ACCELERATED REVIEW PROCESS - I

Office of the City Engineer

Los Angeles, California

To the Honorable Council

Of the City of Los Angeles

May 31, 2017

Honorable Members:

C. D. No. 9

SUBJECT:

Initiation of Vacation Proceedings - Towne Avenue and 53rd Street Vacation District (Re-application) - VAC - E1401119

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. That upon adoption of this report, the vacation proceeding to vacate Towne Avenue and 53rd Street Vacation District as shown on Exhibit B, be initiated pursuant to California Streets and Highways Code, Division 9, Part 3, Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law.
- B. That the Bureau of Engineering be directed to process this vacation request under Council File No. 08-2521, Engineering work order No. E1401119.
- C. That the Bureau of Engineering be directed to investigate the feasibility of this vacation request.
- D. That the Bureau of Engineering present its report regarding the feasibility of vacating the requested area to the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee.
- E. That upon consideration and approval by the Public Works and Gang Reduction Committee, the City Clerk be directed to coordinate with the Chair, subject to the concurrence of the Council President and schedule this request for the City Council's consideration at the appropriate time consistent with the public hearing requirement under California Street and Highways Code Section 8320.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

A fee of \$32,100.00 was paid by the petitioner for the investigation of this request pursuant to Section 7.42 of the Administrative Code. Any deficit fee to recover the cost pursuant to Section 7.44 of the Administrative Code will be required of the petitioner.

TRANSMITTALS:

- 1. Application dated September 20, 2016 from Los Angeles Unified School District.
- 2. Exhibit B

DISCUSSION:

The petitioner, Al Grazioli from Los Angeles Unified School District, is requesting the City to vacate Towne Avenue and 53rd Street Vacation District to consolidate the proposed vacation areas with adjacent properties, the Maya Angelou High school, formerly known as the Central Region High School #16.

The adoption of the recommendations does not constitute or imply approval of the vacation.

Respectfully submitted,

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Bureau of Engineering

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