

RULES & GOVERNMENT

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, any official position of the City of Los Angeles with respect to legislation, rules, regulation or policies proposed to or pending before a local, state or federal governmental body or agency must have first been adopted in the form of a Resolution by the City Council with the concurrence of the Mayor; and

WHEREAS, Dodger Stadium, which was opened on April 10, 1962 and is renowned as one of the most valued stadiums on the west coast, has expanded the City's national and international profile by not only serving as the home to the well-known Dodgers baseball team, but by hosting world famous events such as the baseball games for the 1984 Olympic Games, the Three Tenors performance in 1994 and many more; and

WHEREAS, entering the 2009 Major League baseball season, the Dodger Stadium will be known as the third oldest Major League Stadium, further affirming a notable history and culture that has become known by the community as world-acclaimed; and

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles Dodgers have announced, that the Dodger Stadium will be experiencing a comprehensive, multi-year renovation project which will make this stadium a future site for stability and sustainability by focusing on both the longevity of the stadium and enhancing its "green" aesthetics; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to promote an expanded sense of pride amongst the community, to make an effort to maximize resources that serve Angelenos and to support renovations and development that reflect the City's past and present support for green spaces CF 04-222 (Smith - Reyes), a method to affirm the Dodgers' commendable practices is needed to designate the area of Dodger Stadium with its own Postal ZIP code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, with the concurrence of the Mayor, that by the adoption of this Resolution, the City of Los Angeles hereby includes in its 2007-2008 Federal Legislative Program sponsorship and support of legislation or administrative action which would request the postmaster general to redraw a zip code boundary to be referred to as "Dodgertown" that will coincide with the Dodger Stadium property (276 acres only) which is generally bounded by Academy Drive to the North; Lookout Drive to the South; Stadium Way to the West and Academy Drive/Solano Avenue to the East.

PRESENTED BY: Ed P. Reyes  
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Councilman, 1<sup>st</sup> District

SECONDED BY: [Signature]

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