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The Memorial Day holiday was established to salute those who gave their lives, the ultimate sacrifice, in service of their country. In recognition of our veterans' and armed forces' sacrifice and contributions, the City of Los Angeles, erected the Hyperion Bridge over the great Los Angeles River connecting the two communities of Atwater Village and Silver Lake. This bridge was a key artery during the history of this City and at one time was designated as part of State Route 2.

Built in 1927, the Glendale-Hyperion Viaduct or Bridge, also known as the "Victory Memorial Bridge," is one of many historical structures within Council District 4. With the upcoming observance of Memorial Day, the celebration of our country's birth on Independence Day, and the patriotism of 9/11, it is significant and appropriate for United States flags to be installed along the Glendale-Hyperion Viaduct Bridge to commemorate these occasions and to salute our veterans and armed forces who have served in defense of our country.

In addition, the installation of U.S. flags would improve the streetscape along the expanse of the bridge. This is an eligible expenditure of the Street Furniture Revenue Fund. The cost of 30 U.S. flags will be \$2,017.84. There are sufficient funds in the Council District Four portion of this Fund.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

1. Authorize the Board of Public Works, Office of Accounting, to transfer and appropriate \$2,017.84 from the Council District Four portion of the Street Furniture Revenue Fund No. 43D-Department 50 to pay AAA Flag & Banner Mfg., Co. for the installation of 30 U.S. flags along the Glendale-Hyperion Bridge during the period of May 25, 2010-September 30, 2010. (Attn: Robert Willis; Phone: 323-932-8500; Fax: 323-936-3532; Address: 712 North La Brea Avenue Hollywood, CA 90038).
2. Authorize the Chief Legislative Analyst, or his designee, to make technical corrections or clarifications that may be necessary to implement the intent of this Motion.

PRESENTED BY 
TOM LABONGE
Councilmember, 4th District

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