Date: May 4, 2015

Dear Councilmembers,

RE: AGENDA ITEM NO. (17), 14-0515 - CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF TUESDAY, MAY

5, 2015

My name is Farsheed Farhang. I am an Environmental Engineer working for the City. I have worked in the City's Cleanwater (AKA Wastewater) Program for three decades. My experience includes fairly extensive sewer system planning, audits, financial management, and legal & regulatory compliance.

I respectfully recommend acting on the Bureau of Sanitation's (LASAN's) November 7, 2014 report based on the facts contained in it. I believe that some structured form of a sewer laterals warranty program will serve very well as an essential element of the overall strategy in LASAN's mission to protect public health and the environment. Furthermore, a large and increasing number of Los Angeles homeowners are in dire need of and will quickly benefit from such a program.

Earlier today I also emailed you in the City email system my recommendation along with detailed substantiations which I will not include here publicly. If you have any questions or require assistance from me regarding this matter, please just let me know.

Respectfully Submitted.

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