File No. 15-0002-S71

RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REPORT and RESOLUTION relative to establishing the City's position regarding H.R. 2898 (Valadao) that would override or weaken environmental protections for the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta (Delta) and its native fish species.

Recommendation for Council action, pursuant to Resolution (Koretz - Huizar), SUBJECT TO THE CONCURRENCE OF THE MAYOR:

ADOPT the accompanying RESOLUTION to include in the City's 2015-16 Federal Legislative Program OPPOSITION to H.R. 2898 (Valadao) that seeks to override/weaken environmental protections for the Delta and its native fish species.

<u>Fiscal Impact Statement</u>: None submitted by the Chief Legislative Analyst (CLA). The City Administrative Officer has not completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

At its regular meeting held on October 16, 2015, the Rules, Election, Intergovernmental Relations, and Neighborhoods Committee considered Resolution (Koretz - Huizar) and a report from the CLA dated October 15, 2015 relative to establishing the City's position regarding H.R. 2898 (Valadao) that would override or weaken environmental protections for the Delta and its native fish species. The CLA report, attached to Council file No. 15-0002-S71, provides additional background information and a summary of the Resolution.

After providing an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council adopt the accompanying Resolution. This matter is now submitted to Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

RULES, ELECTIONS, INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND NEIGHBORHOODS

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COMMITTEE

<u>MEMBER</u>

VOTE

WESSON:

YES

HUIZAR:

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YES

HARRIS-DAWSON: YES

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