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ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the Bureau of Sanitation (BOS) response to the September 23, 2015 spill of materials of sewage origin into the Santa Monica Bay.

Recommendations for Council action:

- 1. NOTE and FILE the BOS report dated November 23, 2015, in response to Motion (Bonin -Fuentes), relative to the cause of the September 23, 2015 spill of materials of sewage origin into the Santa Monica Bay and the department's response.
- 2. AUTHORIZE the BOS to address any regulatory action/mutual benefit element issued by the State of California and to report to the Council on its progress.

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

Community Impact Statement: None submitted.

Summary

At a special meeting on December 2, 2015, the Energy and Environment Committee considered a BOS report relative the cause of the September 23, 2015 spill of materials of sewage origin into the Santa Monica Bay and the department's response. BOS staff gave the Committee background information on the matter. After an opportunity for public comment, the Committee recommended that Council note and file the BOS report and authorized the department to address any regulatory action/mutual benefit element issued by the State of California and to report to the Council on its progress. This matter is now forwarded to the Council for its consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

VOTE MEMBER

YES **FUENTES:**

BLUMENFIELD: YES

CEDILLO: ABSENT

KORETZ: YES

O'FARRELL: YES

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