

AD HOC COMMITTEE ON FILM AND TV PRODUCTION JOBS REPORT relative to development of an inventory of City-owned properties, facilities, and parking lots available to production companies for filming use.

Recommendations for Council action, pursuant to Motion (O'Farrell - Fuentes):

1. DIRECT the City Administrative Officer (CAO) and the Department of General Services to report within 45 days with a comprehensive list of City-owned properties that could be available either for location filming or production facility use.
2. DIRECT the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, Los Angeles World Airports, Harbor Department, and the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles to report to Council with a comprehensive list of available buildings, facilities, open space, and parking lots that could reasonably accommodate production shoots or basecamps.
3. DIRECT the CAO and the Los Angeles Department of Transportation to report within 45 days with a list of City-owned parking lots and structures available to filmmakers for basecamps and production parking.
4. DIRECT the CAO, the Information Technology Agency, and any other relevant departments to work with FilmL.A., Inc. (FilmL.A.) to notify/inform production companies of City-owned locations available for filming, via the City of Los Angeles and the FilmL.A. websites, and any other applicable ways, to encourage further filming in the City of Los Angeles.

Fiscal Impact Statement: Neither the CAO nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At a special meeting held on October 28, 2014, the Ad Hoc Committee on Film and TV Production Jobs considered Motion (O'Farrell - Fuentes) relative to the development of an inventory of all City-owned properties/facilities and parking lots/structures that could be made available to production companies to encourage them to film in Los Angeles.

The maker of the Motion (and Member of the Committee) provided a brief overview of the matter. A representative of FilmL.A. addressed the Committee and reported that FilmL.A. is currently working with the Economic and Workforce Development Department (EWDD) on identifying vacant City-owned properties for use filming use. The EWDD's Citywide Filming Coordinator and Industry Liaison (Filming Coordinator) also addressed the Committee and noted that in addition to working with FilmL.A., the EWDD is conducting tours for filming industry location managers of the properties. The Filming Coordinator provided the Committee with a list of Los Angeles Housing and Community Investment Department properties that are available for filming use.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended approval of the recommendations contained in the Motion. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

AD HOC COMMITTEE ON FILM AND TV PRODUCTION JOBS

<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
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KREKORIAN:	YES
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PRICE:	YES
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O'FARRELL:	YES
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