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REPORT RE:

**DRAFT ORDINANCE ADDING ARTICLE 4.5 TO CHAPTER VI OF THE LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE TO ESTABLISH A SEWER REPAIR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

The Honorable City Council  
of the City of Los Angeles  
Room 395, City Hall  
200 North Spring Street  
Los Angeles, California 90012

Council File No. 13-1488

Honorable Members:

Pursuant to your request, this Office has prepared and now transmits for your consideration the enclosed draft ordinance, approved as to form and legality. The draft ordinance adds Article 4.5 to Chapter VI of the Los Angeles Municipal Code, establishing a Sewer Repair Financial Assistance Program. This new article implements a rebate program for property owners who perform inspections to determine the condition of their sewer lateral, and/or for any needed sewer lateral repair/replacement, subject to specified requirements and rules and regulations.

Council Rule 38 Referral

A copy of the draft ordinance was sent, pursuant to Council Rule 38, to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Sanitation and Bureau of Street Services, with a

request that all comments, if any, be presented directly to the City Council when this matter is considered.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Deputy City Attorney Adena M. Hopenstand at (213) 978-8130. She or another member of this Office will be present when you consider this matter to answer questions you may have.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL N. FEUER, City Attorney

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Michaelson", written over a horizontal line.

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Chief Assistant City Attorney

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