MOTION BY SUPERVISOR LINDSEY P. HORVATH

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Governance Reform Task Force Labor Representation

The Board of Supervisors (Board) adopted a motion, <u>Los Angeles County</u> <u>Governance Reform: Implementing The Voter Mandate For A More Representative,</u> <u>Accountable & Transparent LA County</u> (Horvath-Solis), which established the composition and selection process for members of the Governance Reform Task Force who are charged with implementation of Measure G, The Los Angeles County Government Structure, Ethics and Accountability Charter Amendment. Directive 2e of the motion describes union representation on the Governance Reform Task Force:

"Within 45 days of the closing of the application period, three additional GRTF members shall be nominated by labor as follows:

- i) One nominated by the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor;
- ii) One nominated by SEIU Local 721;
- iii) One nominated by the Coalition of County Unions; and
- iv) The labor nominees must participate in the application process, to be confirmed by the Board within 30 days of receiving the nominations. No

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other GRTF members shall be representatives of labor, including members appointed by the Board or the GRTF to ensure equitable distribution across all stakeholder sectors. Representatives of labor include individuals that are members of labor unions."

The applicant nominated to represent the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor is no longer able to serve, and the application process is closed. Participation from Los Angeles County Federation of Labor is crucial to ensuring that working peoples' voices are represented as the future of County government is being decided. Per the adopted motion, unions nominate candidates for the three labor seats on the Governance Reform Task Force for appointment by the Board, though they must fill out an application to County staff to vet the applicants. To ensure implementation of the aforementioned motion, the Executive Office (EO) must allow for a substitute nominee to submit an application to represent the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor on the Governance Reform Task Force.

I, THEREFORE MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Executive Office to enable a substitute nominee to submit an application to represent the Los Angeles County Federation of Labor on the Governance Reform Task Force.

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