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The Honorable Eric Garcetti Mayor, City of Los Angeles Room 303, City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012 Council File 14-0730-S1 Council District: 7th, Monica Rodriguez Contact Person and Phone Number: Karen Knipscheer Cox, (213) 505-5668

The Honorable City Council c/o City Clerk Room 395, City Hall 200 North Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90012

Attention: Ms. Heleen Ramirez, Office of the Mayor

REPORT BACK REGARDING COUNCIL FILE TRANSMITTAL – 14-0730-S1 – REQUEST FOR CREATION OF A HEAT MAP THAT REFLECTS A HIGH CONCENTRATION OF EQUINE PROPOERTIES, UTILIZING DATA FROM, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, HORSE LICENSES, ALL EQUINE KEEPING ZONES, AND BROWN BINS

The General Manager of the Department of Animal Services respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council:

NOTE AND FILE this report.

SUMMARY

On November 13, 2019, the Public Safety Committee considered a November 8, 2019 Department of Animal Services (DAS) report relative to emergency evacuation planning for equine and large animals. After consideration, the Committee moved to recommend and request that the DAS, the Department of Planning, Bureau of Sanitation, and Bureau of Engineering create a heat map that reflects a high concentration of equine properties, utilizing data from, but not limited to, horse licenses, all equine keeping zones, and brown bins.

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In response to the committee's direction, the Bureau of Engineering, Geographic Information System (GIS) Division, produced a map utilizing data from animal license addresses, brown bin locations, and equine keeping zoning areas to reflect areas with high concentration of equine properties. This map is available for use by the Los Angeles Fire Department and Police Department in preparation and during emergency evacuations of horses and large animals. The attached heat map is a static version and the Bureau of Engineering will produce an interactive map for internal use by the Fire and Police Department.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment

