

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR HOLLY J. MITCHELL

October 7, 2025

Reestablish and Increase the Reward Offer in the Murder of Edgar Vasquez

On Monday, July 6, 2020, at approximately 11:03 p.m., 20-year-old Edgar Vasquez, a sole occupant in a white Toyota Camry, was driving in an alley near a strip mall in the area of East 135th Street and Avalon Boulevard, in the city of Los Angeles, when a suspect(s) fired several rounds at his vehicle, causing him to collide into a wall in the alley to the rear of 373 E. Piru Street The suspect(s) fled the scene.

Mr. Vasquez sustained a gunshot wound to his head. He was transported to the hospital where he succumbed to his injuries on July 7, 2020. Detectives believe the shooting was gang related; however, Mr. Vasquez was not the intended target. Mr. Vasquez was working to support his family and was driving to work at the time of the shooting. Mr. Vasquez is survived by his mother, brother, and sister, who are all devastated by his murder.

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) Homicide Detectives believe there are witnesses in the neighborhood who may have witnessed the shooting and/or know the suspect(s) involved. The shooting occurred near a strip mall with several onlookers present. This reward was established on July 1, 2025, has since expired, and needs to be reestablished. Detectives believe reestablishing this reward would assist in solving this case. Any individuals with information about this crime are urged to contact the LASD Homicide Bureau or Crime Stoppers.

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I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Reestablish and increase the offer of a reward from the amount of \$10,000 to \$15,000 in exchange for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the heinous murder of Edgar Vasquez, who was shot and killed in an alley near 135th Street and Avalon Boulevard, in the city of Los Angeles, on July 6 2020, at approximately 11:03 p.m.

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Contact:

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