

December 20, 2022

**MOTION BY SUPERVISOR HOLLY J. MITCHELL**

**Establish the Reward Offer in the Fatal Shooting of Michelle Diaz**

On Saturday, November 21, 2020, at approximately 7:45 p.m., 19-year-old Michelle Diaz, and her boyfriend, 17-year-old Nills Jaimes arrived at Mr. Jaimes' residence, located on the 1400 block of west 106th Street in the unincorporated area of West Athens. They parked their vehicle across the street and as they made it to the front yard, a dark colored compact vehicle with three or four occupants drove eastbound on West 106th Street and stopped in front of Mr. Jaimes' residence. The front passenger exited the vehicle and fired one round from a firearm at both Ms. Diaz and Mr. Jaimes, ultimately striking Ms. Diaz. The vehicle then fled the scene traveling eastbound on West 106th Street and out of view. Ms. Diaz succumbed to her injuries at the scene. Mr. Jaimes was not injured, however, is extremely traumatized by the incident.

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) detectives believe that there are people in the neighborhood who may have seen the incident and/or the suspects leave the area, and may know their identities. Additionally, LASD detectives believe people in the area may have video footage of the shooting. Any individuals with information about this crime are urged to contact LASD's Homicide Bureau or Crime Stoppers.

**I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Establish the offer of a reward in the amount of \$20,000 in exchange for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the heinous death of 19-year-old Michelle Diaz, who died from injuries sustained in a shooting that occurred on November 21, 2020, at approximately 7:45 P.M., while standing in the front yard of Nills Jaimes' residence located on the 1400 block of west 106th Street in the unincorporated area of West Athens.

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