COMMUNICATION

TO: LOS ANGELES CITY COUNCIL FILE NO. 12-1408

FROM: COUNCILMEMBER JOSE HUIZAR, CHAIR

COUNCILMEMBER PAUL KORETZ, MEMBER ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIR and MEMBER, ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE relative to the proposed revisions to the fees for the Japanese Gardens located at the Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant.

Recommendation for Council action:

CONCUR with the Board of Public Works action of August 31, 2012, approving the revision of fee charges for the Japanese Gardens located at the Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant as reflected in its August 31, 2012 report (attached to the Council File). The proposed revision includes fee changes for rental activities, increase in the admittance fees, and implementation of a filming use fees at the Japanese Gardens.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis on this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary:

On October 3, 2012, the Energy and Environment Committee Chair and Member considered a Board of Public Works report dated August 31, 2012, relative to the proposed revisions to the fees for the Japanese Gardens located at the Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant. During the discussion, a member of the committee raised a concern relative to the implementation of filming use fees.

After consideration and having provided an opportunity for public comment, the Committee Chair and Member recommended approval of the Board of Public Works report. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSE HUIZAR, CHAIR ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

MEMBER VOTE
HUIZAR: YES
ZINE: ABSENT
CÁRDENAS: ABSENT
ALARCÓN: ABSENT
KORETZ: YES

PAUL KORETZ, MEMBER ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE