

MOTION

I HEREBY MOVE that Council ADOPT the following recommendations relative to the implications of the California Supreme Court ruling on the case Community Redevelopment Association v. Matosantos to the City, and relevant issues and dates associated with the resulting elimination of the Community Redevelopment Agency of Los Angeles (CRA/LA) and a possible Successor Entity for the CRA/LA, and related actions, (Item No. 14, Council file No. 12-0049), SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR:

1. ADOPT the accompanying Resolution (14-A) to elect not to become the Successor Agency to the former redevelopment agency; and submit to the County Auditor-Controller by January 13, 2012. Seek legislation to reduce liability and allow the City to elect to later be Successor Agency if areas of concern are mitigated.
2. INSTRUCT the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA) and the City Administrative Officer (CAO) with the assistance of the Los Angeles Housing Department (LAHD) to report with an analysis of the implications relevant to the transfer of the housing functions of the former redevelopment agency to the City and request the City Attorney, with the assistance of the CLA and CAO, to prepare the required Resolutions for Council adoption before January 31, 2012.
3. REQUEST the City Attorney, with the assistance of the CLA and the CAO, to identify and prepare the required Resolutions and/or actions that are technical in nature that the Council must take before January 31, 2012.
4. AUTHORIZE the CLA and the CAO to make any technical corrections and take any actions required to implement the intentions of Council's action.
5. REQUEST the City Attorney to report in Closed Session relative to the Cooperation Agreement between the City and the CRA/LA.
6. INSTRUCT the CLA and the CAO to report on the current economic development functions conducted in the City and provide alternatives/models on how the City can conduct economic development in the future (consolidation of city departments, creation of a non-profit, other).
7. INSTRUCT the CLA to continue to monitor: (1) State Legislation and prepare the necessary Resolutions for Council Adoption; and (2) litigation relative to AB1x26 and report to Council with any future impacts to the City.

PRESENTED BY _____
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