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MOTION

The City of Los Angeles has long recognized the value that employment opportunities provide to the City's youth for teaching responsibility, accountability, the importance of work, and other foundational workplace and life skills. Through the Youth Workforce Development System and the Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP), the City has provided subsidized summer youth employment opportunities over the past decade, using a combination of federal and local public funds, private donations, private sector hiring, and community-based efforts.

In August 2014, the Los Angeles County (County) Department of Community and Senior Services (DCSS) advised the Economic and Workforce Development Department (EWDD) of its award of \$711,463 to provide 370 participants with job training and paid work experience to low and moderate income youth ages 14-21 in areas specified by DCSS.

Goldman Sachs, recognizing the importance of the SYEP and the need to support the City's efforts to provide employment opportunities for the youth of Los Angeles, has generously donated an additional \$250,000 in support of the SYEP which was deposited into Mayor's Fund for Los Angeles (Mayor's Fund). The Mayor's Fund is a private non-profit organization supported by private donations and is overseen by an independent Board of Directors.

This funding will enable the City to provide subsidized work experience to an additional 125 youth in the South and East areas of the City. With the recent approval of the 2014-15 Workforce Investment Board (WIB) Year Fifteen Annual Plan (Annual Plan), the Council granted EWDD the authority to accept funds and execute agreements with service providers for SYEP.

I THEREFORE MOVE that the City Council, with the concurrence of the Mayor:

1. AUTHORIZE the General Manager, Economic and Workforce Development Department (EWDD), or designee, to accept on behalf of the City \$711,463 from the Los Angeles County DCSS and \$250,000 from Mayor's Fund (Goldman Sachs) to provide job training and paid work experience to qualifying youth in areas specified by DCSS (Attachment A).
2. AUTHORIZE the General Manager, EWDD, or designee, to negotiate and execute new contracts and/or contract amendments for the County youth jobs program (Attachment A).
3. AUTHORIZE the Controller to:
 - a. Establish a receivable within the TANF Fund No. 56E from the LA County for \$711,463.
 - b. Establish a new account and appropriate within the TANF Fund No. 56E as follows:

Acct #	Title	Amount
22L122	EWDD	53,673
22L299	Related Costs-EWDD	17,319
22L846	LA County TANF - Phase III	640,471
Total		711,463

c. Increase appropriations within Fund 100/22 as follows:

Acct #	Title	Amount
001010	Salaries-General	44,620
001070	Salaries-As Needed	139
006010	Office & Admin Expense	659
006030	Lease	8,255
Total		53,673

d. Accept donations of up to \$250,000 from Mayor's Fund (Goldman Sachs) and deposit into the EWDD Summer Youth Program-Other Sources Fund No. 56L.

e. Increase appropriations within the EWDD Summer Youth Program-Other Sources Fund No. 56L as follows:

Acct #	Title	Amount
22L122	EWDD	19,317
22L299	Related Costs-EWDD	5,683
22L755	Goldman Sachs	225,000
Total		250,000

f. Increase appropriations within Fund 100/22 as follows:

Acct #	Title	Amount
001010	Salaries-General	14,541
001070	Salaries-As Needed	917
006010	Office & Admin Expense	1,169
006030	Lease	2,690
Total		19,317

4. AUTHORIZE the General Manager of EWDD, or designee, to prepare Controller instructions for any necessary technical adjustments, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer, and instruct the Controller to implement the instructions.

PRESENTED BY: _____

CURREN D. PRICE, JR
Councilmember, 9th District

SECONDED BY: _____

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LA County Youth Jobs Program Phase III								
Contractor	Eagle Rock	Canoga Park	Winnetka	Pacoima	Harbor Gateway	Westlake	Total Jobs	Contractor Funding Amount
	73 jobs	56 jobs	56 jobs	56 jobs	56 jobs	73 jobs		
Archdiocesan Youth Employment Services						37	37	\$64,047
El Proyecto del Barrio		56	56				112	\$193,872
Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles					28		28	\$48,468
Managed Career Solutions					28		28	\$48,468
Para Los Ninos	37						37	\$64,047
UCLA						36	36	\$62,316
YOM Boyle Heights	36						36	\$62,316
Youth Policy Institute				56			56	\$96,936
TOTAL	73	56	56	56	56	73	370	\$640,470

Goldman Sachs				
Contractor	East Area Jobs	South Area Jobs	Total Jobs	Contractor Funding Amount
Archdiocesan Youth Employment Services		29	29	\$52,200
Watts Labor Community Action Committee		29	29	\$52,200
YOM Boyle Heights	37		37	\$66,600
YOM Watts		30	30	\$54,000
TOTAL	37	88	125	\$225,000