TO THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES

Your

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

reports as follows:

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to a grant award from the Department of Alcohol Beverage Control (ABC) for the Police Department's Operation ABC program.

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 2011-12 Operation ABC grant in the amount of \$100,000 from the California Department of ABC for the period July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2012.
 - b. Execute the 2011-12 ABC grant agreement on behalf of the City, 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 approval as to form and legality.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the Police Department to:
 - a. Submit grant reimbursement requests to the grantor and deposit grant receipts in the Police Department Grant Trust Fund No. 339, Department 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, Department 70 for the receipt and disbursement of grant funds.
 - b. Increase appropriations on an as-needed basis as follows:

From:	<u>Fund/Dept.</u>	Account No.	Account Name	<u>Amount</u>
	339/70	70XXXX	2011-12 ABC Grant	\$95,850
To:	<u>Fund/Dept.</u> 100/70	<u>Account No.</u> 001012 001092	<u>Account Name</u> Sworn Salaries Sworn Overtime	<u>Amount</u> \$63,066 32,784

4. AUTHORIZE the Police Department to prepare Controller's instructions for any technical adjustments consistent with this action, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer (CAO); and, REQUEST that the Controller implement the instructions.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: The CAO reports that this action will not impact the General Fund. Approval of the above recommendations allows for the expenditure of the 2011-12 Operation ABC grant award. These recommendations are in compliance with City financial policies in that grant funds are sufficient to support the grant activities.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

<u>SUMMARY</u>

In a report to Council dated July 28, 2011 (attached to the Council file), the CAO states that the Police Department seeks retroactive approval to apply for and accept the 2011-12 Operation Alcohol Beverage Control (ABC) Program grant award in the amount of \$100,000 from the State of California, Department of ABC for the period July 1, 2011, through June 30, 2012. The grant award reimburses the Police Department for expenses such as sworn salary and overtime, training, and equipment. 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. The CAO reports that the Police Department employs on a continuing basis two Police Sergeants to coordinate Operation ABC.

On July 5, 2011, the Board of Police Commissioners approved the Police Department request to apply for accept this grant. The CAO concurs with this action.

At its meeting held August 1, 2011, the Public Safety Committee recommended that Council authorize the Police Department to apply for and accept the Operation ABC grant award, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners and the CAO.

Respectfully submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

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MEMBER	VOTE
ENGLANDER:	YES
CARDENAS:	ABSENT
PERRY:	ABSENT
REYES:	YES
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