



County of Los Angeles

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TO: EDWARD YEN  
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Attention: Agenda Preparation

FROM: ADRIENNE M. BYERS  
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RE: **Item for the Board of Supervisors' Agenda  
County Claims Board Recommendation  
Art Hernandez, et al. v. County of Los Angeles, et al.  
Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 19STCV33158**

Attached is the Agenda entry for the Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation regarding the above-referenced matter.

It is requested that this recommendation be placed on the Board of Supervisors' agenda.



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Attachment

## Board Agenda

### MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation: Authorize settlement of the matter entitled Art Hernandez, et al. v. County of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. 19STCV33158, in the amount of \$8,000,000, and instruct the Auditor-Controller to draw a warrant to implement this settlement from the Sheriff's Department's budget.

This lawsuit alleges that current and former deputies from the Sheriff's Department were harassed and discriminated against by other former deputies who were members of the Banditos gang.