PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a 2013-14 Operation Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Program grant award for the Los Angeles Police Department's (LAPD).

Recommendations for Council action, SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

- 1. AUTHORIZE the Chief of Police, or designee, to:
  - a. Retroactively apply for and accept the 2013-14 Operation ABC grant in the amount of \$100,000 from the California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014.
  - b. Execute the 2013-14 ABC Grant Agreement on behalf of the City and submit all necessary documents relative to the grant award; and, to negotiate, execute, and submit any other necessary agreements and documents relative to the grant, subject to the approval of the City Attorney as to form and legality.

## 2. AUTHORIZE the LAPD to:

- a. Submit grant reimbursement requests to the grantor and deposit grant receipts in the Police Department Grant Trust Fund No. 339/70.
- b. Spend up to the grant amount of \$100,000 in accordance with the grant award agreement.
- 3. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
  - a. Establish a grant receivable in Fund 339 in the amount of \$100,000 and establish an appropriation account, account number to be determined, within Fund 339/70 for the receipt and disbursement of grant funds.
  - b. Increase appropriations on an as-needed basis, as follows:

	Fund/Dept	<u>Account</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
From:	339/70	To be determined	2013-14 ABC Grant	\$95,500

Fund/Dept	Account	<u>Title</u>	<u>Amount</u>
To: 100/70	001012	Sworn Salaries	\$61,956
100/70	001092	Sworn Overtime	33,544

Total: \$95,500

4. AUTHORIZE the LAPD to prepare Controller's instructions for any technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO); and, AUTHORIZE the Controller to implement the instructions.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: Approval of the above recommendations will allow for the expenditure of the 2013-14 Operation Alcoholic Beverage Control grant award in the amount of \$100,000. The grant will provide partial funding for sworn salaries and overtime funding for sworn personnel. No matching funds

are required for this grant. The additional sworn salary and all fringe benefits costs are already included in the 2013-14 Adopted Budget and do not represent any additional General Fund impact.

<u>Community Impact Statement</u>: None submitted.

## <u>SUMMARY</u>

In a report to Council dated August 22, 2013 (attached to the Council file), the CAO states that the LAPD seeks retroactive approval to apply for and accept a \$100,000 grant award for the 2013-14 Operation ABC Program from the State of California, Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (State) for the period July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014. Pursuant to the terms of the grant agreement, the State will reimburse the City for the following LAPD expenses: sworn salaries, sworn overtime, training, and equipment.

According to the CAO, the major objective of Operation ABC is to enforce alcohol laws and to prevent and/or discourage illegal drugs in ABC licensed businesses, sales of alcoholic beverages to minors, intoxicated patrons, illegal solicitation of alcohol and other related criminal activities. Operation ABC also provides training for alcohol retailers to educate licensees and their employees in promoting the responsible sale, service and distribution of alcoholic beverages.

On July 16, 2013, the Board of Police Commissioners approved LAPD's request to accept the grant award. The CAO concurs with this action.

At its meeting held September 13, 2013, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council authorize LAPD to seek and accept the Operation ABC grant award, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners and the CAO.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

MEMBER VOTE
ENGLANDER: YES
BUSCAINO: YES
BONIN: YES
O'FARRELL: YES
MARTINEZ: ABSENT

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