 32 YEARS OF PUBLIC SERVICE AND 11 WITH
25 LOS ANGELES COUNTY HAVE LED TO THE CREATION OF THE MOST



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1 ADVANCED RISK DATA ANALYTICS, CLAIMS AND LEAVE MANAGEMENT
2 PROGRAMS AND PLATFORMS IN THE COUNTRY. WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR
3 CONTINUED GUIDANCE EVEN IN RETIREMENT. AS YOU EMBARK ON THIS
4 NEW JOURNEY, I ENCOURAGE YOU TO EMBRACE THE OPPORTUNITIES THAT
5 RETIREMENT BRINGS. TAKE THE TIME TO PURSUE YOUR PASSIONS,
6 SPEND PRECIOUS MOMENTS WITH THE ONES YOU LOVE, AND SAVOR THE
7 JOYS OF LIFE THAT YOU MAY HAVE MISSED DURING YOUR BUSY
8 CAREERS. CONGRATULATIONS, YOU'VE EARNED IT. THANK YOU.

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10 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU VERY MUCH. AND I WANTED TO THANK ALL OF MY
11 COUNTY FAMILY, MY FAMILY, MY WIFE RENEE, WHO REALLY SUPPORTED
12 ME THROUGH ALL OF THESE YEARS WITH IN-RISK MANAGEMENT AND ALL
13 THE ISSUES THAT WE DEAL WITH. IT'S BEEN FANTASTIC AND WITH
14 SUPPORT OF THE BOARD AND THE CEOS THAT I'VE DEALT WITH, IT'S
15 BEEN A GREAT RIDE AND I'M REAL APPRECIATIVE AND VERY HAPPY, SO
16 THANK YOU AND GOODBYE.

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18 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** WE'RE GRATEFUL FOR YOU.

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20 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU, SUPERVISOR. I'D ALSO LIKE TO THANK MY
21 COUNTY COLLEAGUES THROUGHOUT THE BUDGET AND FINANCIAL
22 COMMUNITY IN THE COUNTY AND ESPECIALLY THE BUDGET TEAM AND CEO
23 FOR ALL THEIR SUPPORT AND THROUGHOUT MY COUNTY CAREER. THANK
24 YOU.



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1 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** CONGRATULATIONS.

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3 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU.

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5 **SPEAKER:** THANK YOU.

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7 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** EXECUTIVE OFFICER, PLEASE READ
8 TODAY'S REPORT OF ACTION.

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10 **EXECUTIVE OFFICER:** THANK YOU MADAM CHAIR. IN ACCORDANCE WITH
11 BROWN ACT REQUIREMENTS, NOTICES HEREBY GIVEN. SORRY, THAT IS
12 NOT. FOLLOWING IS A REPORT OF ACTION. I'LL START OVER. THAT
13 WAS TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION TODAY, MARCH 6, 2024. ITEM NUMBER
14 CS1, NO REPORTABLE ACTION WAS TAKEN. AND ITEM NUMBER CS2, NO
15 REPORTABLE ACTION WAS TAKEN. THANK YOU.

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17 **SUP. LINDSEY HORVATH, CHAIR:** THAT CONCLUDES TODAY'S MEETING.
18 THE NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD WILL BE POLICY PRESENTATIONS,
19 PUBLIC HEARING AND CLOSED SESSION MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY,
20 MARCH 12TH, 2024 AT 930 A.M. THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE
21 BOARD WILL BE HELD TUESDAY, MARCH 19TH, 2024 AT 9.30 A.M. WE
22 ARE ADJOURNED.

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1 I, KATHRYN J, ROBSON, Certified Shorthand Reporter Number
2 qualified in and for the State of California, do hereby
3 certify:

4 That the transcripts of proceedings recorded by the Los
5 Angeles County Board of Supervisors March 6th, 2024, were
6 thereafter transcribed into typewriting under my direction and
7 supervision;

8 That the transcript of recorded proceedings as archived
9 in the office of the reporter and which have been provided to
10 the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors as certified by
11 me.

12 I further certify that I am neither counsel for, nor
13 related to any party to the said action; nor in anywise
14 interested in the outcome thereof.

15 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this
16 15th day of March 2024, for the County records to be used
17 only for authentication purposes of duly certified transcripts
18 as on file of the office of the reporter.

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