

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR HILDA L. SOLIS

January 14, 2025

**126<sup>th</sup> Annual Golden Dragon Parade Recognition and Parking Fee Waiver**

The Golden Dragon Parade in Chinatown hosted by the Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles is the largest Asian cultural celebration in Southern California and features marching bands, floats, and entertainers. An event that is considered one of the longest-running and most important Lunar New Year celebrations in the United States, the Golden Dragon Parade has, for over a century, provided a space for the Asian American and Asian immigrant community to celebrate the most important holiday on the Asian calendar in the center of Los Angeles. It is a celebration of the diversity that is a cornerstone of our communities. This year’s parade is being held during the “Year of the Snake”, which represents transformation and renewal. This year’s parade is certain to draw many community members out to celebrate the momentous occasion.

To that end, organizers expect to attract around 100,000 spectators to line up and down the streets of Chinatown for their 126th Annual Golden Dragon Parade on Saturday, February 8, 2025.

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**I, THEREFORE, MOVE** that the Board of Supervisors recognize Saturday, February 8, 2025 as the 126<sup>th</sup> Annual Golden Dragon Parade.

**I, FURTHER, MOVE** that the Board of Supervisors waive \$400, excluding the cost of liability, for 100 parking spots at Lot 45 on North Spring Street in Chinatown.

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