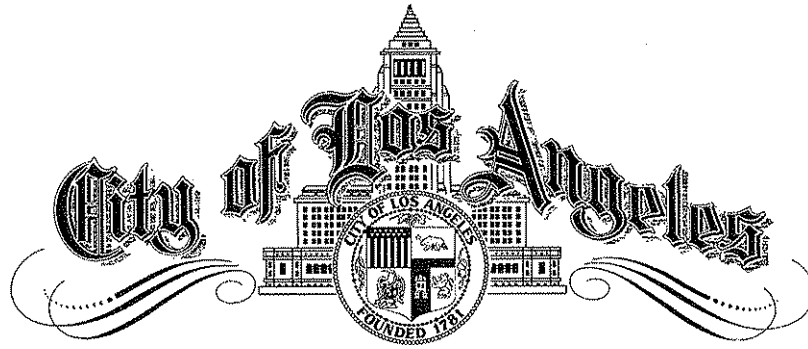


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RE: December 3, 2007 Special Transportation Committee Item #7 (Reduced Parking Planning Ordinance) and #8 (Hahn-LaBonge-Greuel Motion).

Honorable Committee Chair and Committee Members,

Unfortunately, I am not able to attend the Special Transportation Committee meeting recently scheduled on Monday, December 3, 2007. We're at our CD1 Annual Holiday Event with our school youth. However, I ask that you include the following directives consistent with what I raised during the Council meeting of Wednesday, 11/27/08 with the discussion on the Reduced Parking Ordinance and references to the Hahn motion.

- That as part of the Hahn motion, both the Transportation and PLUM committee CLA staff be directed to work jointly on the CLA report in conjunction with Planning staff.
- That the Transportation & PLUM committee CLA staff & Planning staff report on a fee for "new Transit System Construction" include for pedestrian and bikeway infrastructure improvements.
- That the fee proposed not discourage the development of affordable housing.
- That the CLA & planning staff report be completed by the joint PLUM and Transportation Committee meeting on January 9, 2008 or soon thereafter.

Again, I want to emphasize that although some concerns have been raised on this proposed Reduced Parking Ordinance and the item has been continued in Council to early February 2008 to allow further review, public workshops, public comment

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including to consider Hahn's motion, overall the proposed ordinance provides various opportunities including encouraging the development of housing and particularly affordable housing. Again, I only ask that the matter of both items be reviewed and that recommendations be brought back timely for City Council consideration at the latest during the second week of February 2008.

If you should have any questions, you may contact Guadalupe Duran-Medina of my staff at 213-473-7001.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ed P. Reyes". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

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