

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT relative to the donation of morale and well-being items and special events for the benefit of the Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD).

Recommendation for Council action:

ACCEPT the donation of morale and well-being items and special events, valued at \$40,000, 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 (Board). 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 dated October 27, 2016, attached to the Council file, the LAPD recommends that the Board approve the donation of morale and well-being items and special events from the Los Angeles Police Foundation for the benefit of the LAPD.

The LAPD reports that the donation will be used for events which directly promote the morale and well-being of LAPD's 13,000 employees. Funds will be used to purchase items not covered by or limited under the City's budget, as well as to offset the costs for the Military Liaison Program, Behavioral Sciences Section, and events such as the Reserve, Civilian, and Holiday assembly functions. The programs funded by this donation not only help to boost LAPD morale, recognize the employees' sacrifices, hard work, and professionalism, but also serve as motivation for employees to continue giving their very best to the City and the communities they serve and protect. This donation request is supplemental to one that was previously submitted and approved for LAPD Morale and Well-Being items and events (No. 109-16).

At the meeting held on December 6, 2016, your Public Safety Committee considered this matter. An opportunity for public comment was held. After a brief discussion, the Committee recommended that Council approve the donation of morale and well-being items and special events for the benefit of the LAPD, as recommended by the Board, 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> |
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| ENGLANDER: | YES |
| BUSCAINO: | YES |
| BONIN: | YES |
| O'FARRELL: | YES |
| MARTINEZ: | ABSENT |

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