

November 16, 2016

Honorable Members of the Los Angeles City Council 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

RE: Council File 10-1797-S17

Colleagues,

The Board of Public Works has transmitted to the Council for consideration a Bureau of Sanitation and Contract Administration Joint Board Report. This report requests approval and authorization to execute personal services contracts with 7 recommended haulers for the "Zero Waste LA Exclusive Franchise System."

The recommendations approved by the Board of Public Works merit thorough review. The proposed contracts are significant in both term (potentially up to 20 years) and collective value (potentially \$3.6 Billion to the recommended haulers). The Energy and Environment Committee proposes to consider this item at a Special Meeting on November 30, 2016, with potential consideration by the entire Council on December 7, 2016.

As this is a time limited file, with a deadline for Council to act by December 9, 2016, I strongly encourage you and your staff to review the Council File (CF 10-1797-S17) and submit any questions or concerns in advance of the November 30th committee meeting. It is my intent to ensure the Council can then consider this matter in a thorough, but efficient, manner.

Sincerely,

NURY MARTINEZ

Councilwoman, Sixth District

Chair, Energy and Environment Committee

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