

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the donation of a reimbursement for food and beverages for the Days of Dialogue Forums for the benefit of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD).

Recommendation for Council action:

ACCEPT the donation of a reimbursement for food and beverages for the Days of Dialogue Forums valued at \$30,000, from the Los Angeles Police Foundation for the benefit of the LAPD, and THANK the donor for this generous donation.

Fiscal Impact Statement: None submitted by the Board of Police Commissioners. Neither the City Administrative Officer nor the Chief Legislative Analyst has completed a financial analysis of this report.

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

SUMMARY

In a report to the Board of Police Commissioners dated September 24, 2015, attached to the Council file, the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) recommends that the Board approve a reimbursement for food and beverages for the Days of Dialogue Forums valued at \$30,000, from the Los Angeles Police Foundation for the benefit of the LAPD. The LAPD reports that the Department will host 15 separate Days of Dialogue community forums city wide where food and beverages will be served. The Los Angeles Police Foundation will reimburse the host divisions directly for the food and beverages provided for these forums. The basis for the program is to coordinate facilitated dialogues on often sensitive but important topics of interest to organizations and the community. The topics will be a collaboration of ideas that will translate to mutual understanding and respect with a focus on the state of policing and the future of policing in the City of Los Angeles. The endeavor is also to continue collective problem solving efforts with an appreciation for the various points of view and assumptions expressed in the dialogue. After further discussion of the matter, the Committee recommended that Council approve the donation of a reimbursement for food and beverages for the Days of Dialogue Forums for the benefit of the LAPD, as recommended by the Board of Police Commissioners, as detailed above. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE



<u>MEMBER</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
ENGLANDER:	YES
BUSCAINO:	ABSENT
BONIN:	YES

O'FARRELL: YES
MARTINEZ: YES

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