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ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH & AGING

MOTION

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On June 30, 2010, Council approved the Motion (Hahn - LaBonge) instructing the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA) to form a working group comprised of any relevant departments to draft a Request for Proposals (RFP) to transition 14 City-controlled cultural art facilities to public-private partnerships, while considering the proposed non-profit leasing policy.

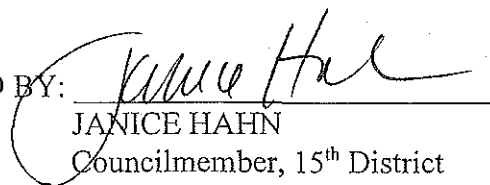
The working group, comprised of the CAO, DCA, Chief Legislative Analyst, City Attorney, Department of Recreation and Parks, and representatives from Council offices, has met several occasions to discuss the contents and requirements in the proposed RFP.

On August 17, 2010 and September 21, 2010, the Arts, Parks, Health and Aging (APHA) Committee conducted two public hearings in which Committee members and the public were able to discuss various aspects of the Department of Cultural Affairs' (DCA) proposed Request for Proposals (RFP) for public-private partnerships of the City's cultural art facilities.

During the September APHA meeting, it was brought to the Committee's attention that the cultural art facilities that were located on land owned by Recreation and Parks needed to be further discussed and approved by the Board of Recreation and Parks Commissioners before Council approval. The remaining facilities located on General Services-owned land can move ahead with the RFP process.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA) be authorized to release an RFP immediately to select a contractor to transition the following cultural art facilities to public-private partnerships, under the current DCA recommendations: Eagle Rock Community Cultural Center, Lankershim Arts Center, William Grant Still Art Center, Madrid Theater, Warner Grand Theater, and Vision Theater.

PRESENTED BY:


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