

## MOTION

There is a homelessness crisis in the City of Los Angeles. According to the 2018 Point-in-time Homeless Count, there are approximately 31,516 homeless individuals in the City of Los Angeles. There are approximately 23,000 unsheltered homeless individuals in the City.

The City's adopted Comprehensive Homeless Strategy includes the development of a Safe Parking Pilot Program (Strategy 6B). The City supports the creation of safe parking locations to accommodate homeless individuals living in their vehicles. These sites provide parking, restroom facilities and security, and reduce the need for the vehicular homeless to seek places they can legally park in neighborhoods.

Various Council Districts in the City have been evaluating sites and conducting community outreach to create a safe parking program in their district. Council Districts 11, 7, 5, and 10 have proposed safe parking programs in their districts and require funding for the operation of the program.

In order to ensure the operation of these safe parking sites, City Council should approve the transfer of funds to new City General Fund contract with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) and authorize LAHSA to enter into contracts with service providers for the operation of these programs.

**I THEREFORE MOVE** that Council, subject to approval by the Mayor:

1. INSTRUCT the Housing and Community Investment Department (HCID) to reduce City Contract Number C-126258 by \$890,000 and add this amount to the new City General Fund contract with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority;
2. AUTHORIZE the Controller to establish a new appropriation account and transfer appropriations within HCID General Fund Program Fund 10A/43, as follows:

**From:**

<b>Account No.</b>	<b>Account Name</b>	<b>Amount</b>
43P276	Safe Parking Alternative Pilots	\$890,000

**To:**

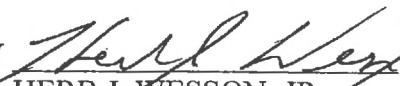
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3. AUTHORIZE LAHSA to enter into contracts with funds from the Safe Parking Alternative Pilots, Account No. 43R276, as follows:
  - a. Enter into a contract with Safe Parking L.A. for up to \$120,000 for the operation of a safe parking program located at 1645 Corinth Ave., Los Angeles, 90025, in Council District 11;

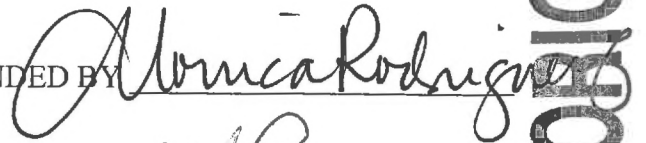



- b. Enter into a contract with Safe Parking L.A. for up to \$120,000 for the operation of a safe parking program located at 7166 West Manchester Ave., Los Angeles, 90045, in Council District 11;
  - c. Enter into a contract with North Valley Caring Services for up to \$84,041 for the operation of a safe parking program located at 15453 Rayen St., North Hills, 91343, in Council District 7;
  - d. Enter into a contract with Safe Parking L.A. for up to \$90,000 for the operation of a safe parking program located at 1739 S. La Cienega Blvd., Los Angeles, 90048, in Council District 5; and
  - e. Enter into a contract with Safe Parking L.A. for up to \$165,000 for the operation of a safe parking program located at 942 Normandie Ave., Los Angeles, 90006, in Council District 10.
4. AUTHORIZE HCID to prepare Controller instructions and make any necessary technical adjustments consistent with the Mayor and Council action in this matter, subject to the approval of the City Administrative Officer, and request the Controller to implement these instructions.

PRESENTED BY

  
HERB J. WESSON, JR.  
Councilmember, 10<sup>th</sup> District

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